OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION

Resolution Awarding Contracts for Disabled Vehicle Services

WHEREAS, the Commission has advertised for bids for Disabled Vehicle Service (DVS) contracts for the furnishing of emergency roadway vehicle services to patrons of the Ohio Turnpike whose vehicles become disabled on the Ohio Turnpike, within a specific disabled vehicle service zone;

WHEREAS, on September 4, 1997, the Commission received responses from a total nineteen companies who have expressed an interest in performing the above-mentioned services and said companies have completed the Commission's questionnaire, application and affidavit, which were included in the request for proposals;

WHEREAS, the Commission's staff reviewed the documents submitted and performed on-site reviews of each company; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's director of safety services, with the concurrence of the deputy executive director-operations and executive director has determined that the following companies best meet the Commission's requirements and recommend that DVS contracts be awarded to the following companies for the respective zones:

Zone	Boundaries	Company
DV-1	From Ohio-Ind. State line to Milepost 35.0	Hutch's Towing & Recovery, Inc. Montpelier, OH
DV-2	From Milepost 35.0 to Milepost 71.0	X-Press Auto & Truck Service, Swanton, OH
DV-3	From Milepost 71.0 to Milepost 110.0	Madison Motor Service, Inc., Fremont, OH
DV-4	From Milepost 110.0 to Milepost 144.0	Norman's Towing Berea, OH
DV-5	From Milepost 144.0 to Milepost 178.0	Rich's Towing & Service, Inc. Middleburg Hts, OH
DV-6	From Milepost 178.0 to Milepost 210.0	Rivers Garage Ravenna, OH
DV-7	From Milepost 210.0 to Ohio/PA state line	Jeswald Auto-Truck Service, Youngstown, OH

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the expenditures of the Commission for the furnishing of emergency roadway vehicle services under the Commission's request for proposals shall exceed \$500,000 and in accordance with Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission's Code of Bylaws, Commission action is necessary for the award of such contracts;

WHEREAS, to insure the quality of services provided under the DV contract, the contract documents provide for the incentive payment by the Commission of \$6,250.00 per month to each of the above-mentioned companies and further provides for a two-year term with an option for a further two-year period under certain criteria;

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the Commission hereby selects the above-mentioned companies as most qualified to perform the emergency roadway vehicle services required under the above-mentioned request for proposals and authorizes and directs the executive director and the general counsel to execute the Contract for Disabled-Vehicle Services, a copy of which is before the Commission, with each of the above-mentioned companies for the respective disabled vehicle zones, all in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Commission's Request for Proposals and its responses thereto.

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