

RESOLUTION NO. 1980- 281

DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AND AUTHORIZING  
THE GENERAL MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AN  
INTERIM AGREEMENT FOR THE CLEANING OF  
PASSENGER SHELTERS AND AUTHORIZING  
ADVERTISING FOR COMPETITIVE BIDS FOR  
SHELTER CLEANING

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees, acting pursuant to Resolution No. 1978-60, entered into an agreement on March 17, 1978 with City Shelters of Cleveland, Inc., for the purpose of cleaning passenger shelters and conducting advertising services thereon; and

WHEREAS, since August 1, 1980, City Shelters of Cleveland, Inc., has failed to fulfill its contractual obligation to clean said shelters on a weekly basis; and

WHEREAS, RTA has been informed by a representative of City Shelters of Cleveland, Inc., that the required cleaning services cannot be completed in accordance with the contract's provisions; and

WHEREAS, failure to clean these passenger shelters has created a real and present emergency, endangering the citizens of the Greater Cleveland area due to litter and vandalism, which damages these shelters and may result in injuries and litigation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That by virtue of the failure of City Shelters of Cleveland, Inc., to clean the Authority's passenger shelters in accordance with its agreement of March 17, 1978, a real and present emergency exists due to damage to the Authority's passenger shelters and the threat of litigation.

Section 2. That, due to the existing emergency, the General Manager be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to enter into an interim agreement with the lowest and the best qualified contractor for the cleaning of the Authority's passenger shelters. The term of said agreement shall be only so long as necessary to permit the solicitation and review of bids for a permanent agreement.

Section 3. That the Department of Procurement is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for competitive bids for the cleaning of the Authority's passenger shelters.

Section 4. That this Resolution take effect immediately upon its adoption by the Board of Trustees.

Adopted: August 5, 1980

*Harry Alexander*  
President

Attest: *William C. Lehman*  
Secretary-Treasurer