

**RESOLUTION NO. 50**

**AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH PETER LUIZZI & BROTHERS CONTRACTING, INC. REGARDING CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE HELDERBERG HUDSON RAIL TRAIL PROJECT IN THE TOWN OF BETHLEHEM AND CITY OF ALBANY**

Introduced: 2/9/15

By Public Works Committee, Messrs. Beston, Bullock, Ms. Chapman, Messrs. Clay, Commisso, Ms. Connolly, Messrs. Corcoran, Cotrofeld, Dawson, Domalewicz, Ethier, Feeney, Higgins, Jacobson, Joyce, Ms. Kinsch, Mr. Mackey, Ms. Maffia-Tobler, Mr. Mayo, Mss. McLean Lane, McKnight, Messrs. Morse, Nichols, O'Brien, Rahm, Reilly, Simpson and Ward:

WHEREAS, By Bond Resolution No. 565 for 2013, this Honorable Body authorized various capital improvements for the Department of Public Works and serial bond funding in connection with said projects in the amount of \$11,858,000, and

WHEREAS, The Department of Public Works Engineering Division through the County Purchasing Agent and hired consultant Greenman-Pedersen, Inc. issued a Request for Bids regarding construction services for the Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail Project in the Town of Bethlehem and City of Albany, and

WHEREAS, Three bids were received and a committee made up of representatives of Purchasing and the Department of Public Works, Engineering Division and hired consultant Greenman-Pedersen, Inc. reviewed said bids and have recommended Peter Luizzi & Brothers Contracting, Inc. as the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By the Albany County Legislature that the County Executive is authorized to enter into an agreement with Peter Luizzi & Brothers Contracting, Inc. regarding construction services for the Helderberg-Hudson Rail Trail Project in the Town of Bethlehem and City of Albany in the amount of \$3,148,803, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the County Attorney is authorized to approve said agreement as to form and content, and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the County Legislature is directed to forward certified copies of this resolution to the appropriate County Officials.

*Adopted by unanimous vote. 2/10/15*