

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Awarding Contract No. 43-16-06, Bridge Deck Replacement and Rehabilitation in Lorain County

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly advertised according to law for bids upon a Contract for Bridge Deck Replacement and Rehabilitation at State Route 83 over the Ohio Turnpike at Milepost 150.5 in Lorain County, Ohio, herein designated **Contract No. 43-16-06** (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission received three bids via Bid Express for the performance of said Contract, and said bids have been reviewed and analyzed by the Commission's Chief Engineer, whose report concerning such analysis is before the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the amount of the bids received require expenditures under Contract No. 43-16-06 that will exceed \$150,000.00, and Commission action is necessary to approve the Contract in accordance with Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission's Bylaws; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Engineer reports that the lowest responsive and responsible bid for the performance of Contract No. 43-16-06 was submitted by **Kokosing Construction**, of **Columbus, Ohio**, in the amount of **\$1,248,794.45**, which bid he recommends be accepted by the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has been advised by the Director of Contracts Administration that bids for Contract No. 43-16-06 were solicited on the basis of the same terms and conditions and the same specifications, that the bid of Kokosing Construction for Contract No. 43-16-06 conforms to the requirements of Ohio Revised Code Sections 5537.07, 9.312 and 153.54, and that a performance bond with good and sufficient surety has been submitted by Kokosing Construction; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's Director of Contracts Administration has further advised that Kokosing Construction has made a good faith effort to allocate a percentage of the work to minority and/or disadvantaged businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's Executive Director has reviewed the reports of the Chief Engineer and the Director of Contracts Administration and, predicated upon such analysis, has made his recommendation to the Commission to award Contract No. 43-16-06 to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Kokosing Construction; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED by the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission that the bid of **Kokosing Construction** of **Columbus, Ohio**, in the amount of **\$1,248,794.45** for Contract No. 43-16-06 is approved as the lowest responsive and responsible bid received and the Executive Director is authorized to execute a Contract on the basis of said bid; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission hereby authorizes the Executive Director and the Chief Engineer to assign **Michael Baker International, Inc.**, of **Cleveland, Ohio**, to perform the necessary construction inspection and administration services and **CTL Engineering, Inc.**, of **Brunswick, Ohio**, to perform the necessary material testing services for the entire Project, with such assignments in accordance with the 2015-2016 Miscellaneous Engineering Services Agreement between the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission and each respective engineering firm; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director has the authority to approve such extra work or change orders under said contracts as a result of an increase in the planned quantities, newly mandated requirements that did not exist at the time of original contract awards, or circumstances that would create a life, safety, or health threatening situation or would unduly delay the completion of the Project or increase its costs.

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