SUMMARY STATEMENT

ITEM NO.  SUBJECT: Miscellaneous Pavement Repairs on the Benjamin Franklin Bridge

COMMITTEE: Operations and Maintenance

COMMITTEE MEETING DATE: May 20, 2009

BOARD ACTION DATE: June 10, 2009

PROPOSAL: That the Board authorizes staff to negotiate a construction contract with the firm of Mount Construction Company, Inc. to perform miscellaneous pavement repairs on the Benjamin Franklin Bridge.

Amount: $ 219,750.00

Contractor: Mount Construction, Inc.
427 S White Horse Pike
P. O. Box 619
Berlin, NJ 08009

Other Bidders: A.P. Construction, Inc. $ 317,600.00

Engineers Estimate: $ 300,000.00

PURPOSE: To repair a portion of the roadway surface and waterproofing membrane on the deck of the Benjamin Franklin Bridge.

BACKGROUND: The southernmost eastbound lane of the Benjamin Franklin Bridge has been exhibiting problems with the pavement surface for some time including rutting and heaving of the pavement. The existing pavement consists of a surface course plus a waterproofing base course on the steel deck. The problems exhibited consist not only of displacement of the surface course but of the waterproofing base course as well. As a result, an investigation of the problems was performed and repairs were recommended. The repairs consist of removal of both the surface paving course as well as the waterproofing base course. The existing steel deck shall be cleaned and a new waterproofing membrane will be applied along with a new paving surface.

The project was publicly advertised and bid documents were issued to twenty (20) prospective bidders. A pre-Bid conference was held on April 15, 2009 with a bid opening date of April 27, 2009. A total of two (2) bids were received. The lowest responsive bid was submitted by Mount Construction Company, Inc. in the amount of $ 219,750.00.
Staff has completed the evaluation of bids and recommends that the contract be awarded to Mount Construction Company, Inc. in the amount of $ 219,750.00 as the lowest responsive bidder to perform the contract work.

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RESOLUTION

RESOLVED: That the Board of Commissioners of the Delaware River Port Authority accepts the bid of $219,750.00 to repair a portion of the roadway surface and waterproofing membrane on the deck of the Benjamin Franklin Bridge, and that the proper officers of the Authority be and hereby are authorized to negotiate a contract with Mount Construction Company, Inc. for the required work in an amount not to exceed $219,750.00, as per the attached Summary Statement; and be it further

RESOLVED: The Chairman, Vice Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer must approve and are hereby authorized to approve and execute all necessary agreements, contracts, or other documents on behalf of the DRPA. If such agreements, contracts, or other documents have been approved by the Chairman, Vice Chairman and Chief Executive Officer and if thereafter either the Chairman or Vice Chairman is absent or unavailable, the remaining Officer may execute the said document(s) on behalf of DRPA along with the Chief Executive Officer. If both the Chairman and Vice Chairman are absent or unavailable, and if it is necessary to execute the said document(s) while they are absent or unavailable, then the Chief Executive Officer shall execute such documents on behalf of DRPA.

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