

Hardee County Public Schools School Board Agenda Analysis

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Date: April 11, 2019

Subject: Approval of the Contract for additional fencing and gates for Hardee Senior High, Wauchula Elementary, and Zolfo Springs Elementary

Background Information: At the School Board Meeting of March 5, 2019, I asked and received permission to advertise for bids for the additional security fencing and gates. It was advertised in the Herald Advocate on March 21, 2019. A pre-bid meeting was conducted on April 1, 2019, at which four Contractors attended, and visited the sites.

Moore's Dirt Masters, and McConnie Fence Company did not submit a bid. Maingate Enterprise submitted a bid, but it was received after the deadline. Old Town Fencing submitted the only responsive bid. Zolfo Springs Elementary bid is \$12,604.61, Wauchula Elementary bid is \$48,841.65 (portion deleted due to budget), and Hardee Senior High is \$38,309.47.

Due to State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.012 when less than two responsive proposals for contract services are received the District may negotiate the best terms and conditions in lieu of resoliciting proposals.

After speaking with Old Town Fencing, they agreed to reduce the price on the Zolfo Springs portion of the proposal to \$12,479.61. This is not a major reduction, but meets the requirements. Old Town Fencing has preformed all our fencing needs, including after Hurricane Charlie and Hurricane Irma. They have always been responsive to our needs. I therefore ask that you award them this contract, which will allow us to get the installation complete during the summer, and before school resumes. We expect to complete these projects with funds from the School Hardening Grant.

Administrative Consideration (include F.S., Rule, Authority, etc.):
Primary reference: State Board Rule

Fiscal Impact: Old Town Fencing's bid totals \$99,630.73, after the price reduction for ZSE. There is currently \$90,676.82 in the School Hardening grant available for security fencing and gates. We will amend the School Hardening budget to add \$8,953.91 to the fencing lines.

Director of Finance signature: 

Superintendent's Recommendation to School Board: Recommend approval to award the bid for fencing and gates at Hardee Sr. High, Wauchula Elementary and Zolfo Springs Elementary to Old Town Fencing.

Action Agenda



BOARD ACTION
4/25/19

BID TABULATION
 SECURITY FENCING PROJECTS
 04/18/19 2:00 P.M.

COMPANY	ZES TOTAL	WES FENCE & GATES GALVANIZED	WES BLACK VINYL FENCE & GATES	WES BLK CANTILEVER GATES	WES TOTAL	HSH FENCE & GATES	HSH ELEC STUDENT GATE	HSH BUS GATES	HSH TOTAL
DIRT MASTERS			NO	NO BID					
MAINGATE ENTERPRISE			NO	BID	Received late				
McCONNIE FENCE CO.			NO	BID					
OLD TOWN FENCING	12,604.61	42,909.81	12,844.81	5,931.84		38,309.47			

* 5,400.57 gal

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BIDS OPENED BY:
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