

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Rejecting the Bid Received for Contract No. 43-14-08, Bridge Deck Repair and Rehabilitation of Bridge Over the Norfolk and Southern Railroad in Lorain County

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly advertised according to law an invitation for bids upon a Contract for Bridge Deck Repair and Rehabilitation on the Ohio Turnpike over the Norfolk and Southern Railroad at Milepost 147.9 in Lorain County, Ohio, herein designated **Contract No. 43-14-08**; and

WHEREAS, the Commission received one bid for the performance of said Contract from **BECDIR Construction Company**, of **Berlin Center, Ohio**; and

WHEREAS, the bid has been reviewed and analyzed by the Commission's Chief Engineer, whose report concerning said analysis is before the Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's Chief Engineer reports that the bid received from BECDIR Construction Company in the amount **\$1,866,672.00** was nearly ten percent over the Engineer's estimate, and he is of the opinion that consideration should be given to re-packaging the Specifications for this Invitation with a scheduled 2015 base replacement project in that area of the Turnpike, and he, therefore, recommends that the lone bid received be rejected; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's Director of Contracts Administration has submitted a report advising the Commission that, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 5537.07(A) and the Bidding Documents for Contract No. 43-14-08, the Commission has expressly reserved the right to reject any and all bids; and

WHEREAS, predicated upon the analysis of the reports submitted by both the Chief Engineer and the Director of Contracts Administration, the Executive Director concurs with their recommendation the lone bid be rejected and that consideration should be given to re-packaging the Specifications for the project with a scheduled 2015 base replacement project in that area of the Turnpike; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered said recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED that the above-mentioned bid heretofore received pursuant to the advertisement for bids upon Contract No. 43-14-08, be and the same hereby is rejected, and the Director of Contracts Administration is authorized to notify **BECDIR Construction Company**, of **Berlin Center, Ohio**, in writing of said action, and to return to the bidder its bid security; and

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Engineer and Director of Contracts Administration hereby are authorized to take any and all action necessary, at the appropriate time, to consider and evaluate re-packaging the work to be performed under Contract No. 43-14-08 with a 2015 base replacement project scheduled in that area of the Turnpike.

(Resolution No. 43-2014 adopted July 21, 2014)