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TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

FROM: John J. Hsu, P.E.
Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation

DATE: February 23, 2011

SUBJECT: Resolution for Authority to Advertise
Contract No. 11-507
Improvements To Roads and Parking Areas – Phase I
Blue Mountain Park, George's Island Park and Croton Gorge Park
City Of Peekskill and Town Of Cortlandt, New York

The 2011 Capital Budget contains funds for the above referenced project.

The work under this contract consists of providing all necessary labor, material and equipment required to resurface the two (2) parking areas at George's Island Park along with construction of a curbed median in the east lot and a concrete boat launch approach slab in the west lot. The project also includes regrading, installation of new drainage pipes and installation of new guide railing at all three (3) parks.

The objective of this contract is to replace substandard areas of asphalt paving, thus addressing the County Executive's priority area: Safety and Security (SS).

This contract is in the public's best interest because it will promote the health and safety of the general public by ensuring that parking areas at Blue Mountain Park, George's Island Park and Croton Gorge Park meet current codes and standards as well as reducing the County's annual maintenance costs.

The project will provide an environmental benefit by eliminating erosion due to flooding.

The department will track scheduling and accomplishments by the contractor and perform on-site inspections to ensure the successful completion of this project.

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RESOLUTION

Upon communication from the Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation, be it

RESOLVED, that the Commissioner of Public Works and Transportation be and he hereby is authorized to solicit bids by public advertisement on the following contract:

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and be it further

RESOLVED, that adequate and sufficient security for the faithful performance of this contract shall be deemed to be receipt of a performance and payment bond in an amount equal to 100% of the total contract amount, and in a form approved by the County Attorney. The Bond Underwriter or Surety must appear on the U.S. Treasury's listing of approved sureties (Department Circular 570) and all Sureties must be licensed to transact business in New York as a surety company; and be it further

RESOLVED, that this advertisement for bids will state that pursuant to Chapter 308 of the Laws of the County of Westchester, the policy of the County is to encourage the meaningful and significant participation on County contracts for business enterprises owned by persons of color and women - Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women Business Enterprise (WBE); and be it further

RESOLVED, that such advertisement shall appear in the following County newspaper(s):

THE JOURNAL NEWS (Southern Edition)

Account to be Charged/Credited	Fund	Dept.	Major Program, Program & Phase Or Unit	Object/ Sub Object	Trust Account	Dollars
	372	42	RGIP904A	6050-01		

Budget Funding Year(s) 2011 **Start Date:** _____ **End Date:** _____
(must match resolution)

Funding Source: **Tax Dollars** 100% County **Contractor Federal I.D. No./**
State Aid _____ **Social Security No.:** _____
Federal Aid _____ **Vendor No.:** _____
Other _____ **Encumbrance No.:** _____
\$ _____
(must match resolution)