## **SAMPLE 4**



## Article 32 Due Consideration Worksheet

Facility ID: 410184-G01

Facility: AMBRIDGE MAIN OFFICE 1020 MERCHANT ST

AMBRIDGE, PA 15003-9998

**Problem Description:** 

roof is leaking above the postmasters office\*\*\*R L GLENDENNING\*\*\*

USPS Area: Eastern USPS District: Western Pennsylvania

Date Problem Reported: 03/23/2011 Call Number: C294739 Problem ID: 2

**Date Problem Forward to Maintenance:** 

Office Forwarding Problem to Maintenance: Eastern Facilities Service Office

Date Problem Declined by Maintenance: 03/25/2011

Article 32 Due Considerations Prepared By: PAUL CHEROK

## **ARTICLE 32 DECLINE RATIONALE**

Cost Criteria: IN ORDER TO ACCOMPLISH THE AMBRIDGE P.O. ROOF LEAK REPAIR/REPLACEMENT WORK USING POSTAL MAINTENANCE, COSTLY OVERTIME PAYMENTS MAY BE NEEDED AND OTHER EXISTING SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE/REPAIR WORK MAY NEED TO BE DELAYED. THIS WORK DOES NOT FALL INTO THE CATEGORY OF ROUTINE PREVENTIVE, PREDICTIVE, OR CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE ACTIVITIES. THE USPS DOES NOT EMPLOY AND KEEP AN ADDITIONAL WORKFORCE ON DUTY IN AN IDLE STATE JUST TO BE AVAILABLE TO PERFORM SPECIAL, ONE-TIME PROJECT WORK, NOR IS IT ECONOMICALLY PRACTICAL TO BYPASS EXISTING SCHEDULED WORK AND USE EXISTING RESOURCES IN AN OVERTIME STATUS TO PERFORM THIS WORK. NONE OF THE APPROACHES ARE ECONOMICALLY PRACTICAL. IT IS IMPORTANT TO NOTE THERE WILL BE NO ECONOMIC HARM TO OUR MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES BY OUTSOURCING THIS WORK. ALL MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES ARE WORKING FULL TIME AT 40 HOURS PER WEEK.

Efficiency Criteria: SUBCONTRACTING AMBRIDGE P.O. ROOF LEAK REPAIR/REPLACEMENT WORK WILL ALLOW THE POSTAL SERVICE TO COMPLETE THEIR SCHEDULED MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR WORK AND ALLOW THE WORK TO BE COMPLETED IN THE MOST EFFICIENT MANNER. REF: ASM 515.3, 531.52 533.413 536,41,MS-45 120.5, 120.5,1, 120.5,2, 120.7, 243, 331,352,2, 352,21,353,1, 353,2 AND 461, THE MS110 SECTIONS 530, 550 AND 680. ALSO REF. ART. 3 OF THE NATIONAL AGREEMENT. ALL MAINT. EMPLOYEES ARE ENGAGED IN WORK OF EQUAL IMPORTANCE, (ASM 536.312). IT IS CONSIDERED EFFICIENT TO USE CONTRACTOR RESOURCES AT THIS TIME. ADDITIONALLY, (1) AMT PRIBIK AT ALIQUIPPA P.O. REPAIRING (2) PALLET JACKS, EXT SECURITY LT, LEAKING DOCK LIFT, THEN AMBRIDGE P.O. INVESTIGATING A/C UNIT, MR DOOR LATCH, PM'S THERMOSTAT, (1) AMS DUNKS AT BROWNSVILLE P.O. SNAKING MR TOILET, PM'S DRAIN, THEN NEW SALEM P.O. REPAIRING MAN DOOR, REPLACING CHIPPED TILES, (1) AMS WHITE AT MORGAN P.O. REPLACING FLAG ROPE & CLIPS, THEN BRIDGEVILLE P.O. REPAIRING LEAKING URINAL, RECENTLY DIRECTED TO BRIDGEVILLE P.O. BOILER NO HEAT, THEN BETHEL PARK P.O. REPLACING FLOOR TILES, (1) BEM BARNES AT CANONSBURG RETAIL P.O. REPLACING (3) BALLASTS, THEN CECIL P.O. REPAIRING CEMENT SIDEWALK, PATCHING (3) LARGE POTHOLES. (1) BEM DEVEY 8.0 HRS UNION: UNAVAILABLE FOR USPS WORK DUE TO UNION BUSINESS. (1) BEM KURTZ AT MAIN VMF DUE PM'S/CM ON WO'S, (2) BEM'S SABATTINI/LADEBU CM INSTALLING RAILING ON WORK FLOOR TO PROTECT USPS EMPLOYEES & EQUIPMENT, (2) BEM'S SMYRL/MEEHAN AT EAST LIBERTY P.O. & VMF CM ON SAFETY ABATEMENT WO'S, (1) BEM LARKIN BLDG, MAN DUE DAILY PM'S/CM ON WO'S IN BLDG, (2) BEM'S URBANIAK/MCCRORY PRONTO SHOP DUE PEG PM'S/CM ON WO'S IN BLDG, (2) BEM'S SERPA/NOVAK CM PROJECT PAINTING WORK FLOOR WALLS IN BLDG. (1) BEM SARACCO CM ON ELECTRIC WO'S IN BLDG. (1) BEM HIRSH DUE EL PEG PM'S/CM IN BLDG.

Equipment Criteria: THE EQUIPMENT MAY/ IS AVAILABLE OR CAN BE RENTED SO THIS FACTOR DOES NOT FAVOR IN HOUSE OR SUBCONTRACTING SCENARIO.

Personnel Criteria: EMPLOYEES HIRED INTO THE USPS MAINTENANCE CRAFT ARE HIRED BASED ON SPECIFIC SKILL LEVELS REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN EXISTING SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT (ASM 531.22) THE INCREASED WORKHOURS THAT MAY BE NEEDED TO COMPLETE THE AMBRIDGE P.O. ROOF LEAK REPAIR/REPLACEMENT WORK IN A TIMELY MANNER WILL PREVENT THE USPS MAINTENANCE WORK FORCE FROM COMPLETING THEIR PRIMARY DUTY: THE MAINTENANCE OF POSTAL EQUIPMENT AND

OTHER ASSIGNED MAINTENANC OUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES ALONC ITH PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE WORK. THE OUTE JURCING OF THIS WORK WILL ALLOW THE LEAST AMOUNT OF DISRUPTION TO OPERATIONS/CUSTOMER SERVICE BY ALLOWING USPS MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES TO PERFORM PREVENTIVE/CORRECTIVE MAINTENANCE FOR OPERATIONAL NEEDS TO MAINTAIN USPS FACILITIES. THERE WILL BE NO ECONOMIC HARM TO ANY POSTAL MAINTENANCE EMPLOYEES.
Public Interest Criteria: THE AMBRIDGE P.O. ROOF LEAK REPAIR/REPLACEMENT: Contracting ensures expeditious completion of the project. The contractors are required to apply sufficient resources to the project to meet specific time frames, which are unattainable when considering the use of existing in-house employees already assigned to other work.
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Status: Status Date: Priority:	Complete 04/14/2011 Routine	AssignedTo: Date Assigned: Health/Safety?:	LARRY SANDS 03/25/2011 No	MO Action: Action Date: MO Contact:	Declined 03/25/2011	
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roof is leaking above	the postmasters office	***R L GLENDENNIN	G***			
Category: Contract Support:	Roof Repairs FSSP UNASSIGNED	Cost Est: Caller Contacted:	\$0.00	Work Compl: FMS Project:	03/30/2011 000000	
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F	he attached estimate for:
т	ax ID # in the amount of \$ is fair and reasonable. Work to be completed in days.
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