

RESOLUTION – R-10-58

**RESOLUTION AWARDING CONTRACT FOR THE
FY 2010 NJDOT TRUST FUND- RECONSTRUCTION OF
CEDAR GROVE ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT**

WHEREAS, the Township of South Harrison has heretofore invited the submission of public bids for the provision of all labor, material and work required for the “FY 2010 NJDOT Trust Fund, Reconstruction of Cedar Grove Road Project”; and

WHEREAS, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on May 18, 2010 pursuant to the public advertisement published for the project; and

WHEREAS, Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. submitted the lowest bid proposal in the sum of \$91,364.50 that was reviewed by the Township Engineer and deemed non-responsive with price error contained within the bid; and

WHEREAS, Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. acknowledged the price error submitted within the bid and subsequently rescinded their bid by correspondence dated May 18, 2010 addressed to the Township Engineer; and

WHEREAS, South State, Inc. was deemed to be the lowest responsible bidder by the Township Engineer for the bid proposal in the sum of \$127,466.75; and

WHEREAS, the Township Engineer has reviewed the bid proposal submitted by South State, Inc. and documents submitted and has further recommended award of the bid to South State, Inc. and has otherwise determined South State, Inc. to be qualified; and

WHEREAS, the bid submitted by the aforesaid South State, Inc., is in substantial compliance with the bid instructions and specifications incorporated therein;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of South Harrison, with the Mayor concurring, that the bid proposal submitted by Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. containing price error is hereby rejected and the Township Committee does hereby accept the rescission of such bid requested by Ricky Slade Construction, Inc. under correspondence dated May 18, 2010; and

BE IF FURTHER RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of South Harrison, with the Mayor concurring, that the next lowest responsible bid proposal of South State, Inc. in a sum not to exceed \$127,466.75 is hereby accepted and South State, Inc. is hereby awarded a Contract for such sum, subject to and conditioned upon the provisions of performance surety and further compliance with the bid documents and specifications by South State, Inc., including, but not limited to, NJDOT local aid funding of the Cedar Grove Road reconstruction project;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to return all Bid Surety to all unsuccessful bidders forthwith after the adoption hereof.

SOUTH HARRISON TOWNSHIP

JAMES MCCALL, MAYOR

ATTEST:

**NANCY E. KEARNS, RMC
TOWNSHIP CLERK**

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted at the regular meeting of the Mayor and Township Committee of the Township of South Harrison held on the 16th day of June 2010.

**NANCY E. KEARNS, RMC
MUNICIPAL CLERK**