

**EXHIBIT B**

**BID FORM**

**CENTRAL CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT AUTHORITY**

Concord, California

Board of Directors  
Central Contra Costa Transit Authority  
2477 Arnold Industrial Way  
Concord, CA 94520

The undersigned, upon acceptance, agrees to install two (2) 25,000 gallon above ground diesel fuel storage tanks at the fuel island at Central Contra Costa County Transit Authority's facility located at 2477 Arnold Industrial Way, Concord, CA 94520. In accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in Central Contra Costa Transit Authority's "Notice Inviting Sealed Bids, Instructions to Bidders and General Conditions, Scope of Work, Form of Contract, and Technical Specifications, including As-Built drawings" for "Installation of Above Ground Diesel Fuel Storage Tanks " dated March 26, 2026, at the following price:

**ITEM I**

**ABOVE GROUND INSTALLATION  
OF TWO (2) 25,000 GALLON DIESEL  
FUEL STORAGE TANKS:**

\$ 950,300.00

EQUIPMENT REQUIRED FOR INSTALLATION,  
INCLUDING: Veeder-Root Red Jacket turbines,  
Tank monitors, interstitial monitors, line monitors,  
TLS-450PLUS ATG console, and Bennett Dispensers

\$ 598,700.00

**TOTAL PRICE:**

\$ 1,549,000.00

Contractor's License Number 704210

Contractor's License Class(es) A, B, Haz

Contractor DIR Registration Number 1000033694

**BID FORM**

Name under which business is conducted Carone and Company, Inc

Business Address 5009 Forni Drive Ste A Concord, CA 94520

Telephone 925-602-8800

IF SOLE OWNER, Sign here:

I sign as sole owner of the business named above: \_\_\_\_\_

IF PARTNERSHIP, Sign here:

The undersigned certify that we are partners in the business named above and that we sign this contract bid with full authority to do so: (one or more partners sign)

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

IF CORPORATION, Execute here:

The undersigned two individuals certify that they sign this contract bid with full and proper authorization to do so:

Corporation Name Carone and Company, Inc

By *Richard Lloyd Carone* Title Richard Lloyd Carone - President

By *Jane A. Carone* Title Jane Carone - Secretary

Incorporated under the laws of the State of: California

If the bidder is a corporation, two corporate officers must sign on behalf of the corporation as follows: (1) one signature must be that of the chairman of the board, president or vice-president; and (2) the second signature must be that of the secretary, assistant secretary, chief financial officer or assistant treasurer. Alternatively, this bid may be executed by a single officer or a person other than an officer provided that evidence satisfactory to County Connection is provided demonstrating that such individual is authorized to bind a corporation (e.g., a copy of a certified resolution from the corporation's board or a copy of the corporation's by-laws).

IF JOINT VENTURE, Execute here:

The undersigned certify that they sign this contract bid with full and proper authorization to do so:

Joint Venture Name Composed of \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_

Bid packages shall be placed in a sealed envelope marked "Above Ground Diesel Tanks Installation" and delivered to the Chief Financial Officer, County Connection, 2477 Arnold Industrial Way, Concord, CA 94520 prior to 2:00 p.m., on March 26, 2026.

## ITEMS TO BE INCLUDED IN BID

- A. Bidder's Security
- B. Non-Collusion Declaration
- C. Bidder's EEO Certification
- D. List of Subcontractors
- E. List of Prime Contractor and Subcontractors/Suppliers
- F. SBE Good Faith Effort Form
- G. Fair Employment Practices Certificate
- H. Workers' Compensation Certification
- I. Bidder's Statement of Qualifications and Business References

**BIDDER'S SECURITY**

**KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:**

That Carone & Company, Inc., as Principal, and

Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual), as a California-admitted Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the Central Contra Costa Transit Authority, hereinafter called the "County Connection", in the sum of Ten Percent of Amount Bid dollars (\$10% of Amount Bid), being at least ten percent (10%) of the total amount of the bid of the Principal above named, for the payment of which sum in lawful money of the United States of America to County Connection we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, whereas the Principal has submitted said bid to County Connection for which bids were requested to be received at Concord, California, on March 26, 2026 for the Installation of Above Ground Diesel Fuel Storage Tanks project, as specified therein.

NOW THEREFORE, if the Principal is awarded a contract by County Connection and, within the time and in the manner required by the Specifications, enters into a contract with County Connection and furnishes the requisite bonds or other contract documents, then this obligation shall become null and void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

In the event suit is brought upon this bond by County Connection and judgment is recovered, the Surety shall pay all costs incurred by County Connection in such suit, including reasonable attorney's fees to be fixed by the court.

Signed and sealed this 23rd day of March, 2026.

Principal Carone & Company, Inc.

By: [Signature]

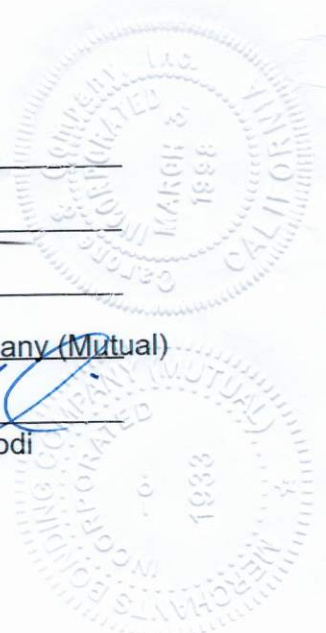
By: \_\_\_\_\_

Surety: Merchants Bonding Company (Mutual)

By: [Signature]

Attorney-In-Fact, Elizabeth Collodi

(Note: Signature of person executing for Surety must be notarized and evidence of power of attorney attached)



## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California  
County of Contra Costa )

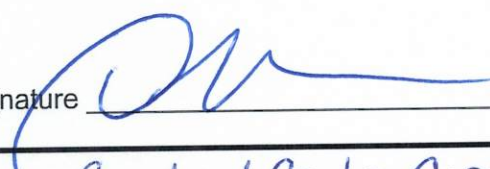
On March 26, 2026 before me, Dena Flashman, Notary Public  
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Richard Lloyd Carone,  
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature



(Seal)



*Central Contra Costa Transit Auth  
Bid Bond*

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State of California

County of Butte

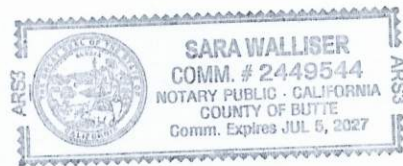
On March 23, 2026 before me, Sara Walliser, Notary Public  
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Elizabeth Collodi,  
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are  
subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that ~~he/she/they~~ executed the same in  
~~his/her/their~~ authorized capacity(ies), and that by ~~his/her/their~~ signature(s) on the instrument the  
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paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature See Wal (Seal)



# MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY™

## POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know All Persons By These Presents, that MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL) and MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., both being corporations of the State of Iowa, and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY, an assumed name of Merchants National Bonding, Inc., (herein collectively called the "Companies") do hereby make, constitute and appoint, individually,

Bill Rapp; Brad Espinosa; Breanna Boatright; Cassandra Medina; Deanna Quintero; Elizabeth Collodi; Jason March; Jennifer Lakmann; John Hopkins; John Weber; Kathleen Le; Matthew Foster; Mindy Whitehouse; Paula Senna; Phillip Watkins; R Kailany; Samantha Watkins; Sara Walliser; Sharon Smith; Steven Lee Williams; Tony Clark

their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact, to sign its name as surety(ies) and to execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, undertakings, contracts and other written instruments in the nature thereof, on behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

This Power-of-Attorney is granted and is signed and sealed by facsimile under and by authority of the By-Laws adopted by the Board of Directors of the Companies.

"The President, Secretary, Treasurer, or any Assistant Treasurer or any Assistant Secretary or any Vice President shall have power and authority to appoint Attorneys-in-Fact, and to authorize them to execute on behalf of the Company, and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof."

"The signature of any authorized officer and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile or electronic transmission to any Power of Attorney or Certification thereof authorizing the execution and delivery of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, or other suretyship obligations of the Company, and such signature and seal when so used shall have the same force and effect as though manually fixed."

In connection with obligations in favor of the Florida Department of Transportation only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact includes any and all consents for the release of retained percentages and/or final estimates on engineering and construction contracts required by the State of Florida Department of Transportation. It is fully understood that consenting to the State of Florida Department of Transportation making payment of the final estimate to the Contractor and/or its assignee, shall not relieve this surety company of any of its obligations under its bond.

In connection with obligations in favor of the Kentucky Department of Highways only, it is agreed that the power and authority hereby given to the Attorney-in-Fact cannot be modified or revoked unless prior written personal notice of such intent has been given to the Commissioner - Department of Highways of the Commonwealth of Kentucky at least thirty (30) days prior to the modification or revocation.

In Witness Whereof, the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed and sealed this 21st day of August, 2025.

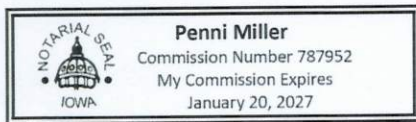


**MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL)  
MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC.  
MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY**

By *Larry Taylor*

STATE OF IOWA  
COUNTY OF DALLAS ss.

On this 21st day of August, 2025, before me appeared Larry Taylor, to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn did say that he is President of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY; and that the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument are the Corporate Seals of the Companies; and that the said instrument was signed and sealed in behalf of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors.



*Penni Miller*  
Notary Public

(Expiration of notary's commission does not invalidate this instrument)

I, Elisabeth Sandersfeld, Secretary of MERCHANTS BONDING COMPANY (MUTUAL), MERCHANTS NATIONAL BONDING, INC., and MERCHANTS NATIONAL INDEMNITY COMPANY do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the POWER-OF-ATTORNEY executed by said Companies, which is still in full force and effect and has not been amended or revoked.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the Companies on this 23rd day of March, 2026.



*Elisabeth Sandersfeld*  
Secretary

NON-COLLUSION DECLARATION

TO BE EXECUTED BY BIDDER AND SUBMITTED WITH BID  
(In accordance with California Public Contract Code Section 7106)

Project Title: Installation of Above Ground Diesel Fuel Storage Tanks

The undersigned declares:

I am the president of Carone and Company, Inc, the party making the foregoing bid.

The bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation. The bid is genuine and not collusive or sham. The bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a false or sham bid. The bidder has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or to refrain from bidding. The bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of the bidder or any other bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the bid price, or of that of any other bidder. All statements contained in the bid are true. The bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her bid price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof to effectuate a collusive or sham bid, and has not paid, and will not pay, any person or entity for such purpose.

Any person executing this declaration on behalf of a bidder that is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or any other entity, hereby represents that he or she has full power to execute, and does execute, this declaration on behalf of the bidder.

"I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed on March 26, 2026 [date], at

Concord [city], California [state]."



Signature of Bidder

President

Title

March 26, 2026

Date

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of California  
County of Contra Costa )

On March 26, 2026 before me, Dena Flashman, Notary Public  
(insert name and title of the officer)

personally appeared Richard Lloyd Carone,  
who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are  
subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in  
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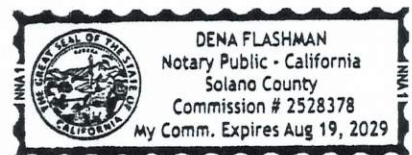
I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing  
paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature



(Seal)



Central Contra  
Costa Trnst  
Auth.

Non Collusion Declaration

**BIDDER'S EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY (EEO) CERTIFICATION**

Carone and Company, Inc  
Bidder's Name

5009 Forni Drive Ste A  
Bidder's Address

63  
Bidder's Total Number of Employees

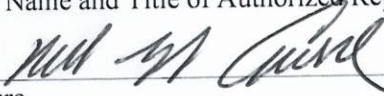
**GENERAL**

Bidder certifies and agrees that all persons employed by it, its affiliates, subsidiaries, or holding companies are and will be treated equally by the firm(s) without regard to or because of race, color, religious creed, national origin, ancestry, sex, age, physical or mental disability, medical condition, marital status, veteran's status, sexual orientation, gender identity, or genetic information.

**BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION**

1. The Bidder has a written policy statement prohibiting any discrimination in all phases of employment.  
Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_
  
2. This policy statement is available for inspection to any of Bidder's employees or to any applicants for employment.  
Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_
  
3. The Bidder periodically conducts a self-analysis or utilization analysis of its workforce. This analysis is reviewed and updated at least annually.  
Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_
  
4. The Bidder has a system for determining if its employment practices are discriminatory against protected groups.  
Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_
  
5. Where problem areas are identified in employment practices, the Bidder has a system for taking reasonable corrective action to include establishment of affirmative action goals and timetables.  
Yes   X   No \_\_\_\_\_

Richard Lloyd Carone - President  
Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative

 March 26, 2026  
Signature Date

## LIST OF SUBCONTRACTORS

In compliance with the provisions of Sections 4100-4114, inclusive, of the Public Contract Code of the State of California, each Bidder shall set forth the name, business address, contractor's license number of each subcontractor whom the Bidder proposes to have perform work or labor or render service in or about the construction of the work in an amount in excess of one-half of one percent (.5%) of the total bid price, and the portion of the work which will be done by each such subcontractor.

NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR	LOCATION OF BUSINESS	LICENSE NUMBER/ DIR REG. NUMBER	PORTION OF WORK
1) USA Trucking	Antioch, CA	#1000406207	Trucking & Material Transport
2) Picon FRP, Inc	Castro Valley, CA	#1000021786	Piping
3) Ponder Environmental Services	Benicia, CA	#1000016649	Decontamination, Rinsing and disposal
4) Mstall Electric Inc	Elk Grove, Ca	#576070 #2000009535	Electrical
5)			
6)			
7)			
8)			
9)			
10)			

**LIST OF PRIME CONTRACTOR AND SUBCONTRACTORS/SUPPLIERS**

Bidder's Name: Carone and Company, Inc Small Business Enterprise: Yes\*  No  X  
 Owner or Contact Person: Richard Lloyd Carone Title: President  
 Address: 5009 Formi Drive Ste A Concord, CA 94520 Firm's Annual Gross Receipts\*\*: \$34 million Age of Firm: 28  
 Phone: (925) 602-8800 Email: lloyd@caroneandcompanyinc.com

\*If yes, provide documentation showing the firm's current certification status.

**List the following information for all subcontractors/suppliers that provided a bid, quote or proposal to the Bidder:**

Company Name/Address/Phone Owner's Name or Contact Person	SBE Non-SBE	Description of Work. Type of Materials/Supplies.	Dollar Amount of Work/Supplies	Bid/Quote Accepted? (Yes/No)
1 USA Trucking 1900 Wilbur Ave Antioch, CA 94509 Robin Saran 707-624-9522	SBE	Trucking & Material Transport	\$55,000.00	Yes
2 Picon FRP 20885 Redwood Rd Suite 327 Castro Valley, CA 94546 Chevan Goonerilleke 510-232-0065	Non-SBE	Piping	\$20,000.00	Yes
3 Ponder Environmental Services P.O. Box 1427 Benicia, CA Fred Mitchell 877-265-8265	Non-SBE	Decontamination, Rinising and disposal	\$18,000.00	Yes
4 Mstall Electric Inc 9701 Dino Dr Ste 110 Elk Grove, CA 95624 Maddie Rinehart 209-663-7432	Non-SBE	Electrical	\$10,000.00	Yes
5				

The undersigned will enter into a formal agreement with the subcontractor(s) and/or supplier(s) whose bid/quote was accepted conditioned upon execution of a contract with County Connection. I certify that the information included on this form is complete and correct.

  
 Signature of Owner or Authorized Representative

President  
 Title  
 March 26, 2026  
 Date  
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**SELECTION PROCESS OF SUBCONTRACTORS/SUBCONSULTANTS/SUPPLIERS**

Contract Name: Installation of Above Ground Diesel Fuel Storage Tanks County Connection Project 2026--MA-01 Bidder's Name: Carone and Company, Inc

Owner or Contact Person and Title: Richard Lloyd Carone - President

Address: 5009 Forni Drive Ste A Concord, CA 94520

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm Name	Contact Name	SBE/Other	Solicitation Method(s) (include attachments)	Results (include reasoning)
USA Trucking	Robin Saran	SBE, DBE, MBE	Email	listed subcontractor
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_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Attach additional sheets as necessary.

Bidder hereby certifies that is was unable to subcontract to any SBE for this contract and has provided evidence of attempts to obtain SBE commitments.

Company Name: N/A Authorized Signature: N/A

Title: N/A Date: N/A

## FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES CERTIFICATE

In connection with the performance of work under this Contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

1. The Contractor will not willfully discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religious creed, ancestry, national origin, sex, marital status, physical handicap, or medical condition, as defined in Government Code Section 12926. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment, without regard to their race, color, religious creed, ancestry, national origin, sex, physical handicap, or medical condition as defined in Government Code Section 12926. Such action shall include but not be limited to the following: employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training including apprenticeship. The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices setting forth the provisions of this Fair Employment Practices section.

2. The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of worker with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice, advising the said labor union or workers' representative of the Contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.

3. The Contractor will permit access to his records of employment, employment advertisements, application forms, and other pertinent data records by the Fair Employment and Housing Commission, the awarding authority or any other appropriate agency of the State of California designated by the awarding authority for the purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the Fair Employment Practices section of this Contract.

4. A finding of willful violation of the Fair Employment Practices section of this Contract or of the Fair Employment and Housing Act, Government Code Sections 12900 *et. seq.*, shall be regarded by the awarding authority as a basis for determining the Contractor to be not a "responsible Bidder" as to future contracts for which such Contractor may submit bids, for revoking the Contractor's prequalification rating, if any, and for refusing to establish, re-establish or renew a prequalification rating for the Contractor.

The awarding authority shall deem a finding of willful violation of the Fair Employment and Housing Act to have occurred upon receipt of written notice from the Fair Employment and Housing Commission that it has investigated and determined that the Contractor has violated the Fair Employment and Housing Act and has issued an order under Government Code Section 12970 or obtained an injunction under Government Code Section 12973.

Upon receipt of such written notice from the Department of Fair Employment and Housing, the awarding authority shall notify the Contractor that unless he demonstrates to the satisfaction of the awarding authority within a stated period that the violation has been corrected, his prequalification rating will be revoked at the expiration of such period.

5. The Contractor agrees that, should the awarding authority determine that the Contractor has not complied with the Fair Employment Practices section of this Contract, then pursuant to Labor Code Sections 1735 and 1775, the Contractor shall, as a penalty to the awarding authority, forfeit for each calendar day, or portion thereof, for each person who was denied employment as a result of such non-compliance, the penalties provided in the Labor Code for violation of prevailing wage rates. Such monies may be recovered from the Contractor. The awarding authority may deduct any such damages from any monies due the Contractor.

6. Nothing contained in the Fair Employment Practices section shall be construed in any manner or fashion so as to prevent the awarding authority from pursuing any other remedies that may be available at law.

7. The Contractor will include the provisions of the foregoing Paragraphs 1 through 6 in every first-tier subcontract, if any, so that such provisions will be binding upon each such subcontractor.

8. Statements and Payrolls. The Contractor shall maintain his records in conformance with the requirements in the Specification and the following provisions:

a. The submissions by the Contractor of payrolls, or copies thereof, is required. Each Contractor and subcontractor shall preserve his weekly payroll records for a period of three years from the date of completion of this Contract.

b. The payroll records shall contain the name, address, and social security number of each employee, his correct classification, rate of pay, daily and weekly number of hours worked, itemized deductions made and actual wages paid.

c. The Contractor shall make his payroll records available at the project site for inspection by the County Connection and shall permit the County Connection to interview employees during working hours on the job.

The following certification is to be executed by every Bidder and enclosed and forwarded in a sealed envelope containing the bid. The person signing the certification shall state his address and official capacity.

### FAIR EMPLOYMENT PRACTICES CERTIFICATION

TO CENTRAL CONTRA COSTA TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

The undersigned, in submitting a bid for performing the following work by contract, hereby certifies that the Bidder will meet the above standards of affirmative compliance with the Fair Employment and Housing Act, Government Code Section 12900, *et. seq.*

March 26, 2026  
 DATE

5009 Forni Drive Suite A  
 ADDRESS NUMBER & STREET

Concord CA 94520  
 CITY STATE ZIP CODE

925-602-8800  
 TELEPHONE

General Contractor

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PRODUCT AND SERVICES

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Carone and Company, Inc

(TYPE) BIDDING COMPANY

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BY  SIGNATURE

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Richard Lloyd Carone

(TYPE) NAME OF SIGNER

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President

(TYPE) TITLE

## WORKERS' COMPENSATION CERTIFICATION

By signing below, Bidder is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the Labor Code which requires every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provision of that code, and if awarded a Contract, Bidder will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the work of this Contract.

Carone and Company, Inc

Firm Name



Signature of Authorized Official

Richard Lloyd Carone

Name of Authorized Official

President

Title of Authorized Official

March 26, 2026

Date

## BIDDER'S STATEMENT OF QUALIFICATIONS AND BUSINESS REFERENCES

Name of Bidder Carone and Company, Inc

Address of Principal Office 5009 Forni Drive Ste A Concord, CA

1. Are you an individual \_\_\_\_\_, a partnership X, a corporation \_\_\_\_\_ or a joint venture \_\_\_\_\_?  
(Check as applicable)

If a partnership, list names and addresses of partners; if a corporation, list names of officers and directors and state of incorporation; if a joint venture, list names and addresses of venturers and if any venturer is a corporation, partnership or joint venture, list the same information for each such corporation, partnership and joint venture.

Carone and Company, Inc , California  
Richard Lloyd Carone - President  
Jane Carone - Secretary

2. Are you licensed as a Contractor to do business in California? Yes

License No. 704210 Classification A, B Haz

Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) Registration No. 1000033694

Note that the information provided above must evidence possession of a valid State of California Contractor's License, Type A-General Engineering and Type HAZ-Hazardous Substance Removal Certification.

For the following questions, if a joint venture, give information for each of the venturers, by name. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

3. How many years has your organization been in business as a Contractor under your present business name? 28

4. How many years of experience has your organization had in construction work similar to the work you are interested in bidding?

As a general contractor? 28

As a subcontractor? 28

5. Show all the projects your organization has completed during at least the last five years in the following tabulation. If your organization has been in existence for less than five years, show all the projects your key personnel have completed during the last five years in the following tabulation. (For joint venture work, show the sponsoring individual or company.) Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Year	Type of Work	Value of Work	Location	For Whom
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See Attached

6. Have you or your organization, or any officer or partner thereof, failed to complete a contract?  
No  
 If so, give details. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

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7. In what other lines of business are you financially interested? Attach additional sheets if necessary.  
N/A

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8. Name the persons with whom you have been associated in business as partners or business associates in each of the last five years. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

N/A

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9. Give information below about the relevant experience of the principal individuals of your present organization including those individuals to be in responsible charge of this project. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Individual's Name	Present Position of Office	Years of Construction Experience	Magnitude and Type of Work	In What Capacity
Grant Carone	Vice President	20 years	\$30 mil, Industrial/Commercial	Management
Richard Carone	President	48 years	\$30 mil, Industrial/Commercial	Management

10. Give information below about all your contract work underway, or for which you are committed. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Type of Work	Location	Value	Percent Complete	Scheduled Completion Date	For Whom Performed
<u>See attached</u>					

11. References: Give only engineers, architects, or owners, including public bodies, for whom you have done work. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

Name	Address	Business
Michael Hawthorne	166 North Main Street Walnut Creek, CA 94596	City of Walnut Creek
Miguel Chavez	300 First Street Woodland, CA 95695	City of Woodland
Sean Dougan	2950 Peralta Oaks Crt Oakland, CA 94605	East Bay Regional Park District
Ian Bronswick	1010 Chadbourne Road Fairfield, CA 94534	Fairfield-Suisun Sewer District

12. References: The following bank or banks can provide references as to the financial responsibility of the Bidder: Attach additional sheets if necessary.



B. Name of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City and State: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Familiar with Bidder's Account: \_\_\_\_\_

C. Name of Bank: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City and State: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Officer Familiar with Bidder's Account: \_\_\_\_\_

13. References: The following surety company or companies can provide references as to the financial responsibility and general liability of the Bidder: Attach additional sheets if necessary.

A. Name of Surety Company: Merchants Bonding Company ( Mutual)  
 Name of Local Agent (if different): InterWest Insurance Services, LLC  
 Local Address: Street 8950 Cal Center Dr Building 3 Ste 200  
 City and State: Sacramento, CA Telephone: 530-897-3197  
 Person Familiar with Bidder's Account: Sara Walliser

B. Name of Surety Company: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Local Agent (if different): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Local Address: Street \_\_\_\_\_  
 City and State: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Person Familiar with Bidder's Account: \_\_\_\_\_

14. Is any litigation pending against your organization? No  
 If so, give details. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

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The undersigned bidder represents and warrants that the foregoing information is true and accurate to the best of his/her knowledge and the undersigned intends that County Connection rely thereof in awarding the attached contract.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Bidder

\_\_\_\_\_  
President  
Title

Dated: March 26, 20 26



CONTRACTORS  
STATE LICENSE BOARD  
ACTIVE LICENSE



License Number **704210**

Entity **CORP**

Business Name **CARONE & COMPANY INC**

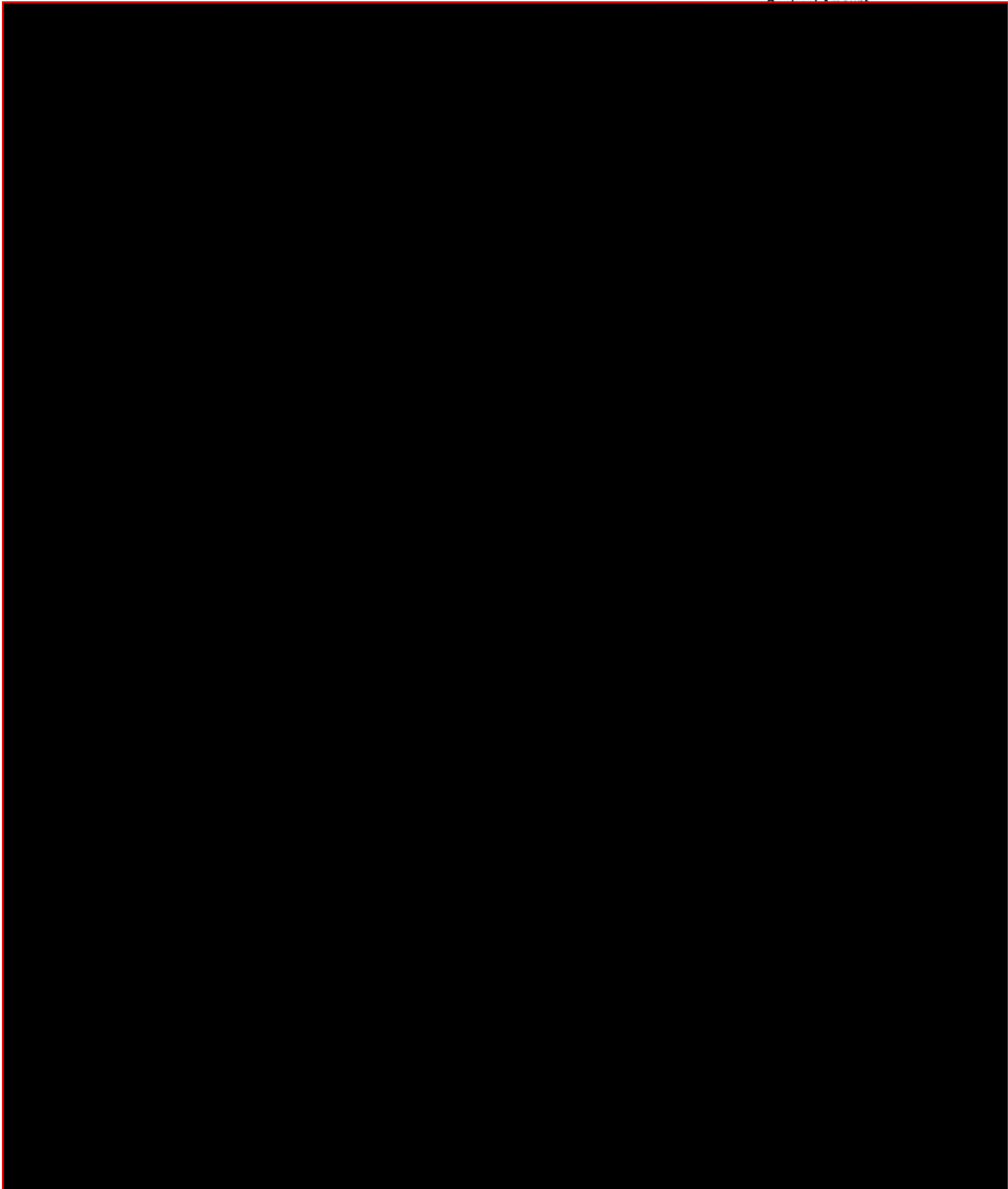
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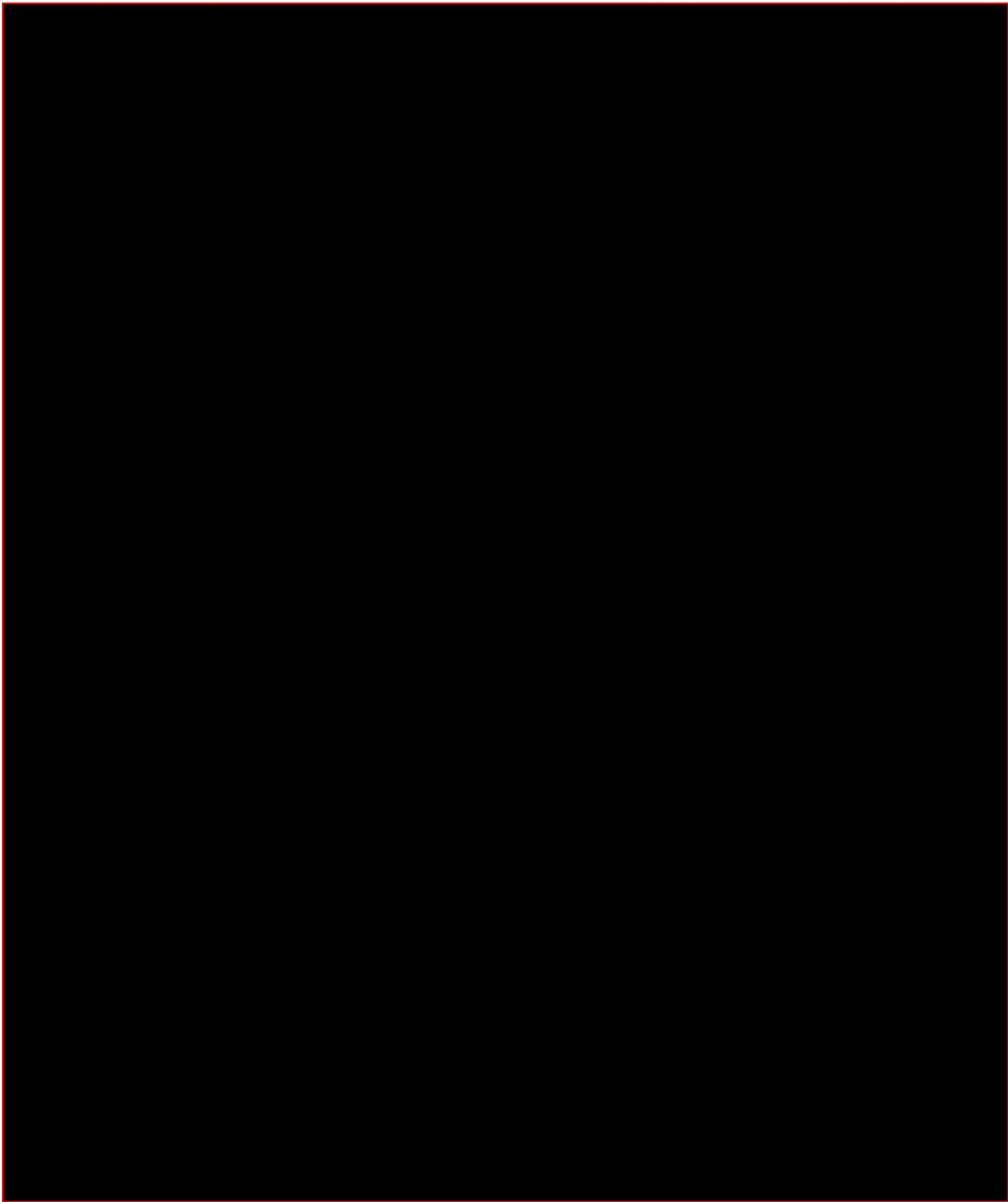
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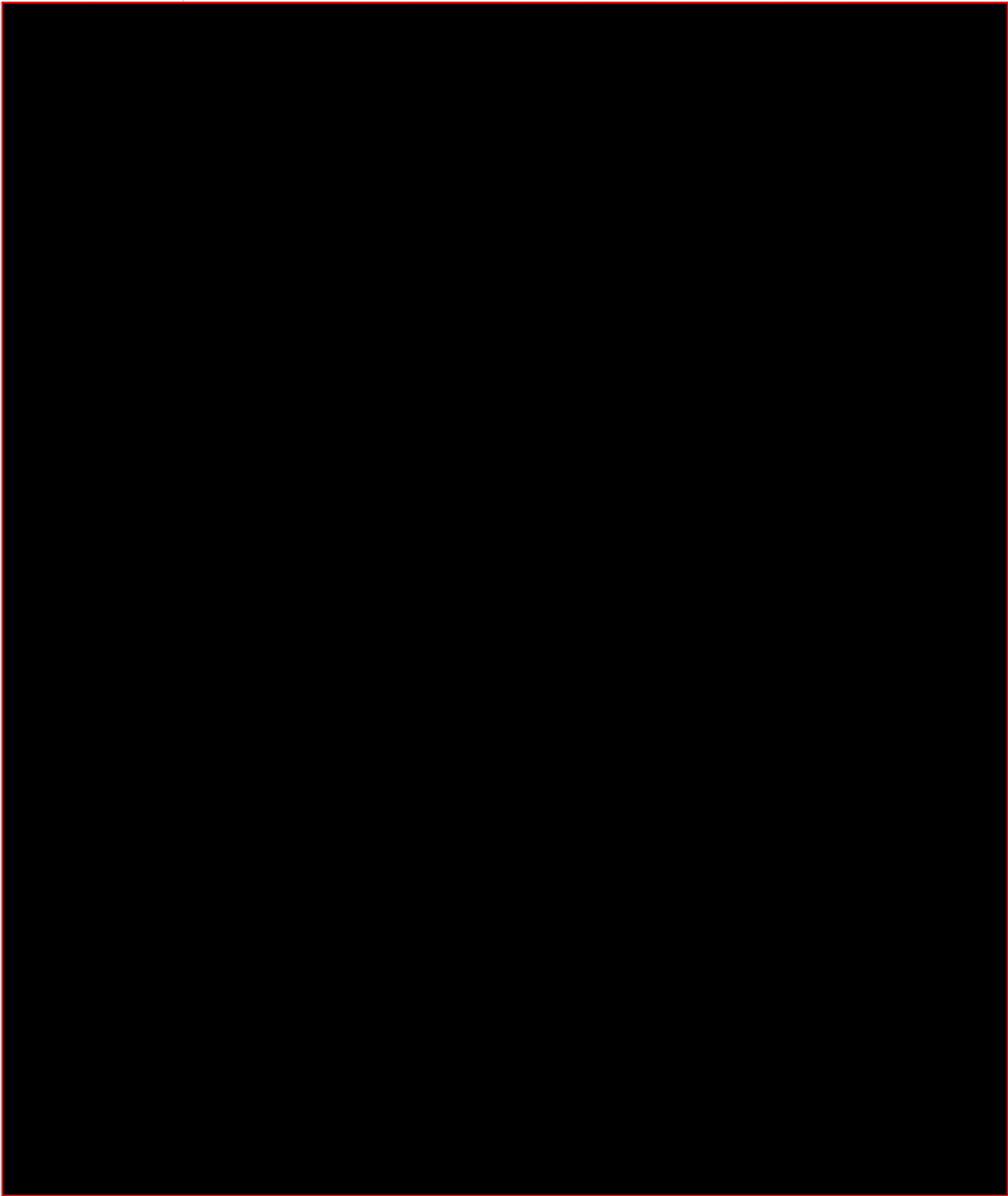
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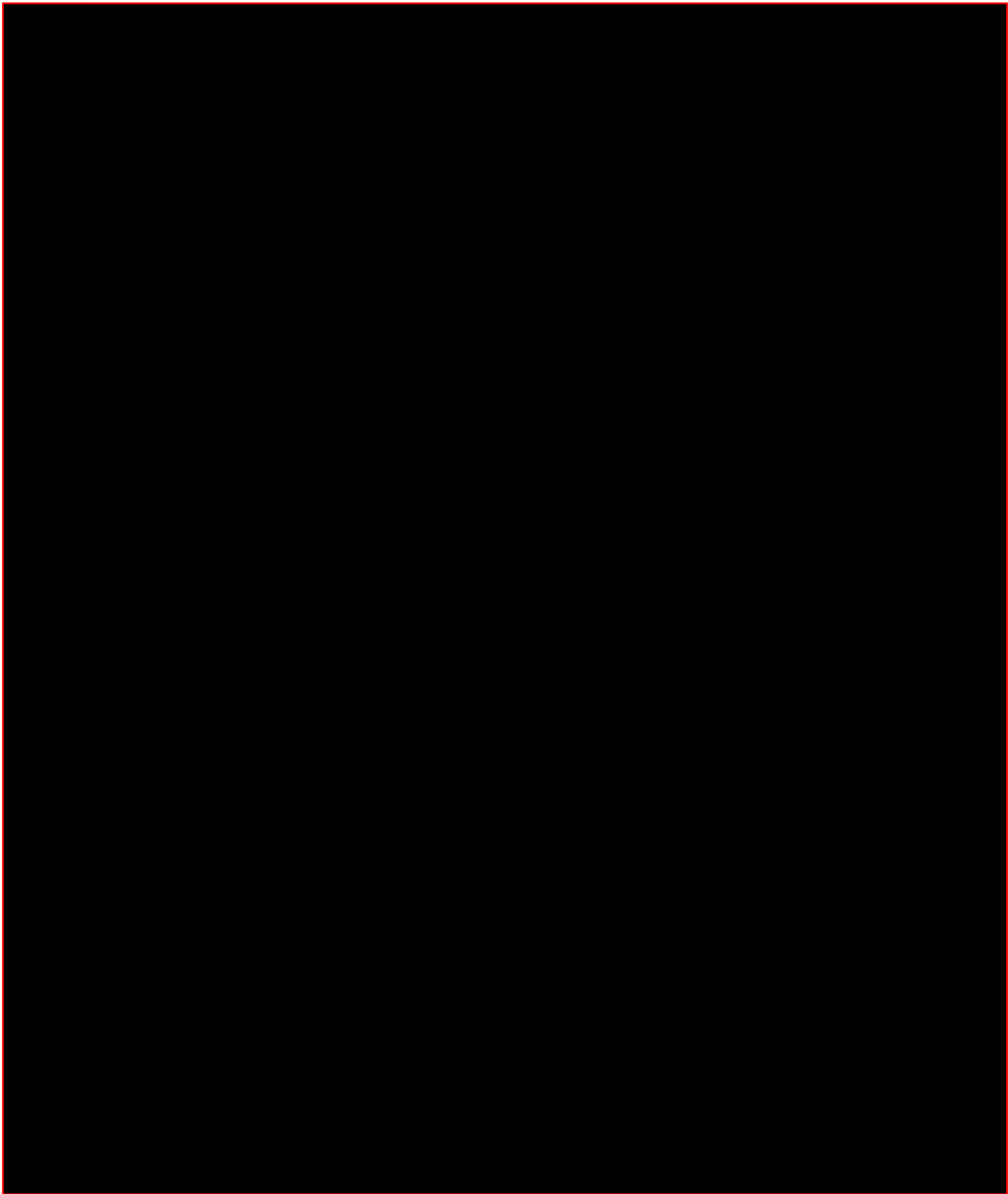


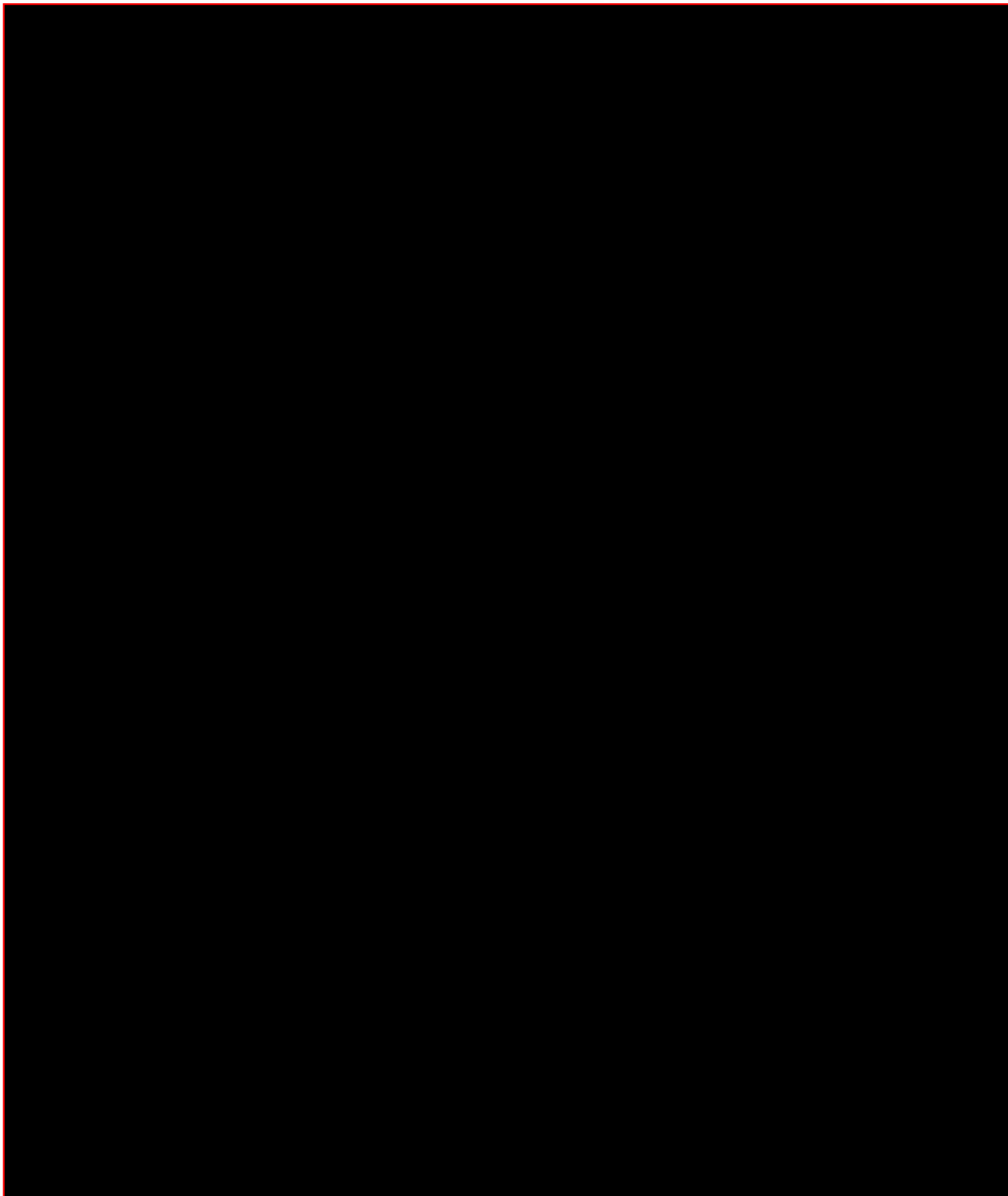
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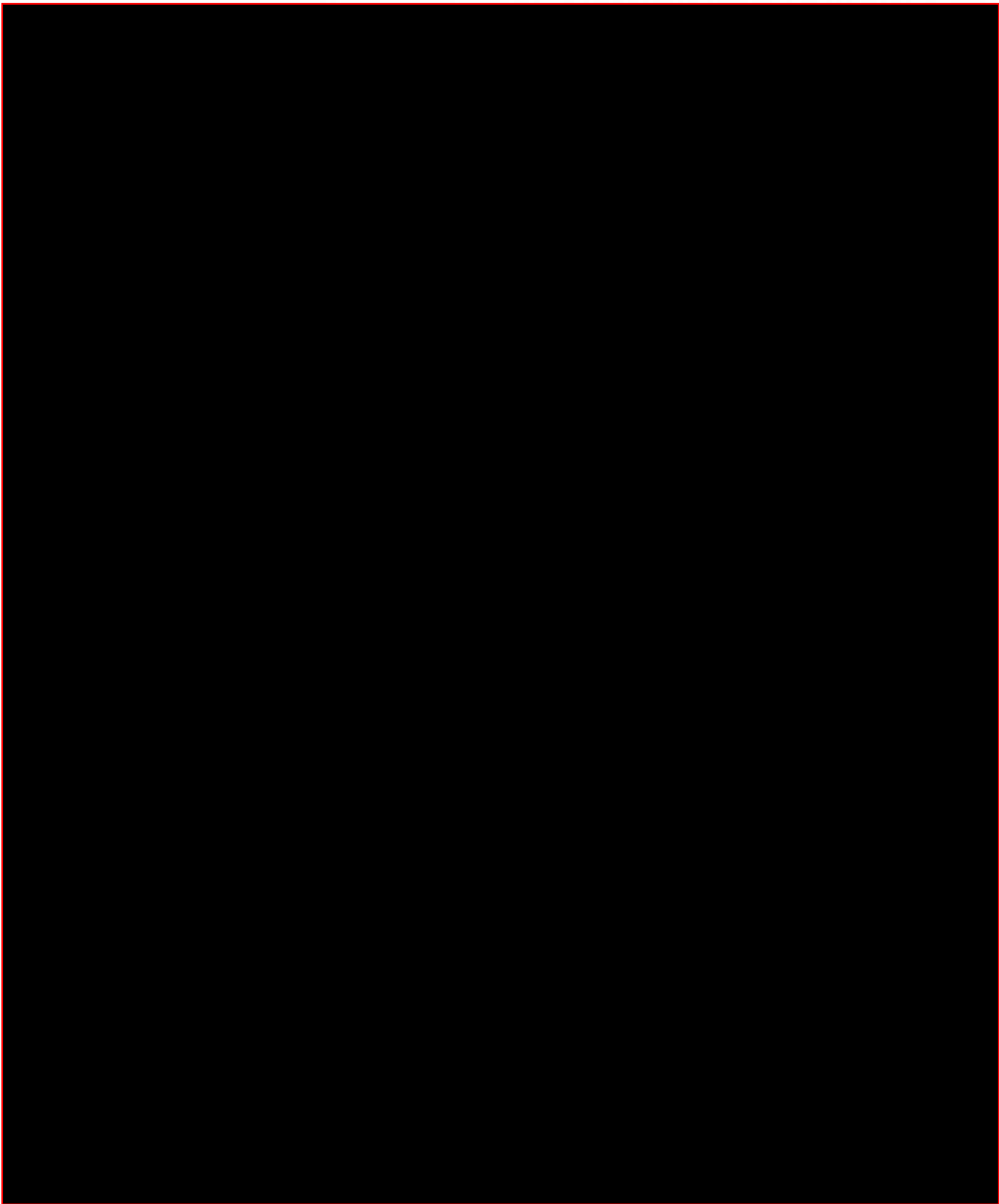




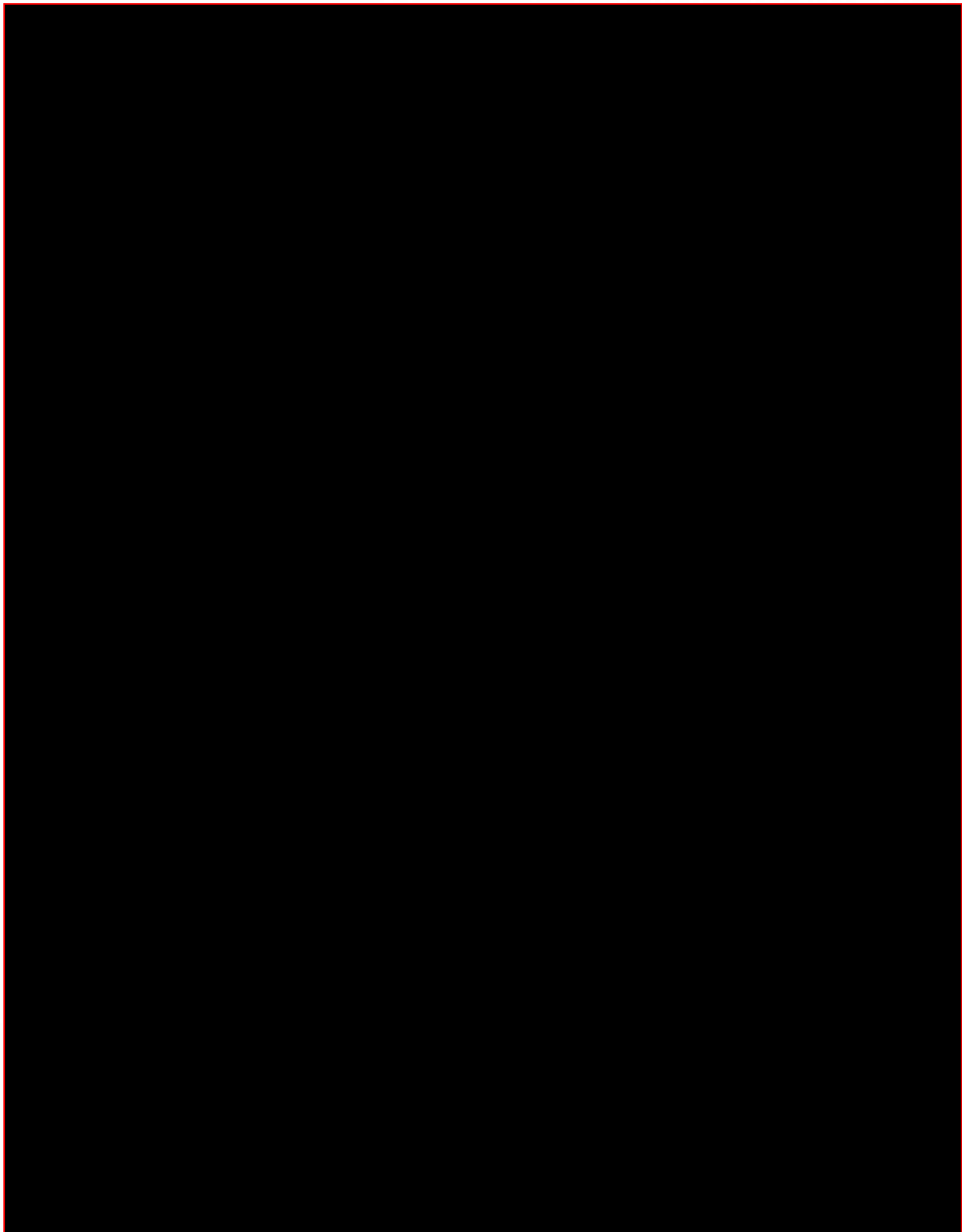












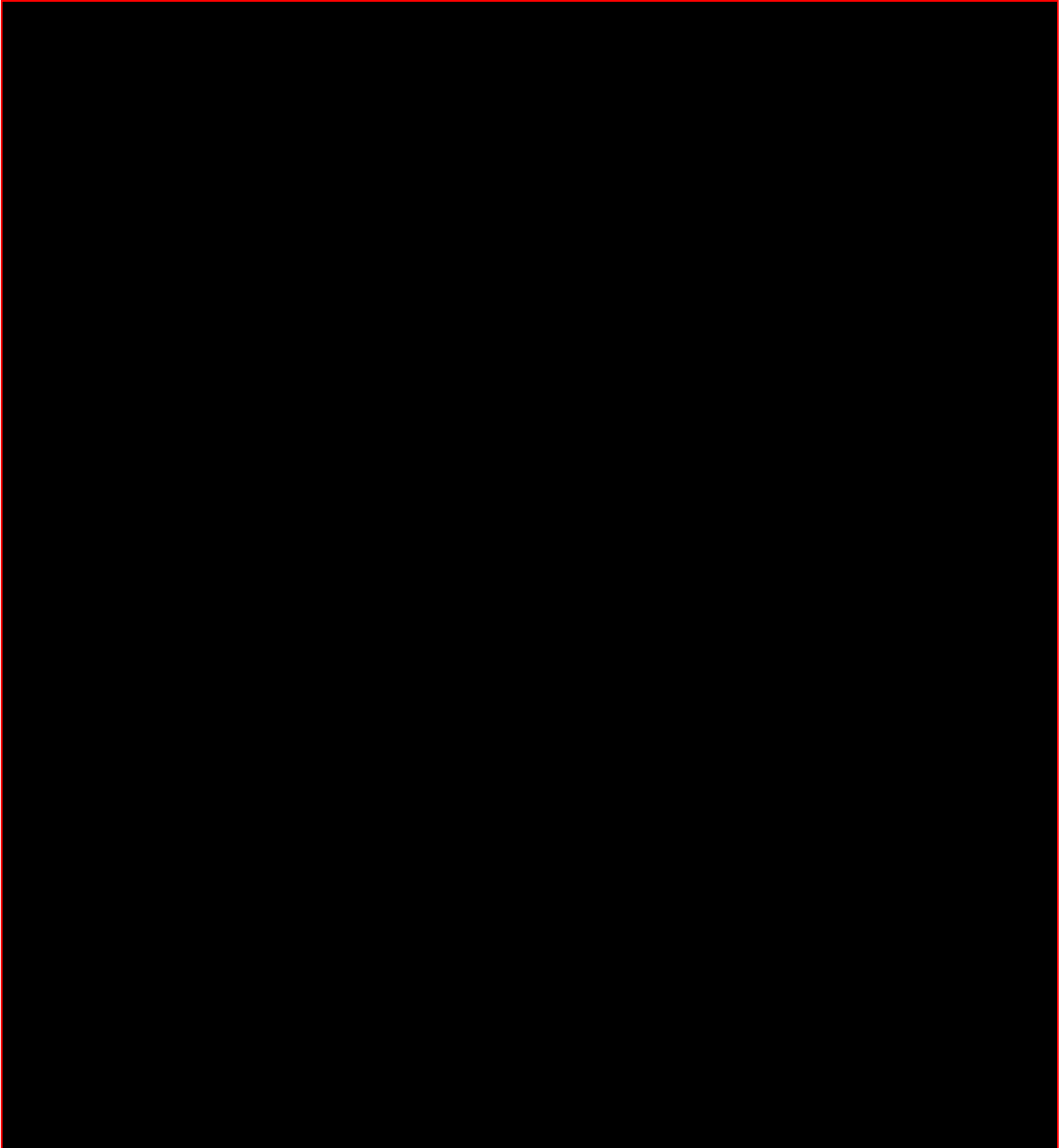


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