

## EMERGENCY PURCHASES

Emergency Purchase Number **AFF08-09**

Office/Division: IDOT Division of Highways, Region 2/District 3  
Address: 700 E Norris  
Ottawa, IL 61350

Responsible Chief Procurement Officer: Milton R. Sees P.E.

Vendor: Advanced Asphalt Company  
Address: PO Box 234  
Princeton, IL 61356-0234  
(815) 872-9911, fax (815) 872-0569

Estimated Cost: \$500,000.00

This expenditure is justified as:

- An emergency involving public health.
- An emergency involving public safety.
- Necessary to protect State property from further loss or damage.
- Necessary to prevent or minimize serious disruption in State services.
- Necessary to insure integrity of State records.
- Quick purchase as provided by Section 20-30 (d) of the Illinois Procurement Code.

The conditions and circumstances requiring this emergency expenditure are:

Emergency removal and replacement of approximately 2.5 miles of driving lane pavement, 12' wide. The recent freeze thaw cycle coupled with high traffic volumes on I-80 have deteriorated portions of the surface course. This has caused numerous cars to run off the road. To address this maintenance forces have closed the lane to protect the traveling public. The general locations are just west of IL 351, mile post 77, at the Utica Interchange, mile post 81 and approximately mile post 83. These are all in the east bound lanes of I-80.

The extent of the damage is beyond the capability of the maintenance forces to provide an acceptable finish surface for the traffic volumes on I-80. Advanced Asphalt was selected as they are very experienced with this type of work, have an asphalt plant located in Utica and are able to mobilize immediately.