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TO: Board of Acquisition and Contract

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

DATE: August 30, 2011

SUBJECT: Resolution for Authority to Advertise
Contract No. 06-552
PIN 8110.13
Replacement of Bronx River Parkway Bridges (at Crane Road)
Over Bronx River (BIN 3348779) and Metro-North Railroad (BIN 3348789)
Town of Greenburgh and Village of Scarsdale, 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 replace the Bronx River Parkway Bridges over the Bronx River and Metro-North Railroad at Crane Road.

The objective of this contract is to replace the structurally deficient Bronx River Parkway Bridges at Crane Road and improve the parkway's road alignment, 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 the Bronx River Parkway Bridges at Crane Road meet current codes and standards as well as reducing the County's annual maintenance costs.

This contract includes riverbank restoration which will provide an environmental benefit by reducing erosion along this portion of the Bronx River.

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

Payment for a portion of this contract will be made from the Federal Highway Bridge Replacement and Rehabilitation Program (HBRR) and the New York State Marchiselli Program, not the County General Fund and will not impact the County tax levy.

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
	371	46	P001800A	6050-01		

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

Funding Source: **Tax Dollars** 17.57% County **Contractor Federal I.D. No./**
State Aid 13.02% NYS Marchiselli Program **Social Security No.:** _____

Federal Aid 69.41% HBRR **Vendor No.:** _____
(must match resolution) **Other** _____ **Encumbrance No.:** _____