## AUTHORIZING AWARD OF CONTRACT 97114 TO ORION CONSULTING INC. FOR CONDUCTING A SKILLS/NEEDS ASSESSMENT FOR THE AUTHORITY'S MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$80,900.00 CAPITAL GRANT OH-03-4002 (\$64,720.00 IN FEDERAL FUNDS WHICH REPRESENTS 80% OF THE COST)

WHEREAS, the proposal of Orion Consulting Inc. located at 1301 East Ninth Street, Cleveland, Ohio 44114 for the performance of an assessment of the Authority's maintenance employees skills and training needs, was received on September 5, 1997 and,

WHEREAS, after evaluation, the proposal of Orion Consulting Inc., as negotiated, is deemed to be the most advantageous to the Authority, cost and all other factors considered, and the General Manager 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 General Manager of the Authority be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Orion Consulting Inc. for the performance of a skills /needs analysis of the Authority's maintenance employees.

Section 2. That said contract shall be payable out of Capital Grant OH- 03-4002 in an amount not to exceed eighty thousand nine hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$80,900.00).

Section 3. That the terms of such contract shall be consistent with the proposal of Orion Consulting Inc. as modified by negotiation.

Section 4. That said contract shall be binding upon and an obligation of the Authority contingent upon compliance by the contractor with the Specifications and Addenda thereto, 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 contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section 4. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

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