

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Awarding Contract No. 70-14-01, Embankment and Bridge Rehabilitation Project for Shannon, Werth and Township Line Road Approaches in Sandusky County

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly advertised, in accordance with law, an Invitation for Bids upon a Contract for Embankment and Bridge Rehabilitation Project for the Shannon Road Approaches at Milepost 93.0; the Werth Road Bridge and Approaches at Milepost 93.5; and the Township Line Road Approaches at Milepost 94.1 in Sandusky County, herein designated as **Contract No. 70-14-01**; and

WHEREAS, expenditures for the award to be made under Contract No. 70-14-01 will exceed \$150,000.00 and, therefore, in accordance with Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission's Code of Bylaws, Commission action is necessary for said Contract award; and

WHEREAS, the Commission received four bids 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 Chief Engineer reports that the lowest responsive and responsible bid for the performance of Contract No. 70-14-01 was submitted by **Kokosing Construction Company, Inc. ("Kokosing")**, of **Columbus, Ohio**, in the amount of **\$2,668,099.10**, which bid he recommends be accepted by the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has also been advised by the Director of Contracts Administration that bids for Contract No. 70-14-01 were solicited on the basis of the same terms and conditions and the same specifications, that the bid of Kokosing for said Contract 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; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director has reviewed the reports of the Chief Engineer and the Director of Contracts Administration and, predicated upon such analysis, concurs with the recommendation to award Contract No. 70-14-01 to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Kokosing Construction Company, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the bid of **Kokosing Construction Company, Inc.**, of **Columbus, Ohio**, in the amount of **\$2,668,099.10** for the performance of Contract No. 70-14-01 is, and is by the Commission, determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bid received for the performance of said Contract, and is accepted, and that the Chairperson and Executive Director, or either of them, hereby is authorized to: 1) execute a Contract with said successful bidder in the form heretofore prescribed by the Commission pursuant to the aforesaid bid, 2) direct the return to the non-winning bidders of their bid security, when appropriate, and 3) take any and all action necessary or proper to carry out the terms of said bid and of said Contract; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Commission hereby authorizes the Chief Engineer to assign **S&ME, Inc.**, of **Valley View, Ohio**, to Contract No. 70-14-01 for the purpose of performing construction inspection and materials testing, in accordance with the Agreement specific to this Project; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that Contract No. 70-14-01 is designated a System Project under the Commission's 2013 Master Trust Agreement.

(Resolution No. 20-2014 adopted March 24, 2014)