

# Subcontractor Invoicing Checklist

Cornerstone is deeply committed to paying its subcontractors and vendors in a timely manner. By carefully and completely following these instructions, you can expect your invoices to be paid within 30 days of receipt.

## As soon as you receive a contract:

#### A. Subcontract for Construction

- Execute the contract by initialing, signing, and dating where indicated. As a prerequisite for payment, Cornerstone
  must have an executed contract on file.
- Email or fax the executed contract to the Assistant Project Manager: Angela Henderson or Suzanne Miller (Angela@CornerstoneDesignBuild.com or Suzanne@cornerstonedesignbuild.com ).
- DO NOT mail your executed contract to our office.

#### B. Certificate of Insurance & W-9

- 1. Coordinate with your insurance carrier. As a prerequisite for payment, Cornerstone must have a valid Certificate of Insurance (COI) and W-9 on file.
- On the COI, Cornerstone must be listed as the "Certificate Holder" and an "Additional Insured" with respect to the general liability policy.
- The COI must indicate minimum limits for the general liability and worker's compensation policies, as defined in the contract.
- 4. Email or fax COIs and W-9s to Jen Martins (<a href="mailto:jmartins@CornerstoneDesignBuild.com">jmartins@CornerstoneDesignBuild.com</a>).

# Every time you invoice Cornerstone:

### C. Invoices

- Submit your invoice for payment to our new dedicated fax number (508) 401-6662 or email address (CornerstoneDesignBuild@CashProBillPay.com).
- When preparing your invoice, delineate labor, material, and sales tax charges as separate line items and, when applicable, attach itemized receipts for materials purchased or a letter of tax compliance from the project state's tax authority.
- 3. Change orders are not treated as invoices. After a change order is approved, send a separate invoice for it or add the amount to your next progress bill.
- 4. Withhold 10% retainage from progress invoices and immediately upon completing your scope of work, send us a separate invoice for the total retainage amount.
- > DO NOT mail or fax invoices to our office.
- DO NOT email invoices to a staff member.
- DO NOT invoice for change orders unless they were approved in advance by the Project Manager.

### D. Lien Waivers

- 1. Prepare and notarize a lien waiver for every invoice submitted.
- 2. The \$\$ amount on the lien waiver should exactly match the \$\$ amount on the corresponding invoice.
- 3. Use the project-specific lien waiver form provided by Cornerstone.
- 4. The date of the notary's and authorized representative's signature must be the same.
- 5. The "Construction Period To" date cannot be later than the lien waiver's notarization date.
- Mail the original, notarized lien waiver to our office. As a prerequisite for payment, Cornerstone must have the original, notarized lien waiver on file.
- DO NOT email or fax lien waivers to our office; we must have an original hardcopy.
- DO NOT include hardcopies of invoices with lien waivers.
- DO NOT send lien waivers to our new dedicated fax number and email address; these are for invoices only.