

## REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ROADS AND BRIDGES

March 15, 2011

The Honorable,  
The Board of Commissioners of Cook County

### ATTENDANCE

Present: President Preckwinkle and Chairman Sims, Vice Chairman Gorman, Commissioners Beavers, Butler, Collins, Daley, Fritchey, Garcia, Gorman, Goslin, Murphy, Reyes, Schneider, Sims, Steele, Suffredin, Tobolski (16)

Absent: Commissioner Gainer (1)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Your Committee on Roads and Bridges, having had under consideration the matters hereinafter mentioned, respectfully reports and recommends as follows:

### SECTION 1

Your Committee has considered the following Communication from Rupert F. Graham, Jr., P.E., Superintendent of Highways.

311324 COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, by Rupert F. Graham, Jr., P.E., Superintendent of Highways, submitting the Bureau of Construction's Progress Report for the month ending January 31, 2011.

**Vice Chairman Gorman, seconded by Commissioner Reyes, moved the Approval of Communication No. 311324. The motion carried.**

### SECTION 2

Your Committee has considered the following communications from Rupert F. Graham, Jr., P.E., Superintendent of Highways, recommending for approval change in plans and extra work in the construction of certain highway improvements.

311322 COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, by Rupert F. Graham, Jr., P.E., Superintendent of Highways, submitting recommendation for change in plans and extra work on Section: 08-B5935-05-RP. 170th (167th) Street, Bishop Ford Expressway to Burnham Avenue in the City of Calumet City and the Villages of South Holland and Lansing in County Board District #6. Adjustment of Quantities and New Items. \$246,821.50 (Deduction).

**Vice Chairman Gorman, seconded by Commissioner Steele, moved the Approval of Communication No. 311322. The motion carried.**

311323 COUNTY HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, by Rupert F. Graham, Jr., P.E., Superintendent of Highways, submitting recommendation for change in plans and extra work on Section: Section: 09-A7924-02-BR. Federal Project No.: ARA 0031 (030). Federal Job No.: C-91-512-09. Winnetka Road Bridge over North Branch Chicago River in the Village of Northfield in County Board District #13 #14. Adjustment of Quantities. \$15,061.30 (Addition).

**Vice Chairman Gorman, seconded by Commissioner Steele, moved the Approval of Communication No. 311323 as amended. The motion carried.**

### SECTION 3

Your Committee has considered the bids submitted on the items hereinafter described in accordance with the specifications prepared by the County Superintendent of Highways.

Your Committee has considered the communications from the Superintendent of Highways, submitting recommendations on the award of contracts for said items, and recommends that the contracts be approved and, upon the adoption of this Report, awarded as follows:

- 1) Group 1 – 2011  
Willow Road  
Schoenbeck Road to Wheeling Road  
Section 10-A7816-02-RS  
Wheeling Road  
Camp McDonald Road to Palatine Road  
Section 10-W7244-03-RS  
City of Prospect Heights and Village of  
Wheeling in County Board District #14 & #17  
MFT Account #600-600

Contract Awarded To: Plote Construction Inc., \$825,618.46

The deposit checks are ordered returned to the unsuccessful bidders at once and to the successful bidder upon the signing of the contract.

- 2) Winnetka Road  
Waukegan Road to Edens Expressway  
West Frontage Road (Skokie Road)  
Section 11-A7923-03-RS  
Villages of Glenview and Northfield in  
County Board District #14  
MFT Account #600-600

Contract Awarded To: Plote Construction, \$621,541.17

The deposit checks are ordered returned to the unsuccessful bidders at once and to the successful bidder upon the signing of the contract.

3) Traffic Signal Modernization Contract and LED Retrofitting  
(53 Locations)

Section 10-TSCMC-08-TL

Villages of Arlington Heights, Bensenville, Bridgeview, Buffalo Grove,  
Burr Ridge, Crestwood, East Hazel Crest, Glenview, Mount Prospect,  
Northbrook, Northfield, Orland Hills, Orland Park, Palatine, Riverdale,  
Roselle, Schaumburg, Skokie, Tinley Park, Wheeling and Wilmette,  
Cities of Chicago Heights, Harvey, Hickory Hills, Markham, Oak Forest,  
Palos Heights, Palos Hills and unincorporated Bremen and Palos Townships  
In County Board District #5, 6, 13, 14, 15 and 17  
MFT Account #600-600

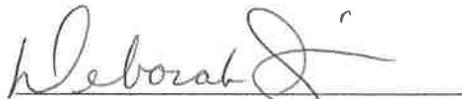
Contract Awarded To: Hecker and Company, Inc. \$480,829.00

The deposit checks are ordered returned to the unsuccessful bidders at once and to the successful bidder upon the signing of the contract.

**Vice Chairman Gorman, seconded by Commissioner Steele, moved Approval of the above awarded contracts. The motion carried.**

**Commissioner Steele moved to adjourn. Seconded by Commissioner Beavers, the motion carried and the meeting was adjourned.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Committee on Roads and Bridges

  
Deborah Sims, Chairman

Attest:

  
Matthew B. DeLeon, Secretary