

AGENDA

Board Meeting NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE AUTHORITY November 19, 2013

James S. Simpson, Chairman

Veronique Hakim, Executive Director

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November 19, 2013

(Tuesday)

9:30 A.M.

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PUBLIC COMMENT

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

ADJOURNMENT

HUMAN RESOURCES

410-11-2013 Roster/Confirmation of Personnel Matters

LAW

411-11-2013 Request for Authorization to Reincorporate Various Surplus Property Parcels into the New Jersey Turnpike Right-of-Way

During a recent review of the Authority's surplus property inventory it was determined that various parcels previously deemed surplus are now needed for the New Jersey Turnpike right-of-way (ROW) as a result of various projects, including the Interchange 6 to 9 Widening Program. This agenda item seeks authorization to reincorporate the listed parcels into the Turnpike ROW.

412-11-2013 Not Used

413-11-2013 <u>Authorization to extend for two and one half (2-1/2) months the insurance</u> agreement for the Authority's Public Officials and Employment Practices insurance

Account No.: 10-893-441040 Amount: \$72,504.00

The Authority maintains Public Officials and Employment Practices Insurance, which is due to expire on December 31, 2013. The Authority's broker, Willis of New Jersey, has recommended that the Authority extend the current policy for two and one half months to expire on March 15, 2014.

414-11-2013 Authorization to Settle Litigation in the Matter of Fiseha v. NJTA, et. als.

Account No.: 010-893-441020

Amount: \$550,000.00

This litigation is a personal injury action in which a motor vehicle operated by a New Jersey State Trooper struck a pedestrian (the "Plaintiff) who was walking northbound on the Bloomfield Station Police Access Road on his way to work at a Lukoil gas station. Outside counsel, as well as the Authority's third party claims administrator Inservco, have reviewed this matter and recommend that the Authority seek a settlement. Outside counsel negotiated a settlement of \$550,000.00.

415-11-2013 Not Used

416-11-2013 <u>Authorization to Settle Litigation in the Matter of French v. Trooper J.T. Squire-Tibbs, et als.</u>

Account No.: 010-893-441020

Amount: \$85,000.00

The Plaintiff alleges that the New Jersey State Trooper is liable for the injuries he sustained when the Trooper was subduing him post-arrest. Outside counsel and the Law Department have reviewed this matter and recommend that the Authority seek a settlement. Outside counsel negotiated a settlement of \$85,000.

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417-11-2013 <u>Authorization to Settle Litigation in the Matter of Trejo, Stolarski v. NJTA, NJSP, et.</u> als.

Amount: \$92,500.00 (to be received by Authority)

This litigation involves multiple motorcycle accidents that resulted in one fatality and one seriously injured motorcyclist on a portion of the GSP which was under construction. Under the settlement, one of the defendant subcontractors involved in the construction will pay \$3.5 million to the plaintiffs to settle all claims. Neither the Authority nor State Police will pay any amount to plaintiffs. Two other contractors will reimburse the Authority a total of \$92,500 in attorneys' fees pursuant to indemnification clauses in their contracts with the Authority.

418-11-2013 <u>Authorization to Settle Formal Workers' Compensation Matter – Suzanne Dossantos</u>

v. New Jersey Turnpike Authority

Account: 10-870-405070 Amount: \$158,604.00

419-11-2013 Authorization to Settle Formal Workers' Compensation Matter - Teresa Blue v. NJTA

Account: 10-870-405070 Amount: \$44,445.00

ENGINEERING

COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENTS

A. <u>ORDER FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (OPS)</u>

420-11-2013 Recommendation to Issue Order for Professional Services No. P3477

Garden State Parkway

TransSystems Corporation

Design Services for Contract No. P100.317 - Bridge Repairs and Resurfacing, Milepost 126 to 172

Maintenance Reserve Fund No. 03020001

Funding allocation:

Funding Year 2014: \$ 800,000.00 Funding Year 2015: \$ 195,000.00 Amount: \$ 995,000.00

This OPS will provide for the inspection, condition evaluation and preparation of contract documents for the annual bridge repair contract for Bridge Repairs and Resurfacing on the northern sector of the Parkway.

421-11-2013 Recommendation to Issue Order for Professional Services No. T3487

BEM Systems, Inc.

Environmental Engineering Consultant

Order for Professional Services No. T3487

Environmental Compliance Activities at the Clara Barton Service Area 1S, John Fenwick Service Area 1N, Walt Whitman Service Area 3S, and James Fenimore Cooper Service Area 4N

Non-departmental Operating: 010-00-892-446050 (SBE Set-Aside)

Amount: \$617,318.00

The Authority requires the professional services of an environmental engineering Consultant to provide operation, maintenance and compliance monitoring of groundwater remediation activities, groundwater compliance monitoring and reporting, and necessary remedial investigations/actions at the above referenced service areas on the New Jersey Turnpike in accordance with current New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection regulations.

The scope also includes remedial investigations and remedial actions as may be needed to further enhance and ensure the most effective remediation of the sites. The solicitation is for a two (2) year term.

NON-COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENTS

B. MISCELLANEOUS

422-11-2013 Request for Authorization to Enter into Agreement No. 84-13

Garden State Parkway

New Jersey Department of Transportation and Cape May County

Cost Reimbursement Agreement Associated with the Removal of the Beesley's Point Bridge's Navigation Channel Spans

Supplemental Capital Fund No. 08027025

Amount: \$3,000,000.00

Request for authorization for the Executive Director to enter into a cost reimbursement agreement with the New Jersey Department of Transportation (NJDOT) and Cape May County (County) in an amount not to exceed \$3 million to reimburse the Authority for certain costs to be incurred by the Authority for the demolition of the County's Beesley's Point Bridge's navigation spans. The agreement will provide a vehicle for NJDOT to provide funds for the demolition to the County and for the County to transfer the funds to the Authority. The demolition will be performed under the Authority's Contract No. P100.251, Replacement of Structure Nos. 28.0S and 28.5S, Milepost 27.0 to 28.8.

423-11-2013 Request for Authorization to Enter into Agreement No. 86-13

New Jersey Turnpike and the City of Linden

Maintenance and Jurisdictional Agreement of Wood Avenue and Grasselli Road

Amount: \$0

Request for Authorization for the Executive Director to enter into an agreement with the City of Linden relating to the maintenance and jurisdiction of prior improvements to Wood Avenue and Grasselli Road, which agreement shall include the transfer of parcels currently owned by the Authority to the City to be used as public right of way at no cost.

424-11-2013 Recommendation to Execute Utility Order No. 1466-P

Garden State Parkway G4S Technology, LLC

Widening of the Garden State Parkway - Phase 3, Milepost 35 to 48

Ten Year Capital Program Fund No. 39028031

Amount: \$4,000,000.00

This Utility Order is necessary to authorize G4S Technology, LLC to undertake ETC duct relocation of fiber optic cables along the GSP associated with the Widening of the Garden State Parkway from MP 35 to 48 in order avoid conflicts with the proposed pavement, sign structure foundations, bridge abutments and guide rail. The Authority will reimburse G4S Technology, LLC for the design, materials and construction associated work.

425-11-2013 Recommendation to Execute Utility Order No. 1494-P

Garden State Parkway

PSE&G - Electric

Contract No. P300.236, Interchange 163 Improvements Milepost 162.7 and 163.7, Borough of Paramus, County of Bergen

Ten Year Capital Program Fund No. 39003035

Amount: \$2,000,000.00

Existing facilities will be directly impacted by the construction of Contract No. P300.236, Garden State Parkway Interchange 163 Improvements. The Utility Order will reimburse PSE&G - Electric for the cost of work and materials related to the relocation of PSE&G facilities in advance of the construction contract. The work will be done under and adjacent to the Garden State Parkway Mainline/Ramps at Interchange 163, including Route 17 in Borough of Paramus, Bergen County.

C. REPORTS

426-11-2013 Acknowledge Reports of Engineering Expenditures Under Delegated Authority

- Construction Contract Progress Summary
- Change Order Summary
- Utility Order Report

PROCUREMENT AND MATERIALS MANAGEMENT (PMM)

COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENTS

A. PUBLIC BIDS

427-11-2013 Mark-Out Services

UtiliQuest, LLC

RM-102877

Budget Code: Various

Amount: \$433,740.00 (Two-Year base contract)

Under this contract, UtiliQuest, LLC, Alpharetta, GA shall furnish the necessary labor and equipment to provide underground utility locating and marking services (Mark-Out Services) along the entire length of the New Jersey Turnpike and the Garden State Parkway. Bidders were required to quote "per call" rates for five components of this contract, and hourly rates for additional services including standby and emergency requests. The bid was fully advertised and the ten vendors listed in the Authority database were notified of the procurement.

428-11-2013 Gledhill Snow Plow Parts

Tony Sanchez LTD

RM-102537

Budget Codes: Various Amount: \$79,394.81

Under this contract, Tony Sanchez LTD will provide various snow plow parts to be maintained in inventory and used for both Roadways. Bidders were required to bid on 22 line items of specific parts as well as a discount off manufacturers list for other miscellaneous items. The bid was fully advertised and the three vendors listed in the Authority database were notified of the procurement.

429-11-2013 Coarse Paper Products (SBE Set-Aside)

Spruce Industries, Inc.

RM-103054

Budget Codes: Various Amount: \$93,782.30

Under this contract, Spruce Industries, Inc., will provide coarse paper products for inventory for both roadways. These items include disposable wipers, paper towels, toilet tissue, paper cups, and dispensers. Where applicable, "Green Seal Certified" products were specified, to comply with the Authority's environmental initiatives. Bidders were required to bid unit and total prices for 15 line items included in the bid. The bid was fully advertised and the 68 vendors listed in the Authority's database for the referenced commodity were notified of the procurement.

B. STATE CONTRACTS

430-11-2013 Electrical Equipment and Supplies

Modification

Keer Electric Supply Co., Inc.

RM-104304

Contract No.1232

State Contract No.75180 expiring 1/31/14

Budget Code: Various

Current Authorized Amount: \$415,000.00
Requested Amount: \$26,000.00
New Authorized Amount: \$441,000.00

Jewel Electric Supply Co., Inc.

RM-104306

Contract No. 1501

State Contract No. 75179, expiring 1/31/14

Budget Code: Various

Current Authorized Amount: \$851,500.00
Requested Amount: \$87,000.00
New Authorized Amount: \$938,500.00

The Maintenance Department has requested an increase to the above-referenced contracts for electrical equipment and supplies. The referenced State Contracts have been extended to 1/31/14 and additional funds are required to purchase necessary electrical supplies through the term of the contract.

C. PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

431-11-2013 Arbitrage Compliance, Yield Restriction Compliance and Yield Monitoring Services Hawkins, Delafield & Wood, LLP

RM-102959

Fees: \$99,000.00

Under this professional services contract, the successful proposer will perform arbitrage compliance, yield restriction compliance and yield monitoring services in connection with the New Jersey Turnpike Revenue Bond Series 2000-2005, 2009, 2011, 2012 and 2013. The Services will also include any bonds or notes that the Authority issues during the term of this contract.

432-11-2013 **NOT USED**

GENERAL BUSINESS

433-11-2013	Authorization to Amend the Professional Services Agreement with Xerox State and Local Solutions, Inc. to include the Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission in the New Jersey E-ZPass Customer Service Center Operations
434-11-2013	Authorization to Pay the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission the Authority's 2014 Annual Membership Assessment in the E-ZPass Interagency Group Account No.: 890-445900 Amount: \$70,000.00
435-11-2013	Authorization to Enter into a Successor Collective Negotiations Agreement with IFPTE Local 193 for the period October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2015
436-11-2013	Authorization to Adopt the 2014 Annual Budget
437-11-2013	Certificate required under Section 713, Turnpike Revenue Bond Resolution, Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2014
438-11-2013	Financial Summary for the ten (10) months ended October 31, 2013
439-11-2013	Resume of All Fatal Accidents Garden State Parkway and New Jersey Turnpike: Period 01/01/2013 through 11/07/2013: both with 2012-2013 Yearly Comparisons through October, 2013.
440-11-2013	New Jersey State Police Troop D Activity Reports For October 2013, with 2012–2013 Yearly Comparisons.