



## Chief Procurement Office

Bill Grunloh, Department of Transportation - Construction

### MEMORANDUM

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**To:** Bureau of Business Services  
ATTN: Kathryn Shaw

**From:** Jennifer Swisher

**Date:** April 8, 2025

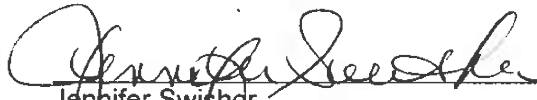
**Subject:** Metal Fabricated Channels, Struts, and Hardware Rebid - 2025-10  
SPO Determination on Award Recommendation

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As the State Purchasing Officer for the Illinois Department of Transportation, I offer the following.

I concur with the Department's recommendation of its intention to award the contract to Eberl Iron Works, Inc. for Metal Fabricated Channels, Struts, and Hardware Rebid in the amount of \$228,686.25. Actual contract amount will vary depending on the Department's need. The bidders' price is deemed fair and reasonable. One (1) bid was received in response to the Invitation for Bid (IFB).

Start date will be upon execution of the contract for a 12-month term.

 4/8/2025  
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Jennifer Swisher Date  
State Purchasing Officer

**Notice of Original Contract Award Information (PPB)**

Agency: Illinois Department of Transportation (IDOT)

State Purchasing Officer (SPO): Jennifer Swisher

Contract Title: Metal Fabricated Channels, Struts and Hardware Rebid

Contract Reference Number: 2025-10

Contract Type: Construction Support

Description of Services: Provide metal fabricated channels, struts, and hardware on an as-needed basis that will be used by the Agency's Division of Highways for sign bracing.

Scheduled Contract Begin Date: Upon Execution

Schedule Contract End Date: 12 months from Execution

Number of Available Renewals: 1

Length of Each Available Renewal (in months): 12

Awarded Contract Value: \$228,686.25

Date First Offered: 2/6/2025

Source Selection Method (IFB, RFP, Amendment, etc.): IFB

Bid/Proposal Opening:

Date: 3/6/2025

Time: 10:00 A.M.

Location: Illinois Department of Transportation  
2300 South Dirksen Parkway  
Hanley Building, Room 302  
Springfield, IL 62764

Number of Responsive/Responsible, unsuccessful vendors: 0

DBE Goal %: 0

Veterans Goal %: 0

Vendors Selected for Award:

Vendor Name: Eberl Iron Works, Inc.  
Contact Person: John Eberl  
Address: 128 Sycamore Street  
City: Buffalo  
State: NY  
Zip Code: 14204  
Phone Number: 716-854-7633

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