RESOLUTION NO. 1997-176

AUTHORIZING CONTRACT NO. 97132 WITH ABRAMO CONSTRUCTION, INC. FOR PROJECT 18R, WESTGATE TRANSIT CENTER, PHASE I - CONSTRUCTION - \$129,800.00 CAPITAL GRANT OH-90-X222 (\$103,840.00 IN FEDERAL FUNDS WHICH REPRESENTS 80% OF THE TOTAL).

WHEREAS, the bid of Abramo Construction, Incorporated located at 9560 York Alpha Road, North Royalton, Ohio 44133 was received on October 7, 1997 in the amount of one hundred twenty nine thousand eight hundred & 00/100 dollars (\$129,800.00) for Project 18R - Westgate Transit Center, Phase I, Construction; and

WHEREAS, the General Manager deems the bid of Abramo Construction, Incorporated to be the lowest responsive bid from a responsible bidder and recommends acceptance thereof by the Board of Trustees.

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

Section 1. That the bid of Abramo Construction, Incorporated for the provision of construction services for the Westgate Transit Center, Phase I, Project 18R be and the same is hereby accepted as the lowest responsive bid from a responsible bidder.

Section 2. That the General Manager of the Authority be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Abramo Construction, Incorporated to provide construction services for the Westgate Transit Center, Phase I, Project 18R.

Section 3. That said contract shall be payable from RTA Capital Grant OH-90-X222 in the amount of one hundred twenty nine thousand eight hundred & 00/100 dollars (\$129,800.00)

Section 4. That said contract shall be binding upon and an obligation of the Authority contingent upon compliance by the contractor to the Specification and Addenda, if any; the Affirmative Action Plan adopted by the Board of Trustees in Resolution 1996-123; bonding and insurance requirements and all applicable laws relating to the contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section 5. This authorization is contingent upon approval of Capital Grant OH-90-X222, by the Federal Transit Administration.

General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer

Section 6. This resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted:	October 21	, 1997	
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Attact:	med The	President	