RESOLUTION NO. 2001 - 151

AUTHORIZING CONTRACT 2001-114 WITH R. L. BOWEN AND ASSOCIATES FOR FINAL DESIGN A/E SERVICES FOR PROJECT 18X NORTH OLMSTED TRANSIT CENTER IN AN AMOUNT OF \$218,073.76 (RTA DEVELOPMENT FUND – PROJECT DEVELOPMENT & ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT BUDGET.)

WHEREAS, The Authority plans to construct the North Olmsted Transit Center; and

WHEREAS, The Authority has identified a need for Final Design services, including design of construction drawings, specifications, and construction field coordination, for this project; and

WHEREAS, the proposal of R. L. Bowen & Associates located at 13000 Shaker Boulevard, Cleveland, OH 44120, to perform said services was received on September 27, 2001, in response to a competitive solicitation; and,

WHEREAS, R. L. Bowen & Associates was determined to be the most technicallyqualified firm offering to perform such services; and,

WHEREAS, after discussions and negotiations R. L. Bowen & Associates submitted a best and final proposal to perform such services; and

WHEREAS, the General Manager deems acceptance of the offer of R. L. Bowen & Associates, as negotiated, to be in the best interest of the Authority.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Trustees of the Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority, Cuyahoga County, Ohio:

Section 1. That the offer of R. L. Bowen & Associates, as negotiated, to perform Final Design services for the North Olmsted Transit, is hereby accepted as the most advantageous to the Authority, cost and all other factors considered.

Section 2. That the General Manager of the Authority be and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with R. L. Bowen & Associates for the performance of said services.

Section 3. That said contract shall be payable from the RTA Development Fund, including but not limited to Capital Grant OH-90-X222 (\$174,459.00 in Federal Funds, which represents 80% of the total cost) in the amount of two hundred eighteen thousand seventy-three & 76/100 dollars (\$218,073.76).

Section 4. That said contract shall be binding upon and an obligation of the Authority contingent upon compliance by the contractor with the Specifications and Addenda thereto, if any; the Affirmative Action Plan adopted by the Board of Trustees in resolution 2001-064; bonding and insurance requirements and all applicable laws relating to contractual obligations of the Authority.

Section 5. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

Adopted:	October 16	., 2001	MA	
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CEO, General Manager/Secretary-Treasurer