## **OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION**

## Resolution Awarding Contract No. 4201

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly advertised, in accordance with law, an Invitation for Bids upon a Contract for the furnishing of guardrail materials, herein designated **Contract No. 4201**; and

WHEREAS, expenditures for the award to be made under Contract No. 4201 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 Group I and four bids for the performance of Group II for said Invitation, 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 **Group I** under Contract No. 4201 was submitted by **Gregory Industries, Inc.**, of **Canton, Ohio**, in the amount of \$174,170.00; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Engineer reports that the lowest responsive and responsible bid for the performance of **Group II** under Contract No. 4201 was submitted by **R. G. Steel Corp.**, of **Pulaski, Pennsylvania**, in the amount of **\$4,875.00**; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Engineer further reports that both Gregory Industries and R.G. Steel Corp. propose to furnish materials in accordance with the specifications, that the amounts bid are below the estimated expenditures for both Groups, and both bidders have furnished similar materials to the Commission in the past and have performed satisfactorily; and he, therefore, recommends that a Contract be awarded to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder for Group I, **Gregory Industries**, in the amount of \$174,170.00 and to the lowest responsible and responsive bidder for Group II, **R. G. Steel Corp.**, in the amount of \$4,875.00; and

WHEREAS, the General Counsel has advised the Commission that both Gregory Industries and R.G. Steel Corp. qualify for consideration under the Commission's "Domestic and Ohio Preference" Policy; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has also been advised by the General Counsel that bids for Contract No. 4201 were solicited on the basis of the same terms and conditions and the same specifications, that the bids of both Gregory Industries and R. G. Steel Corp. for Contract No. 4201 conform to the requirements of Ohio Revised Code Sections 5537.07 and 9.312 and that a bid security in the form of a cashier's check has been submitted by both Gregory Industries and R. G. Steel Corp.; 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 the Contract for Group I of Invitation 4201 to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Gregory Industries, Inc. and award the Contract for Group II of Invitation 4201 to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, R. G. Steel Corp.; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered such recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the bids of **Gregory Industries, Inc.**, of **Canton, Ohio**, for **Group I** of Invitation No. 4201 in the amount of \$174,170.00, and of **R. G. Steel Corp.**, of **Pulaski, Pennsylvania**, for **Group II** of Invitation 4201 in the amount of \$4,875.00, for the performance of Contract No. 4201 are, and are by the Commission, determined to be the lowest responsive and responsible bids received for the performance of said Contracts, and are accepted, and that the Executive Director and the General Counsel, 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.

(Resolution No. 39-2013 adopted June 17, 2013)