

OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Resolution Rejecting the Bid Received on Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03 for the Great Lakes and Towpath Service Plazas Fuel Piping and Containment Replacement Project located at Milepost 170.1 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio

WHEREAS, the Commission has advertised an invitation for bids on a Contract for the Fuel Piping and Containment Replacement Project at the Great Lakes and Towpath Service Plazas located at Milepost 170.1 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio, designated as **Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03**; and

WHEREAS, the Commission received one bid via Bid Express for the performance of the Contract from **Lawrence Building Corp.**, of **Fort Wayne, Indiana**; and

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

WHEREAS, the Commission's Chief Engineer reports that the bid received from Lawrence Building Corp., in the amount of **\$1,968,472.00**, is more than ten percent over the Engineer's Estimate, and, therefore, recommends that the bid be rejected; and

WHEREAS, the Commission's Director of Contracts Administration has submitted a report advising the Commission that, pursuant to the Bidding Documents on Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03 and Ohio Revised Code Section 5537.07(A), the Commission has expressly reserved the right to reject any and all bids, and that, pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 153.10, the Commission is required to reject any and all bids that exceed the Engineer's Estimate by more than ten percent; and

WHEREAS, inasmuch as the value of Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03 is in excess of \$150,000.00, pursuant to Article V, Section 1.00 of the Commission's Code of Bylaws, Commission action is requested for the rejection of the bid on the Contract; and

WHEREAS, based on the reports submitted by both the Chief Engineer and the Director of Contracts Administration, the Executive Director concurs with their recommendation that the lone bid on Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03 be rejected; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has duly considered said recommendations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED by the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission, that the bid received from **Lawrence Building Corp.**, of **Fort Wayne, Indiana**, based on the advertisement for bids on Contract No. 53-15-02 and 53-15-03, is rejected.

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