

# OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

## **Resolution Authorizing the Purchase of Six (6) Malibu Midsize Sedans from Valley Chevrolet, Inc. in the Total Amount of \$177,270.00 Under the DAS Cooperative Purchasing Program**

WHEREAS, the Executive Director is authorized to participate in state contracts through the Ohio Department of Administrative Services (“DAS”) Cooperative Purchasing Program, through which members may purchase supplies, services, equipment and other materials in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 125.04; and

WHEREAS, the Maintenance Operations Engineer has determined that it is necessary to purchase new midsize sedans to be used for operating and maintaining the Ohio Turnpike and to replace existing vehicles that have reached the end of their viable economic life and recommend for disposal under the Commission’s Property Disposal Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Maintenance Operations Engineer recommends that the best equipment available to perform its operations is six (6) 2024 Chevrolet Malibu Midsize Sedans; and

WHEREAS, six (6) midsize sedans are available for acquisition through the DAS Cooperative Purchasing Program, under DAS Contract No. RS1010229 (Index No. GDC104, Item 2AA-1) from Valley Chevrolet of Wellington, Ohio in the total amount of \$177,270.00; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director and Chief Engineer concurs with the recommendation of the Maintenance Operations Engineer that the Commission approve the purchase of six (6) 2024 Chevrolet Malibu Midsize Sedans from Valley Chevrolet, Inc., under the DAS Cooperative Purchasing Program; and

WHEREAS, Commission action is necessary under Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission’s Code of Bylaws because the expenditure required to purchase the vehicles exceeds \$150,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, by the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission that the purchase of the six (6) midsize sedans through the DAS Cooperative Purchasing Program, under DAS Contract No. RS1010229 (Index No. GDC104, Item 2AA-1) from Valley Chevrolet of Wellington, Ohio in the total amount of \$177,270.00, is approved.

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