OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

<u>Resolution Approving the Selection of Firelands Supply Company to Furnish</u></u> <u>Defined Quantities of Guardrail Materials for the Total Amount of \$219,525.00</u>

WHEREAS, the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission ("Commission") advertised Invitation to Bid No. 4322 to furnish defined quantities of various guardrail materials; and

WHEREAS, the Commission received one bid in response to the Invitation, and the Commission's Deputy Chief Engineer reviewed and analyzed the bid timely submitted and whose report concerning such analysis is before the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Deputy Chief Engineer reports that Firelands Supply Company, of Norwalk, Ohio, submitted the only bid to furnish the guardrail materials for \$219,525.00, based on the estimated quantities to be ordered by the Commission as set forth in the Invitation; and

WHEREAS, the Deputy Chief Engineer recommends that the Commission award a contract to Firelands Supply Company as the lowest responsible and responsive bidder based on its offer to deliver the materials in accordance with the Specifications and its history of satisfactorily supplying the Commission's requirements for guardrail materials under prior agreements; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Contracts Administration advises that the bids for Invitation No. 4322 were solicited on the basis of the same terms and conditions and the same specifications, and that the bid from Firelands Supply Company for Invitation to Bid No. 4322 conforms to the requirements of Ohio Revised Code Section 5537.07 and 9.312; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director has reviewed the reports of the Deputy Chief Engineer and the Director of Contracts Administration, and concurs with the recommendation to award the contract for Invitation to Bid No. 4322 to Firelands Supply Company as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder; and

WHEREAS, Commission action is requested to approve the contract in accordance with Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission's Code of Bylaws because the amount of the bid received will require an expenditure that exceeds \$150,000.00 to furnish the guardrail materials; 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 Firelands Supply Company to furnish guardrail materials under Invitation to Bid No. 4322 for the total amount of \$219,525.00 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 Executive Director has the authority to approve such extra work or change orders under said contracts that does not exceed the greater of the Executive Director's contracting authority or ten percent of the approved contract amount, and authorize such extra work or change orders under said contract as a result of an increase in necessary 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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