

Great Western Painting

Policy Statement

Contractor-Subcontractor Working Relations

As a contractor, the facility/company [client] for whom we are working has initiated a verification process, administered by a third party reviewer, to ensure that we are competent and capable of performing our assigned duties in a safe and environmentally sound manner.

The verification process also includes proof of appropriate licenses, registrations, and insurance to complete our work.

Prior to the start of work the client will have established clear lines of communication that includes an effective reporting relationship. The aim of this process is to improve health, safety, and environmental performance by facilitating the interface of our activities with those of the client, ourselves, other contractors and subcontractors.

Prior to the start of work the client will have established and defined clear roles and responsibilities. Aligning the various interests and areas of responsibility requires good working relationships between the client, ourselves, other contractors and subcontractors. This is particularly true if the activities are difficult to monitor (e.g. distributed work groups, remote locations, transportation).

Prior to the start of work the client will communicate to us the emergency response procedures and capabilities. The client will ensure that the roles in emergency response plans of all entities [client, ourselves, other contractors and subcontractors] are known.

The working relationships between ourselves and our subcontractors will mimic the above a third party reviewer procedures. All procedures, verifications, submittals, etc. required of us by the third party reviewer verification process will be required by us of our subcontractors.

An appropriate level of oversight and monitoring will be put in place to verify subcontractor performance for the life of the contract. We will periodically review the health, safety, and environmental performance of our subcontractors and verify compliance with regulatory and work-specific requirements on an on-going basis.

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