

## EMERGENCY PURCHASES

Emergency Purchase Number **AFF08-12**

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: Stark Excavating, Inc.  
Address: Box 3756  
Bloomington, IL 60701  
(309) 828-5034, fax (309) 828-7154

Estimated Cost: \$300,000.00

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 bracing of the concrete box culvert, SN 006-2526, IL40 over drainage ditch, 7.2 miles south of US 6, in Bureau County. The Department's structural engineers have evaluated the box culvert and based on their evaluation the box culvert must be braced to maintain legal load carrying capacity. The emergency declaration is being made to expedite repairs in order to prevent further damage to the structures and maintain normal traffic flow.

Stark Excavating, Inc. was the chosen contractor as they are qualified and experienced in making structure replacements and repairs. They are working in Bureau County and will be able to mobilize immediately.