

EMERGENCY PURCHASES

Emergency Purchase Number **AFF11-01**

Office/Division: IDOT Division of Highways, Region 2/District 2
Address: 819 Depot Avenue
Dixon, IL 61021

Responsible Chief Procurement Officer: Bill Grunloh

Vendor: Civil Constructors Inc. of Illinois
Address: P.O. Box 750
Freeport, IL 61032

Estimated Cost: \$1, 000, 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:

The rain storms of July 22nd, 23rd resulted in the overflow of the Plum River. This caused the flooding of the IC&E Railroad switching yard. The structure in risk of collapse carries IL 84 over these tracks. The floods caused the erosion of the embankment on the south end of the structure exposing the entire abutment and significant portion of the approach pavement. The south end of the structure is currently supported by exposed "H" pile, which are designed to secure the abutment from movement, not for structural strength. Failure to make immediate repair jeopardizes the structure for potential collapse.

We have selected Civil constructors Inc. of Illinois to perform this emergency work. Civil Constructors was selected based on their proximity to the location and their expertise in bridge construction and maintenance.