



Emergency Purchase Number: EA12-06

Office/Division: Division of Highways

Address: 400 West Wabash
Effingham, IL 62401

Chief Procurement Officer: Bill Grunloh

Vendor: Merz Heating and Air Conditioning

Address: 509 South Willow, P.O. Box 1305
Effingham, IL 62401-1305

Estimated Cost: \$18,250.00

Final Cost: \$18,250.00

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:

Failure of the HVAC systems at the Green Creek Rest Areas located in Effingham County along FAI 57, near Effingham, Illinois. Holes were discovered in the units heat exchangers making them unsafe due to leaking carbon monoxide. Lowest proposal bid (see attached). Quotations were solicited from Merz Heating and Air Conditioning, KCH Mechanical Inc., and Jansen's Heating & Air, all located in Effingham, Illinois. Industrial Services in Mattoon was also contacted and declined to submit proposal due to their current workload.