OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION

Resolution Awarding Contract No. 53-12-02 (RE-BID)

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly advertised, in accordance with law, an Invitation for Bids upon a Contract for Renovations at the Erie Islands and Commodore Perry Service Plazas, located at Milepost 100 in Sandusky County, herein designated as **Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid)**; and

WHEREAS, expenditures for the award to be made under Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) 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 two 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. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) was submitted by **RFC Contracting, Inc.** of **Strongsville**, **Ohio**, in the amount of **\$929,000.00**; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Engineer further reports that this bid is below the Engineer's Estimate and that this bidder has demonstrated sufficient capacity to perform this Contract, and he, therefore, recommends that this bid be accepted by the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has also been advised by the General Counsel that bids for Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) were solicited on the basis of the same terms, conditions and specifications, and that the bid of RFC Contracting, Inc. for Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) conforms to the requirements of Ohio Revised Code Sections 5537.07, 9.312 and 153.54, and that a Bid Guaranty and Contract Bond of good and sufficient surety has been submitted by RFC Contracting, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Executive Director has reviewed the reports of the Chief Engineer and the General Counsel and, predicated upon such analysis, concurs with the recommendation to award Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, RFC Contracting, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the bid of **RFC Contracting, Inc.** of **Strongsville**, **Ohio**, in the amount of **\$929,000.00** for the performance of Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) 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 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 Executive Director and the Chief Engineer to assign **Richard L. Bowen & Associates, Inc.** of **Cleveland, Ohio**, to Contract No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) for the purpose of performing construction administration and inspection services, with such assignment in accordance with the 2011-2012 Miscellaneous Engineering Services Agreement between the Ohio Turnpike Commission and said engineering firm; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that Project No. 53-12-02 (Re-Bid) is designated a Service Plaza Capital Improvement Project.

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