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its certificate of compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; revised estimate of cost; notice to bidders; proof of publication; division of contract; contract encumbrance record No. 54; Workmen's Compensation Certificate indicating a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; Approval of PWA; Controlling Board's Release; Recommendation of State Architect; Tabulation of bids; Letter from the Auditor of State showing all necessary papers for the project are on file in his office.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have noted my approval thereon, and same is transmitted herewith to you, together with all other papers submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,
THOMAS J. HERBERT,
Attorney General.

826.

CONTRACT—STATE WITH C. K. HENRY, DBA C. K. HENRY ELECTRIC, EXPANSION OF SERVICE UNITS, ELECTRIC MAINS, TRANSFORMER AND CABINETS, HAWTHORN-DEN STATE HOSPITAL, MACEDONIA.

COLUMBUS, OHIO, June 29, 1939.

Hon. Carl G. Wahl, Director, Department of Public Works, Columbus, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: You have submitted for my approval, a contract between C. K. Henry, an individual doing business as C. K. Henry Electric, of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, and the State of Ohio, acting through you as Director of the Department of Public Works for the Department of Public Welfare, for the construction and completion of Contract No. 3 for a project known as Expansion of Service Units, Hawthornden State Hospital, Macedonia, Ohio, as set forth in Contract No. 3, including Item No. 3, Electric Mains, Transformer, and Cabinets. (Exclusive of Item No. 1 and No. 2, as specified) of the Form of Proposal dated May 19, 1939. This contract calls for an expenditure of \$6,380.00.

You have submitted the following papers and documents in this connection: Contract encumbrance record No. 87; form of proposal containing the contract bond signed by Columbia Casualty Company of New York; its power of attorney for the signer; its certificate of compliance indicating a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to surety companies; notice to bidders; proof of publication; division of contract; controlling board's release; estimate of cost; recommendation of State Architect; approval of PWA; tabulation of bids; communication of Charles L. Sherwood, Director of the Department of Public Welfare, in regard to this project;

Workmen's Compensation Certificate showing a compliance with the laws of Ohio relating to Workmen's Compensation; letter from the Auditor of State showing all necessary papers are on file in his office.

Finding said contract in proper legal form, I have noted my approval thereon, and same is transmitted herewith to you together with all other papers submitted in this connection.

Respectfully,

THOMAS J. HERBERT,

Attorney General.

827.

BROADCASTING SYSTEM—COUNTY—MAY BY CONTRACT FURNISH INFORMATION TO MUNICIPALITY—AGREE-MENT BETWEEN PROPER COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES—PAYMENT MAY BE MADE IN ADVANCE FOR SUCH SERVICE.

SYLLABUS:

- 1. A county may, by contract, furnish to a municipality information over the county broadcasting system for a sum to be agreed upon between the proper county and municipal authorities.
- 2. The sum agreed upon may be paid by the municipality in advance to receiving such information or service.

Columbus, Ohio, June 29, 1939.

HON. BENSON L. OWENS, Prosecuting Attorney, Jackson, Ohio.

DEAR SIR: I am in receipt of your request for my opinion which reads as follows:

"Your opinion No. 600, issued to Hon. Lester S. Reid, Prosecuting Attorney at Chillicothe, Ohio, in Item 3 of the Syllabus, states that a municipality may by contract with the County Commissioners furnish information for the County Sheriff over the Municipal broadcasting system, for a sum to be agreed upon between the municipal authorities and the County Commissioners.

I desire your opinion as to whether the converse of the above proposition is true. In other words, can a County, by contract with the Council or other proper Legislative authority of a municipality furnish information for a municipal police department over the County Broadcasting system for a sum to be agreed upon between the County and the municipal council or other proper legislative authority of the municipality?