OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION

Resolution Authorizing the Executive Director to take Immediate Action Concerning Award of Contracts, CIP 55-90-03 and CIP 55-90-04

WHEREAS, the Commission is preparing to advertise for bids for the contracts providing for the construction of a portion of the toll interchange at Interstate Route 75 and the Ohio Turnpike, such contracts being designated and described as follows:

CIP 55-90-03

Interchange 4A; connecting ramps and structures from the toll plaza to Milepost 64.9 in Wood County, Ohio;

CIP 55-90-04

Construction of toll plaza facilities, Interchange 4A, Milepost 64.9 in Wood County, Ohio;

WHEREAS, it is imperative that the contract or contracts be awarded as soon as possible after the openings of bids so that the work to be performed under these projects be commenced as soon as possible;

WHEREAS, it is estimated that the cost of each contract will exceed the \$250,000 limit of authorization heretofore granted by the Commission to the executive director with respect to the awarding of such contracts;

WHEREAS, the Commission desires to delegate to the executive director authority to make award of these contracts for the performance of the work so that such awards may be made immediately as soon as appropriate;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that with respect to the award of Contracts CIP 55-90-03 and CIP 55-90-04, if, in the opinion of the executive director, the deputy executive director-chief engineer and the consulting engineer it is in the best interest of the Commission for awards to be made by the executive director in advance of any meeting of the Commission, the executive director hereby is authorized to award and enter into any contract and to take whatever other action, on behalf of the Commission, the executive director, with the approval of the deputy executive director-chief engineer and the consulting engineer, shall determine to be in the best interest of the Commission, notwithstanding any limitation imposed upon the authority of the executive director under any resolution heretofore adopted, provided that any award made and contract entered into pursuant to authority granted herein shall be approved by general counsel; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the executive director shall inform the Commission of the actions taken hereunder.

(Resolution No. 20-1989 adopted November 6, 1989)