

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-48

AUTHORIZING CONTRACT NO. 2017-058 WITH ECLIPSE CO., LLC FOR PROJECT 24K(c) – CARNEGIE AVE./MLK JR. DR. INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS, AS SPECIFIED AND AS REQUIRED, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$297,166.00 (RTA DEVELOPMENT FUND, ENGINEERING & PROJECT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT BUDGET)

WHEREAS, the Authority deems it necessary to acquire construction services, as provided under 24K(c) – Carnegie Ave./MLK Jr. Dr. Intersection Improvements; and

WHEREAS, the bid of Eclipse Co., LLC, located at 11554 East Washington Street, Chagrin Falls, Ohio 44023, was received on June 29, 2017 in an amount not to exceed \$297,166.00 to perform said services; and

WHEREAS, the CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer deems the bid of Eclipse Co., LLC to be a 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 Eclipse Co., LLC for 24K(c) – Carnegie Ave./MLK Jr. Dr. Intersection Improvements, be and the same is hereby accepted.

Section 2. That the CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer of the Authority be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with Eclipse Co., LLC, Inc. for Project 24K(c) – Carnegie Ave./MLK Jr. Dr. Intersection Improvements.

Section 3. This procurement shall be payable through the RTA Development Fund, Engineering & Project Development Department budget, including, but not limited to, Capital Grant OH-79-0001, in an amount of \$204,497.63 and 100% Local Funds in an amount of \$92,668.37 for a total contract not to exceed \$297,166.0. Per Sub-Agreement with NEORS, there will be reimbursement of up to \$127,900.00 upon project completion (\$163,598.10 in Federal funds which represents 55% of the total cost).

Section 4. That said contract shall be binding upon and an obligation of the Authority contingent upon future funding, compliance by the contractor to the Specifications and Addenda, thereto, if any; the Affirmative Action Plan adopted by the Board of Trustees in Resolution 2015-76; bonding and insurance requirements; and all applicable laws relating to the contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section 5. That the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority's Board of Trustees expects that Eclipse Co., LLC will attempt to exceed the 20% minimum DBE goal assigned to this procurement.

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

Adopted: July 18, 2017

  
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President

Attest:   
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CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer



Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority  
**STAFF SUMMARY AND COMMENTS**

<b>TITLE/DESCRIPTION:</b> <b>CONTRACT:</b> PROJECT 24K(c) – CARNEGIE AVE./MLK JR. DR. INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS  <b>VENDOR:</b> ECLIPSE CO., LLC  <b>AMOUNT:</b> \$297,166.00	<b>Resolution No.:</b> 2017-48
	<b>Date:</b> July 13, 2017
	<b>Initiator:</b> Engineering & Project Development
<b>ACTION REQUEST:</b> <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 to provide construction services for Project 24K(c) – Carnegie Ave./MLK Jr. Dr. Intersection Improvements.
- 2.0 **DESCRIPTION/JUSTIFICATION:** The work to be performed under this project consists of intersection enhancements through removal and enlargement of an existing traffic island, curb realignment, construction of a bio-retention cell and new drainage structures, landscaping, concrete flatwork and traffic signal work.
- 3.0 **PROCUREMENT BACKGROUND:** The Invitation for Bid (IFB) was posted on the GCRTA Procurement website and advertised in the local newspapers. Ten interested parties, including potential subcontractors, downloaded the solicitation package. Four responsive bids were received and opened on June 29, 2017, as follows:

Company Name	Total Base Bid
Eclipse Co., LLC	\$297,166.00
S.E.T., Inc.	\$301,979.00
Perk Company, Inc.	\$312,875.00
F. Buddie Contracting, Ltd	\$334,650.00

The Basis of Award is the lowest responsive and responsible bid for the Total Base Bid price. The Total Base Bid price of \$297,166.00 from Eclipse Co., LLC is 4.06% lower than the Engineer's Estimate of \$309,742.00. Eclipse Co., LLC was determined to be a responsible bidder.

- 4.0 **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION/DBE BACKGROUND:** All Affirmative Action requirements have been met. A DBE goal of 20% was established for this procurement. The prime contractor is Eclipse Co., LLC a certified DBE (Female-owned) firm fulfilling the DBE participation goal established for the contract.
- 5.0 **POLICY IMPACT:** Does not apply.
- 6.0 **ECONOMIC IMPACT:** This procurement shall be payable through the RTA Development Fund, Engineering & Project Development Department budget, including but not limited to, Capital Grant OH-79-0001, in an amount of \$204,497.63 and 100% Local Funds in an amount of \$92,668.37, for a total contract not to exceed \$297,166.00. Per Sub-Agreement with NEORSD, there will be re-imburement of up to \$127,900.00 upon project completion (\$163,598.10 in Federal funds which represents 55% of the total cost).

- 7.0 ALTERNATIVES: Reject this offer. Rejection of this offer will prevent making the complex intersection, adjacent to the Cedar-University Rapid Station at Carnegie Avenue and Martin Luther King Junior Drive, safer for pedestrian traffic.
- 8.0 RECOMMENDATION: It is recommended that the bid of Eclipse Co., LLC be accepted and the resolution passed authorizing the CEO, 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.



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CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer