# **BALTIMORE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**DATE:** October 11, 2011

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

**FROM:** Dr. Joe A. Hairston, Superintendent

RE: RECOMMENDATIONS FOR AWARD OF CONTRACTS

**ORIGINATOR:** Dr. Renee A. Foose, Deputy Superintendent

**PERSON(S):** Rick Gay, Manager, Office of Purchasing

Michael G. Sines, Executive Director, Department of Physical Facilities

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Education approves the following contract recommendations.

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See the attached list of contract recommendations presented for consideration by the Board of Education of Baltimore County.

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Appendix I – Recommendations for Award of Contracts – Board Exhibit

# Recommendations for Award of Contracts Board Exhibit – October 11, 2011

The following contract recommendations are presented for consideration by the Board of Education of Baltimore County.

1. Contract Modification: Disposal Services – Science Chemicals and Chemical Wastes

**Contract #:** JMI-643-09

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: 7/31/14

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 500,000 **Estimated modification amount:** \$ 300,000 **New estimated total award value:** \$ 800,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

### **Description:**

On July 14, 2009, the Board approved this contract consisting of the provision of skilled, certified, and licensed technicians to safely remove, properly pack, transport, recycle, incinerate, and/or dispose of all science chemicals and chemical wastes on an as-needed basis. In order to complete the large number of disposal requests, it is necessary to increase the amount of funding authorization.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract modification is recommended to:

PSC Environmental Services Baltimore, MD Triumvirate Environmental, Inc. Baltimore, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

2. Contract Modification: Field Trip Transportation Services

**Contract #:** PCR-204-11

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: 6/30/21

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

### **Description:**

The Board approved this contract on January 12, 2011, and contract modifications on February 8, 2011, March 8, 2011, April 5, 2011, May 10, 2011, and June 14, 2011. This contract modification adds two providers to the contract, as permitted by the original solicitation.

This contract provides for student transportation services for after-school activities. Activities range from local athletic and music competitions to day-long and overnight cultural trips. Services are employed when BCPS's own fleet is unavailable (due to regular bus route service) or incapable of meeting the trip requirement (such as coach service).

Award bidders have met vehicle and facility inspection criteria that include equipment and onroad performance evaluations and driver investigations that require on-file background investigation, citizenship status, and drug free-testing. Additionally, award bidders are subject to a no-notice inspection focused on safety and serviceability of a specific vehicle and driver.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract modification is recommended to:

Johnson Bus Westminster, MD
Gunther Charters Hanover, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Planning and Support

**Operations** 

**Contact person:** Kara Calder

**Funding source:** Operating budgets of schools/offices

3. Contract Modification: School Buses
Contract #: MWE-806-10

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: 12/31/11

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 13,971,302 **Estimated modification amount:** \$ 3,085,097 **New estimated total award value:** \$ 17,056,399

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

### **Description:**

On December 1, 2009, the Board approved this contract and it was modified on January 11, 2011, for the second-year purchases. This modification is to increase the expenditure to cover the final year of bus purchases. There are 37 buses planned for purchase at no increase in cost over last year. State law requires that Baltimore County replace school buses every 12 years.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract modification is recommended to:

American Bus Sales & Service Annapolis, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Planning and Support

Operations

Contact person: Kara Calder

**4. Contract:** Baltimore County Public Schools (BCPS) and Baltimore County

Government Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)

Contract #: PCR-233-12

**Term:** 1 year **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 6/30/12

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 83,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

#### **Description:**

This MOU is established to provide health services with Baltimore County Department of Health and social worker services with Baltimore County Department of Social Services as described below.

The Baltimore County Infants and Toddlers Program is an interagency program. In Baltimore County, the health department serves as the lead agency and BCPS serves as the fiscal agent. Other partners include the Baltimore County Department of Social Services and private agencies. Each of these agencies contributes staff and resources to the program. All services are mandated by federal and state law, including Part C of IDEA and COMAR. Through the annual grant application, the Consolidated Local Implementation Grant, grant funds are included to support specific services that may be provided through one of the county partner agencies.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of MOU is recommended to:

Baltimore County Department of Health Towson, MD Baltimore County Department of Social Services Towson, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Special Programs

Contact person: Kathleen McMahon

Funding source: Infants and Toddlers grant funds

**5. Contract:** BCPS Principals' Academy – Use of Facilities and Related Expenses

Contract #: RGA-108-12

**Term:** 1 year **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 6/30/12

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 68,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

The BCPS Principals' Academy is a two-night, three-day professional development activity for all principals in the county. This experience supports the vision and mission from the *Blueprint for Progress*. Principals are provided with the skills, strategies, and support to enhance their professional growth as a school leader.

The Principals' Academy allows principals to work collaboratively with their colleagues on innovative topics that will enhance their professional growth. Professional development is achieved through various presentations by the superintendent and speakers. Sessions are differentiated to meet the needs of principals. In offering this academy at the Rocky Gap Lodge and Golf Resort, principals are able to concentrate on the specific needs of their schools while networking, vertical teaming, and collaborating with feeder schools. New principals begin the first phase of their induction program. Other sites were investigated; however, Rocky Gap was the most cost effective locale to host this activity.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Rocky Gap Lodge and Golf Resort Flintstone, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Professional Development

**Contact person:** William S. Burke

**6. Contract:** Cohort – Teacher as Leader in Autism Spectrum Disorder M.Ed. Program **Contract #:** RGA-948-12

**Term:** 4 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 12/31/14

Estimated total award value: \$ 203,500

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

This contract is for a cohort program to provide 37 graduate credit hours in special education and autism spectrum disorders coursework, beginning in the spring semester of 2012 and concluding in the fall semester of 2014, leading to master of education degree. Enrollment is open to teachers who currently hold certification in special education or a related field with a maximum of 22 participants.

There is a need to have teachers who have acquired the skills, knowledge, and dispositions that are critical for the effective instruction of students with autism spectrum disorders and who can assume a leadership role within the school community.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Towson University Towson, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Professional Development

**Contact person:** William S. Burke

**7. Contract:** Energy Consultant

Contract #: PCR-241-12 (Baltimore Regional Cooperative Purchasing Committee

(BRCPC) Contract #P-063)

**Term:** 1 year **Extension:** 9 years **Contract Ending Date:** 11/30/21

Estimated total award value: \$ 420,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

This contract consists of providing consulting services for the procurement of electricity, natural gas, and other energy commodities. Services include:

- Gathering market data and preparing all necessary market analysis to assist in the development of the energy procurement strategy.
- Providing ongoing advice on energy commodity strategy and execution as the BRCPC entities purchase electricity and natural gas directly in the wholesale markets.
- Performance tracking and account reconciliation, including quarterly reports for overall energy strategy
- Budget projections: Providing forecast price and cost data, and advising the BRCPC entities of the impact of hedging energy prices with fixed-cost purchases. Preparing annual budgets and midyear updates.

Additional services may include demand-load response programs, energy conservation, energy best practices, and any services related to energy demand and energy supply.

Board of Education Policy 3210 and §5-112, Paragraph (3) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland allows BCPS to utilize contracts awarded by other government agencies or by intergovernmental purchasing organizations if the lead agency for the contract follows the public bidding procedures.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

EnerNOC, Inc. Boston, MA

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

8. Contract: Ice Melt
Contract #: PCR-231-12

**Term:** 5 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 11/30/16

Estimated total award value: \$ 125,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011 August 11, 2011

**Pre-bid meeting date:** N/A

**Due date:** August 31, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 9
No. of bids received: 3
No. of no-bids received: 1

# **Description:**

This contact consists of providing ice melt chemicals to BCPS.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Tru-Green, LP Memphis, TN Seaboard Asphalt, Inc. Baltimore, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

**9. Contract:** Infants and Toddlers Therapists

**Contract #:** PCR-228-12

**Term:** 5 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 11/30/16

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 1,000,000

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: July 28, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: August 11, 2011
Due date: August 24, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 36 No. of bids received: 15 No. of no-bids received: 1

#### **Description:**

This contract consists of speech pathology, occupational and physical therapies, and physical instruction services for the Office of Infants and Toddlers.

The federal and state mandated multi-agency infants and toddlers program provides early intervention services to children from birth through 36 months of age who have developmental disabilities, delays, or special health needs as well as to their families. Services include special instruction, speech-language pathology, occupational therapy, physical therapy, social work, psychology, nursing, audiology, and service coordination. The services are provided in typical settings, such as the home or day care, for children of this age group. The infants and toddlers program goal is to support the family within the community as they facilitate their child's learning and development.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Arbor E&T dba Care Resources

County Therapy Associates, LLC

Cumberland Therapy Associates, LLC

Educational Based Services

Towson, MD

The Maryland Therapy Network, Inc.

Baltimore, MD

Whiteford, MD

Charlotte, NC

Towson, MD

Bel Air, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Special Programs

Contact person: Kathleen McMahon

Funding source: Grant funds

**10. Contract:** Multimedia Communication Equipment

Contract #: MWE-810-12 (Department of General Services, PA #COSTARS 003-029)

**Term:** 5 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 10/31/16

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 3,000,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

This contract consists of providing for the purchase and installation of multimedia communication equipment throughout BCPS.

Board of Education Policy 3210 and §5-112, Paragraph (3) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland allows BCPS to utilize contracts awarded by other government agencies or by intergovernmental purchasing organizations if the lead agency for the contract follows the public bidding procedures.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Visual Sound Baltimore, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Science, Technology,

Engineering, and Mathematics

Contact person: Dr. John Quinn

11. Contract: Playground Equipment

**Contract #:** JNI-776-12 (Baltimore County Government #205682)

**Term:** 5 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 10/30/16

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 750,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

This contract consists of the purchase and installation of playground equipment for various schools.

Board of Education Policy 3210 and §5-112, Paragraph (3) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland allows BCPS to utilize contracts awarded by other government agencies or by intergovernmental purchasing organizations if the lead agency for the contract follows the public bidding procedures.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Gametime, Inc. Queenstown, MD Little Tikes Farmington, MO

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

**Funding source:** Operating and capital budgets

**12. Contract:** Supplemental Education Services

**Contract #:** RGA-109-12

**Term:** 1 year **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 6/30/12

Estimated total award value: \$ 50,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

#### **Description:**

Under the *No Child Left Behind Act*, Title I schools that have been in school improvement status for two years must offer students from low income families *Supplemental Educational Services* (SES). Baltimore County Public Schools has three Title I schools in school improvement in year two. Accordingly, SES will be offered to eligible students in those schools.

SES programs are tutoring and academic enrichment activities that are offered in nonschool hours by a range of vendors. SES vendors must be selected from the Maryland State Department of Education approved vendor list. To ensure all eligible students have an opportunity to benefit from SES, the Office of Title I will employ an open enrollment application procedure. Vendors are required to conduct a pre-assessment and a post-assessment with each student.

Vendors may provide supplemental reading/language arts, mathematics, science and/or writing instruction for any student enrolled at an eligible school. The SES instructional program must be aligned with the Maryland Voluntary State curriculum. The primary goal of the supplemental program is to provide eligible students with an opportunity to increase their phonemic awareness; to decode unfamiliar words; and to increase fluency, vocabulary development, and comprehension skills. Students will review mathematical skills such as number sense, computation, and problem solving that they have not yet mastered. Vendors may deliver services face-to-face, online, in students' homes, in schools, or in other community-based settings.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

A Plus Success
A to Z In-Home Tutoring, LLC
Washington, DC
A+ Quality Education, LLC
Lanham, MD

Accuracy Temporary Services Clinton Township, MI

Achieve Success Tutoring by University Richmond, VA Instructors, Inc. After School Programs, Inc. Deerfield Beach, FL Alternatives Unlimited, Inc. Baltimore, MD American Tutor, Inc. Hillsborough, NJ Arline Institute, Inc. Camden, NJ C2 Educational Systems, Inc. Duluth, GA Catapult Learning, LLC Camden, NJ Child and Family Solutions Marlton, NJ Commonwealth Education Falls Church, VA **Community Tutoring** Upper Marlboro, MD Cool Kids Learn Miami Lakes, FL

Edison Learning/Newton Learning

Educate Online Learning, LLC

Education Advantage, LLC

Miami Lakes, FL

New York, NY

Baltimore, MD

Fort Lauderdale, FL

Educational Dimensions, Inc.

Largo, MD

GapBuster Learning Center, Inc.

Glen Burnie C2 Education, Inc.

Harvard Learning Centers, Inc.

Lemont, II.

Harvard Learning Centers, Inc.

Healthy Families

HigherSchool Tutoring

Imagine Learning, Inc.

Lemont, IL

Washington, DC

Annapolis, MD

Provo, UT

Learn-It Systems

Baltimore, MD

Living Out Loud Pikesville, MD

Mainstream Development Educational Group Brown Deer WI

Northern Light Stars

Lipper Marlhere MD

Northern Light Stars Upper Marlboro, MD Rocket Learning Miami, FL

The Enrichment Centers NCLB, Inc.

Bethesda, MD
Arlington, VA
TutorFind

Manassas, VA

White Philips MD

Vigorous Elevations, LLC White Plains, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Division of Curriculum and Instruction

Contact person: Dr. Roger Plunkett

**13. Contract:** Technology Supplies and Services

**Contract #:** JNI-775-12 (The Cooperative Purchasing Network Contract #R4705)

**Term:** 4 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 2/28/15

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 5,000,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

### **Description:**

The purpose of this contract is to obtain additional pricing options for our schools and offices in technology supplies and services through an online catalog.

Board of Education Policy 3210 and §5-112, Paragraph (3) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland allows BCPS to utilize contracts awarded by other government agencies or by intergovernmental purchasing organizations if the lead agency for the contract follows the public bidding procedures.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Best Buy Baltimore, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Technology

**Contact person:** Dr. Renee A. Foose

Funding source: Operating funds

**14. Contract:** Telephone Repair Supplies

Contract #: PCR-227-12

**Term:** 5 years **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 9/30/16

**Estimated total award value:** \$ 1,250,000

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: July 14, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: July 28, 2011
Due date: August 10, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 19 No. of bids received: 2 No. of no-bids received: 0

### **Description:**

This contract consists of providing new and refurbished repair and maintenance supplies to support BCPS' Nortel Norstar telephone equipment.

# **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Advanced Telecom Services Ellicott City, MD Mahogany Communications, Inc. Newark, DE

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Technology

Contact person: Dr. Renee A. Foose

**15. Contract:** Television Studio Equipment

**Contract #:** PCR-236-12 (Howard County Public Schools contract #007.12.B2)

**Term:** 1 year **Extension:** N/A **Contract Ending Date:** 11/30/12

Estimated total award value: \$ 65,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

#### **Description:**

This contract consists of providing television studio cameras for Randallstown High School's active production lab through the Mass Communication Magnet Program. The cameras are to replace older model SVHS cameras that are no longer used in the industry and incompatible with current hardware and software. The new cameras will ensure that students entering the program are given the opportunity to learn and actively work within the mass communication field by knowing the current technology.

Board of Education Policy 3210 and §5-112, Paragraph (3) of the Education Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland allows BCPS to utilize contracts awarded by other government agencies or by intergovernmental purchasing organizations if the lead agency for the contract follows the public bidding procedures.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Washington Professional Products Wheaton, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Special Programs

Contact person: Kathleen McMahon

**16. Contract:** Textbooks – Technology Education Grades 11 and 12

**Contract #:** RGA-110-12

Term: 5 years Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: Until replaced

Estimated total award value: \$ 100,000

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

Bid issued: N/A
Pre-bid meeting date: N/A
Due date: N/A
No. of vendors issued to: N/A
No. of bids received: N/A
No. of no-bids received: N/A

#### **Description:**

This contract consists of student textbooks, as well as teacher materials, to replace and update the current instructional materials for the Grades 11 and 12 technology education course, Engineering Technology GT. *Engineering and Technology*, 2010, by Hacker, Burghardt, Fletcher, Gordon, Peruzzi, Prestopnik, and Qaissaunee has been aligned with the updated and revised engineering technology GT curriculum. The textbook is published by Delmar Cengage Learning and was selected for students in Engineering Technology GT, beginning in the 2011-2012 school year.

Engineering and Technology was selected using the process outlined in Policy and Rule 6002. This textbook provides the best match to the BCPS Engineering Technology GT curriculum. The textbook and support materials provide a flexible sequence of topics that can be rearranged to match the scope and sequence of the curriculum. Supplemental materials included in the teacher ancillary package will benefit new and veteran teachers as they plan for instruction. Multiple teaching strategies are suggested throughout the text and ancillary materials and content and approaches to instruction are differentiated.

The textbook is aligned with the Maryland state curriculum and provides numerous opportunities for students to develop and apply skills in reading and critical thinking. The textbook supports student engagement and achievement through the use of photographs, charts, diagrams, and access to online activities. Information within the textbook is accurate, relevant, and reflects a multicultural society.

# **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Cengage Learning Florence, KY

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Science, Technology,

Engineering, and Math

Contact person: Dr. John Quinn

17. Contract: Improvements to the Storm Drain System – Golden Ring Middle School

**Contract #:** JNI-774-12

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: N/A

**Estimated annual award value:** \$ 190,670 **Estimated contingency amount:** \$ 19,067 **Estimated total award value:** \$ 209,737

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: September 1, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: September 8, 2011
Due date: September 21, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 7
No. of bids received: 3
No. of no-bids received: 0

### **Description:**

This project consists of storm drain replacement and construction to relieve subsurface water pressure in sections of the school site. The scope of the project also includes replacement of the underground portion of the roof drainage system, replacing sidewalks to create positive drainage, and grading of the site to improve surface water runoff.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Bosley Construction, Inc. Reisterstown, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

	Bidders' Names		
	Bosley Construction, Inc.	Gray and Son, Inc.	Iacoboni Site Specialists, Inc.
Base Bid	\$190,670	\$199,000	\$406,217

**18. Contract:** Roof Design and Contract Administration Services – Randallstown

Elementary School

**Contract #:** PCR-237-12

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: N/A

**Estimated annual award value:** \$ 18,677 **Estimated contingency amount:** \$ N/A **Estimated total award value:** \$ 18,677

**Board meeting date:** October 11, 2011

#### **Description:**

On July 12, 2005, the Board approved the use of the Pennsylvania Education Joint Purchasing Council (PAEJC)/Weatherproofing Technologies, Inc. (TREMCO). This project consists of roof replacement design and contract administration services for Randallstown Elementary School.

The roof for this school is in need of replacement and approval will allow enough time for the architect to design and get approval for summer 2012 construction work.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Pennsylvania Education Joint Purchasing Ashburn, VA

Council (PAEJC) / Weatherproofing Technologies, Inc. (TREMCO)

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

**19. Contract:** HVAC Renovations – Towson High School

**Contract #:** MWE-831-11

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: N/A

**Estimated annual award value:** \$ 1,155,000 **Estimated contingency amount:** \$ 115,500 **Estimated total award value:** \$ 1,270,500

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: July 21, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: August 4, 2011
Due date: August 26, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 14
No. of bids received: 5
No. of no-bids received: 0

#### **Description:**

This project consists of the replacement of existing pneumatic controls for the heating, ventilating, and air conditioning equipment with Direct Digital Control (DDC) automatic temperature controls (ATC). The project scope includes the installation of new electronic valves and actuators. In addition, an existing cooling tower will be replaced in kind, as well as a roof-mounted kitchen hood fan.

#### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Towson Mechanical, Inc. Parkville, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

	Bidders' Names				
	Towson Mechanical, Inc.	RWC Contracting LLC	Phillips Way, Inc.	Denver-Elek, Inc.	Roy Kirby & Sons, Inc.
Base Bid	\$1,155,000	\$1,184,000	\$1,267,000	\$1,526,000	\$1,579,000

**20. Contract:** Replacement of Chilled Water Equipment – Western School of

Technology

**Contract #:** JNI-769-12

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: N/A

**Estimated annual award value:** \$ 830,000 **Estimated contingency amount:** \$ 83,000 **Estimated total award value:** \$ 913,000

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: July 28, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: August 11, 2011
Due date: September 1, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 17
No. of bids received: 5
No. of no-bids received: 0

### **Description:**

This project consists of the replacement of two existing centrifugal water-cooled chillers and associated cooling towers, with two banks of modular water-cooled chillers which will utilize a single new roof-mounted cooling tower. In addition, chilled, heating, and condenser water pumps will be replaced as well as associated piping. A Direct Digital Control (DDC) automated temperature control (ATC) system will be installed for the new equipment.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Towson Mechanical, Inc. Parkville, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

Contact person: Michael G. Sines

Contract Name: Replacement of Chilled Water Equipment – Western School of Technology

**Contract Number:** JNI-769-12

	Bidders' Names				
	Towson Mechanical, Inc.	Chasney and Company, Inc.	Phillips Way, Inc.	Denver-Elek, Inc.	Dynastics, Inc.
Base Bid	\$748,000	\$798,000	\$859,000	\$924,300	\$971,200
Alternate No.1 ADD: Replace heating water pumps, piping, concrete pads and associated variable frequency drives and controls	\$69,000	\$86,100	\$88,000	\$99,840	\$94,164
Alternate No. 2 ADD: Variable frequency drives for all condenser water pumps	\$13,000	\$15,000	\$13,000	\$14,920	\$13,000
Total	\$830,000	\$899,100	\$960,000	\$1,039,060	\$1,078,364

21. Contract: Replacement of Windows, Blinds, and Doors – Woodbridge Elementary

School

**Contract #:** JNI-762-12

Term: N/A Extension: N/A Contract Ending Date: N/A

**Estimated annual award value:** \$ 276,888 **Estimated contingency amount:** \$ 27,688 **Estimated total award value:** \$ 304,576

Board meeting date: October 11, 2011
Bid issued: July 14, 2011
Pre-bid meeting date: July 28, 2011
Due date: August 11, 2011

No. of vendors issued to: 12 No. of bids received: 2 No. of no-bids received: 1

#### **Description:**

This project consists of the removal and replacement of the exterior windows, blinds, exterior doors and frames and other associated work. This work will benefit all areas of the school with the installation of new energy efficient aluminum window frames and energy efficient double glazing. The doors will be replaced with new steel doors, frames and hardware that meet all required code requirements.

### **Recommendation:**

Award of contract is recommended to:

Baltimore Contractors, Inc.

Baltimore, MD

**Responsible school or office:** Department of Physical Facilities

**Contact person:** Michael G. Sines

Funding source: Qualified Zone Academy Bonds

	Bidders' Names		
	Baltimore Contractors,	E. Pikounis Construction	
	Inc.	Co., Inc.	
Base Bid	\$276,888	\$278,000	