#### **SECTION 09300**

TILE

# 1 PART 1 GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

A. Section includes ceramic, ceramic mosaic, quarry, paver, tile for interior floor and wall applications; cementitious backer board as tile substrate; and thresholds at door openings.

#### 1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Shop Drawings: Indicate patterned applications and thresholds.
- B. Product Data: Submit instructions for using grouts and adhesives.
- C. Samples: Submit manufacturer's complete set of color samples for initial selection of each type of tile and grout.
- D. Maintenance Stock: 5% of each type, color and finish of tile.

#### 1.3 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

A. Operation and Maintenance Data: Submit recommended cleaning methods, cleaning materials, stain removal methods, and polishes and waxes.

# 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Perform Work in accordance with TCA Handbook and ANSI A108 Series/A118 Series.
- B. Manufacturer: Company specializing in manufacturing products specified in this section with minimum three years documented experience.
- C. Installer: Company specializing in performing Work of this section with minimum three years documented experience approved by manufacturer.

# 1.5 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Do not install adhesives in an unventilated environment.
- B. Maintain ambient and substrate temperature of 50 degrees F (10 degrees C during installation of mortar materials.

# 2 PART 2 PRODUCTS

# 2.1 TILE

- A. Manufacturers: All products same manufacturer.
  - American Olean Tile Co.
  - Dal-Tile International

- 3. Metropolitan Ceramics.
- 4. Summitville Tiles Inc.
- United States Ceramic Tile Co.

#### B. COMPONENTS

- Unglazed Ceramic Mosaic Tile: Provide factory-mounted flat tile complying with the following requirements:
  - a. Composition: Porcelain.
  - b. Nominal Facial Dimensions: 2 inches by 2 inches.
  - c. Nominal Thickness: 1/4 inch.
  - d. Face: Plain with cushion edges.
  - e. Base: Cove base of same material as floor tile.
  - f. Trim Units: Provide tile trim units to match characteristics of adjoining flat tile and to comply with following requirements:
  - g. Size: As indicated, coordinated with sizes and coursing of adjoining flat tile where applicable.
  - h. Shapes: As follows, selected from manufacturer's standard shapes:
    - 1) Base for Thinset Mortar Installations: Coved.
    - 2) Wainscot Cap for Thinset Mortar Installations: Surface bullnose.
    - 3) External Corners for Thinset Installations: Surface bullnose.
    - 4) Internal Corners: Field-butted square corners, except use coved base and cap angle pieces designed to member with stretcher shapes.
- 2. Paver Tile: ANSI A137.1, conforming to the following:
  - a. Moisture Absorption: 0 to 0.5 percent.
  - b. Equal to Dal Tile Porcialto Graniti
  - c. Size: 8x8x5/16 inch.
  - d. Shape: Square
  - e. Edge: Square.
  - f. Surface Finish: Non-slip
  - g. Color: As selected.
- 3. Base: Same as floor tile. Match floor tile for moisture absorption, surface finish, and color:
  - a. Length: Tile length.
  - b. Height: 4 inch.
  - c. Top Edge: Square
  - d. Internal Corner: Coved
  - e. External Corner: Bullnosed
  - f. Color: As selected.
- Grout Materials:
  - a. Standard Grout: Latex-Portland cement type as specified in ANSI A118.6; color as selected.
- 5. Cementitious Backer Board: ANSI A118.9; High density, glass fiber reinforced, 5/8 inch thick; 2 inch wide coated glass fiber tape for joints and corners.
- 6. Thresholds: At underside of all doors at ceramic tile transitions. Marble white color, honed finish, 1/2x5 inch size by full width of wall or frame opening,

beveled both sides, radiused edges from bevel to vertical face, complying with ADA accessibility requirements.

7. Tile Floor Edging: Extruded aluminum.

# 3 PART 3 EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

A. Verify that surfaces are ready to receive work.

#### 3.2 PREPARATION

A. Install cementitious backer board. Tape joints and corners, cover with skim coat of dryset mortar to a feather edge.

# 3.3 INSTALLATION

- A. Install tile, thresholds, and grout in accordance with applicable requirements of ANSI A108.1 through A108.10, and TCA Handbook recommendations.
- B. Cut and fit tile to penetrations through tile, leaving sealant joint space. Form corners and bases neatly. Align floor, base and wall joints.
- C. Place tile joints uniform in width, subject to variance in tolerance allowed in tile size. Make joints watertight, without voids, cracks, excess mortar, or excess grout.
- D. Grout tile joints. Use standard grout unless otherwise indicated.

# E. Floors:

- Over interior concrete substrates, install in accordance with TCA Handbook Method F113, latex-portland cement bond coat, with standard grout, unless otherwise indicated.
  - a. Where waterproofing membrane is indicated, install in accordance with TCA Handbook Method F122, with latex-portland cement grout

### F. Showers And Bathtub Walls:

- At tiled shower receptors install in accordance with TCA Handbook Method B415, mortar bed floor, and W244, thin-set over cementitious backer unit walls
  - a. Seal joints between tile work and other work with sealant specified in Section 07900.

# G. Wall Tile:

1. Over cementitious backer units install in accordance with TCA Handbook Method W244, at toilet rooms, kitchens, locker rooms.

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