

**Resolution #2011 - 244**

**RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND BOROUGH COUNCIL  
OF THE BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON,  
IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY,  
AWARDING CONTRACT FOR HOWARD BOULEVARD  
PEDESTRIAN WALKWAYS TO TRANSIT PROJECT**

**WHEREAS**, the Borough of Mount Arlington received bids for the Howard Boulevard Pedestrian Walkways to Transit Project on October 18, 2011; and

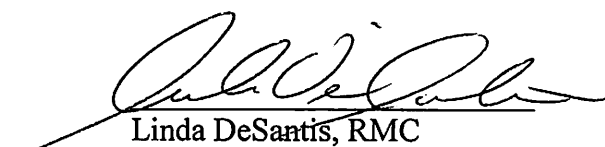
**WHEREAS**, the Borough Engineer, by letter dated October 18, 2011, has recommended award to P.A. Construction, Inc. for a total contract amount of \$184,321.25, which includes the base bid items of \$151,346.25 as well as the five alternate items which total \$32,975.00, as the lowest responsive bidder.

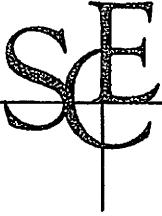
**WHEREAS**, the Borough Attorney will review the bid documentation, bid bond and consent of surety prior to contract execution.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, that the above referenced contract is awarded to P.A. Construction, Inc., subject to approval of the New Jersey Department of Transportation.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY** this to be a true and correct Resolution of the Mayor and Borough Council of the Borough of Mount Arlington, and adopted on October 18, 2011.

  
Linda DeSantis, RMC  
Borough Clerk



October 18, 2011

**Via Facsimile (973-398-8662) and Regular Mail**

Borough of Mt. Arlington  
419 Howard Boulevard  
Mt. Arlington, New Jersey 07856

Attn.: Ms. Linda DeSantis, Borough Clerk

Re: Borough of Mt. Arlington, County of Morris, State of New Jersey  
Howard Boulevard Pedestrian Walkways to Transit  
Conditional Recommendation of Award  
Our Project No.: SCE-5024

Dear Ms. DeSantis:

As requested, I have reviewed the three (3) bid documents for the Howard Boulevard Pedestrian Walkways to Transit that were received on October 18, 2011. The bid review included the evaluation of the bid prices provided by each bidder. Attached is a copy of the bid summary sheet that indicates the three (3) lowest bids received.

I recommend that P.A. Construction, Inc. be conditionally awarded the contract for \$184,321.25 for the base bid items, which total \$151,346.25, as well as all five (5) alternate items, which total \$32,975.00, since they were the lowest responsive bidder for the project. The Borough Attorney should also review the documents to confirm that all documents are administratively complete. Please be aware that this recommendation of award is conditioned upon P.A. Construction, Inc., not submitting a request to withdrawal their bid as permitted by Public Law 2010, c. 108.

If you should have any questions on the above, please do not hesitate to contact my office.

Very truly yours,  
Suburban Consulting Engineers, Inc.

Daren J. Phil, PE, PP, CME  
Borough Engineer

Enclosure

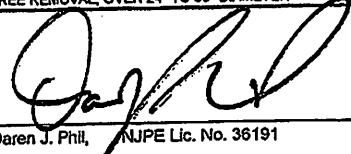
c: Arthur R. Ondish, Mayor, Via Facsimile (866-543-8013)  
Carolyn Rinaldi, Borough CFO, (973-398-9087)

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Summary of Bids

HOWARD BOULEVARD PEDESTRIAN WALKWAYS TO TRANSIT SCE - 5024 Municipality: BOROUGH OF MOUNT ARLINGTON County: MORRIS				ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE				P.A. CONTRACTORS		CARO CORP.		FERRARO CONSTRUCTION CORP.	
				Contractor Name		Contractor Name		Contractor Name		Contractor Name		Contractor Name	
				105 DAVIS AVENUE		70 PASSAIC AVENUE		5 PARK DRIVE		5 PARK DRIVE		5 PARK DRIVE	
				KEARNY, NJ 07032		FLORHAN PARK, NJ 07932		FRANKLIN, NJ 07416		FRANKLIN, NJ 07416		FRANKLIN, NJ 07416	
City		State/Zip		City		State/Zip		City		State/Zip			
Item #	Description	Qty.	Unit	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount		
1	BREAKAWAY BARRICADE	6	UNIT	\$50.00	\$300.00	\$10.00	\$60.00	\$25.00	\$150.00	\$120.00	\$720.00		
2	CONSTRUCTION IDENTIFICATION SIGN, 48" x 48"	2	UNIT	\$125.00	\$750.00	\$100.00	\$600.00	\$1.00	\$6.00	\$165.00	\$990.00		
3	CONSTRUCTION IDENTIFICATION SIGN, 60" x 48"	2	UNIT	\$200.00	\$400.00	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$288.00	\$576.00		
4	CONSTRUCTION IDENTIFICATION SIGN, 30" x 30"	6	UNIT	\$100.00	\$600.00	\$50.00	\$300.00	\$1.00	\$6.00	\$102.00	\$612.00		
5	CONSTRUCTION IDENTIFICATION SIGN, 36" x 18"	2	UNIT	\$100.00	\$200.00	\$30.00	\$60.00	\$1.00	\$2.00	\$70.00	\$140.00		
6	TRAFFIC CONE	40	UNIT	\$20.00	\$800.00	\$1.00	\$40.00	\$10.00	\$400.00	\$14.00	\$560.00		
7	TRAFFIC DIRECTOR, FLAGGER	200	HOUR	\$55.00	\$11,000.00	\$82.00	\$12,400.00	\$80.25	\$16,050.00	\$120.00	\$24,000.00		
8	CLEARING SITE	1	L.S.	\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$24,000.00	\$40,000.00	\$40,000.00		
9	EXCAVATION, UNCLASSIFIED	200	C.Y.	\$50.00	\$10,000.00	\$35.00	\$7,000.00	\$25.00	\$5,000.00	\$52.00	\$10,400.00		
10	CONCRETE STAIRS	1	L.S.	\$10,000.00	\$10,000.00	\$4,800.00	\$4,800.00	\$7,100.00	\$7,100.00	\$6,300.00	\$6,300.00		
11	MODULAR CONCRETE RETAINING WALL	110	S.Y.	\$35.00	\$3,850.00	\$30.00	\$3,300.00	\$44.00	\$4,840.00	\$72.00	\$7,920.00		
12	CHAIN-LINK FENCE, PVC-COATED STEEL, 6' HIGH	274	L.F.	\$40.00	\$10,960.00	\$45.00	\$12,330.00	\$51.00	\$13,974.00	\$38.00	\$10,412.00		
13	GATE, CHAIN-LINK FENCE, PVC-COATED STEEL, 22' WIDE	1	UNIT	\$3,000.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,400.00	\$3,400.00	\$2,750.00	\$2,750.00	\$3,102.00	\$3,102.00		
14	GATE, CHAIN-LINK FENCE, PVC-COATED STEEL, 35' WIDE	1	UNIT	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,840.00	\$4,840.00	\$3,584.00	\$3,584.00		
15	CONCRETE SIDEWALK, 4" THICK	1,191	S.Y.	\$50.00	\$59,550.00	\$48.25	\$57,583.75	\$45.00	\$53,595.00	\$62.00	\$109,572.00		
16	CONCRETE SIDEWALK, REINFORCED, 6" THICK	70	S.F.	\$75.00	\$5,250.00	\$48.25	\$3,377.50	\$65.00	\$4,550.00	\$112.00	\$7,840.00		
17	HOT MIX ASPHALT DRIVEWAY, 2" THICK	137	S.Y.	\$25.00	\$3,425.00	\$31.00	\$4,247.00	\$32.00	\$4,384.00	\$46.00	\$6,302.00		
18	DETECTABLE WARNING SURFACE	152	S.F.	\$30.00	\$4,560.00	\$35.00	\$5,320.00	\$25.00	\$3,800.00	\$22.00	\$3,344.00		
19	9"x18" CONCRETE VERTICAL CURB	227	L.F.	\$20.00	\$4,540.00	\$22.25	\$5,050.75	\$19.00	\$4,313.00	\$28.00	\$6,356.00		
20	BEAM GUIDE RAIL	310	UNIT	\$50.00	\$15,500.00	\$34.00	\$10,540.00	\$58.45	\$18,119.50	\$54.00	\$16,740.00		
21	PEDESTRIAN RUB RAIL	315	UNIT	\$15.00	\$4,725.00	\$13.50	\$4,252.50	\$15.15	\$4,772.25	\$18.20	\$5,724.00		
22	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 4" WHITE	225	L.F.	\$1.00	\$225.00	\$3.50	\$787.50	\$2.00	\$450.00	\$6.00	\$1,350.00		
23	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 4" YELLOW	110	L.F.	\$1.00	\$110.00	\$3.50	\$385.00	\$2.00	\$220.00	\$8.00	\$880.00		
24	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 12" WHITE	487	L.F.	\$3.00	\$1,461.00	\$4.75	\$2,298.25	\$3.00	\$1,461.00	\$6.00	\$2,922.00		
25	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 12" YELLOW	89	L.F.	\$6.00	\$534.00	\$5.75	\$511.75	\$4.00	\$356.00	\$13.00	\$1,157.00		
26	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 24" WHITE	15	L.F.	\$6.00	\$90.00	\$5.75	\$86.25	\$4.00	\$60.00	\$38.00	\$570.00		
27	TRAFFIC STRIPES, 24" YELLOW	15	L.F.	\$6.00	\$90.00	\$5.75	\$86.25	\$4.00	\$60.00	\$38.00	\$570.00		
28	TOPSOILING, 4" THICK	47	S.Y.	\$8.00	\$376.00	\$13.00	\$611.00	\$10.00	\$470.00	\$22.00	\$1,034.00		
29	FERTILIZING AND SEEDING, TYPE "1"	1,500	S.Y.	\$3.00	\$4,500.00	\$2.00	\$3,000.00	\$5.00	\$7,500.00	\$4.80	\$7,200.00		
30	STEEP SLOPE FERTILIZING AND SEEDING	1,500	S.Y.	\$3.00	\$4,500.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00	\$2.00	\$3,000.00		
				ENGINEER'S BASE ESTIMATE	\$189,151.00	BASE BID TOTAL	\$151,346.25		\$164,905.75		\$283,351.00		
				15% Inspection and testing	\$25,372.65								
				ENGINEER'S TOTAL BASE ESTIMATE	\$194,523.65								

ALTERNATE BID ITEMS				ENGINEER'S ESTIMATE		P.A. CONTRACTORS		CARO CORP.		FERRARO CONSTRUCTION CORP.	
				Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount	Unit Price	Amount
A-1	CONCRETE PAVERS	67	UNIT	\$25.00	\$1,675.00	\$105.00	\$7,035.00	\$70.00	\$4,690.00	\$230.00	\$15,410.00
A-2	ORNAMENTAL FENCE, 6' HIGH	344	L.F.	\$15.00	\$5,160.00	\$35.00	\$12,040.00	\$73.15	\$25,163.60	\$71.45	\$24,578.60
A-3	CANTILEVERED FENCE GATE, ORNAMENTAL, 22' WIDE	1	UNIT	\$1,000.00	\$1,000.00	\$4,500.00	\$4,500.00	\$5,720.00	\$5,720.00	\$11,120.00	\$11,120.00
A-4	CANTILEVERED FENCE GATE, ORNAMENTAL, 35' WIDE	1	UNIT	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	\$7,000.00	\$7,000.00	\$6,820.00	\$6,820.00	\$12,680.00	\$12,680.00
A-5	TREE REMOVAL, OVER 24" TO 36" DIAMETER	1	UNIT	\$2,000.00	\$2,000.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,400.00	\$2,100.00	\$2,100.00	\$24.00	\$24.00
				ENGINEER'S ALT ESTIMATE	\$11,335.00	ALT BID TOTAL	\$32,975.00		\$44,963.60		\$63,812.60
				15% Inspection and testing	\$1,700.25						
				ENGINEER'S TOTAL ALT ESTIMATE	\$13,035.25						

  
 Daren J. Phil, NJPE Lic. No. 36191  
 10-18-11  
 Date