

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-33

AUTHORIZING CONTRACT NO. 2005-165 WITH DOAN/ PYRAMID LLC FOR THE ECTP SYSTEM WIDE TRAFFIC SIGNALS, COMMUNICATIONS AND LIGHTING - PROJECT 38-C05B IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$13,655,293.38 (RTA DEVELOPMENT FUND - EUCLID CORRIDOR TRANSPORTATION PROJECT DEPARTMENT BUDGET)

WHEREAS, the Euclid Corridor Transportation Project (ECTP), as defined, includes C05B, the System Wide Traffic Signals, Communication and Lighting, and

WHEREAS, the bid of Doan Pyramid LLC, located at 5069 Corbin Drive, Bedford Heights, Ohio 44128 for the System Wide Traffic Signals, Communications, and Lighting was received on February 13, 2006 in an amount not to exceed \$ 13,655,293.38; and

WHEREAS, the General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer deems the bid of Doan/Pyramid LLC to be the lowest responsive bid from a responsible bidder for said work 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 Doan/Pyramid LLC, for the ECTP System Wide Traffic Signals, Communications and Lighting, Project 38-C05B, be and the same is hereby accepted as the lowest responsive bid from a responsible bidder.

Section 2. That the General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer of the Authority be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Doan/Pyramid LLC. for the System Wide Traffic signals, Communications and Lighting, Project 38-C05B.

Section 3. That said contract shall be payable from the RTA Development Fund - Euclid Corridor Transportation Project budget, including but not limited to Capital Grant OH-90-X531 in the amount of \$9,740,000.00 and ODOT Non-FFGA funding in an amount of \$3,915,293.38 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$13,655,293.38 (\$10,924,234.70 in Federal funds which represents 80% of the total cost). These Federal funds are provided by the Ohio Department of Transportation through both FTA and ODOT grants. This award is contingent upon FTA approval and release of Federal funds for this contract.

Section 4. That said contract shall be binding upon and an obligation of the Authority contingent upon availability of Federal funds, compliance by the contractor to the Specifications and Addenda; if any; the Affirmative Action Plan adopted by the Board of Trustees in Resolution 2005-051; bonding and insurance requirements; and all applicable Federal regulations, requirements and laws relating to the contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section 5. That the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority's Board of Trustees expects that Doan/Pyramid will exceed the 4% minimum DBE goal assigned to this procurement.

Section 6. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted: February 21, 2006

President

Attest: _____
CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer



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	Date: February 16, 2006
	Initiator: Euclid Corridor Transportation Project
ACTION REQUEST: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Approval <input type="checkbox"/> Review/Comment <input type="checkbox"/> Information Only <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

- 1.0 PURPOSE/SCOPE: This action will allow the Authority to enter into a contract for the ECTP System Wide Traffic Signals, Communications and Lighting, Project 38-C05B,
- 2.0 DESCRIPTION/JUSTIFICATION: Project 38-C05B is for the improvement System Wide of the Traffic Signals, Communications, and Lighting along Euclid Avenue. These improvements will allow for the smooth operation of vehicles when the Euclid Corridor Transportation Project (ECTP) becomes operational. This is the fourth of seven construction contracts that is needed to complete the Euclid Corridor Transportation Project.
- 3.0 PROCUREMENT BACKGROUND: This solicitation was posted on the GCRTA Procurement website and advertised in the local newspapers. Invitations for bids were issued to a total of twenty-six (26) prospective bidders. Three (3) bids were received on December 20, 2005, as follows:

Doan/Pyramid. 5069 Corbin Drive. Bedford Heights, Ohio 44128	\$13,655,293.38
Miller Cable Company. 210 S. Broadway Green Springs, Ohio 44836	\$15,207,581.00 *
AT&T 45 Erieview Plaza Cleveland, Ohio 44114	\$678,315.24**

*Exceeds Engineer's estimate of \$12,430,635.00 by more than 10%
 ** Equipment only

The Basis of Award is the lowest responsive bid received from a responsible bidder.

Doan/Pyramid has participated as a contractor on large projects, such as Cleveland Hopkins Runway expansion, Chiller plant at Cleveland Clinic, and RTA Triskett Garage. The Project Manager indicated their performance was satisfactory.

The Procurement Department performed a price analysis and the \$13,655,293.38 bid submitted by the Doan/Pyramid LLC Company is considered fair and reasonable.

4.0 AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/DBE BACKGROUND: All Affirmative Action requirements have been met. A 4% DBE goal was established for this procurement. Doan/Pyramid LLC has committed to achieve the goal through utilization of the following DBE firm(s):

DBE(s)	DBE Category	Scope of Work	Dollar Value of Work	Percent
McTech Corp. Cleveland, OH	African American Male	Concrete and General Trades	\$320,000	2.3%
North Electric, Inc. Bay Village, OH	Hispanic Male	Electrical	\$230,000	1.7%
		Total DBE Participation	\$550,000	4.0%

5.0 POLICY IMPACT: Does not apply.

6.0 ECONOMIC IMPACT: This procurement will be funded from the RTA Development Fund, Euclid Corridor Transportation Project budget including but not limited to Capital Grants OH-90-X531, line item 13.23.01, in the amount of \$9,740,000.00 and ODOT Non-FFGA funding in the amount of \$3,915,293.38 for a total contract amount not to exceed \$13,655,293.38 (\$10,924,234.70 in Federal funds which represents 80% of the total cost). These Federal funds are provided by the Ohio Department of Transportation through both FTA and ODOT grants. This award is contingent upon FTA approval and release of Federal funds for this contract. The bid price of \$13,655,293.38 is \$1,224,658.38 (9.85%) higher than the Engineer's Estimate and \$18,406.62 (1%) lower than the budgeted amount of \$13,673,700.00.

7.0 ALTERNATIVES: Reject this bid. Rejection of this award will delay construction for the Euclid Corridor Transportation Project and delay improvement of service to Authority customers.

8.0 RECOMMENDATION: This project was discussed at the February 7, 2006 Planning and Development Committee meeting. It is recommended that the bid of Doan/Pyramid LLC. be accepted and the resolution passed authorizing the General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer to enter into a contract.

9.0 ATTACHMENTS: None.

Recommended and certified as appropriate to the availability of funds, legal form and conformance with the Procurement requirements.

CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer