

Resolution 2019-20: 83

Purchase Order – Playground Equipment Dr. Walter Cooper Academy School No. 10 (Landscape Structures) Phase 2

By Board Member Thomas Richards

WHEREAS, the Rochester School Facilities Modernization Program Act (“School Modernization Act”) established the Rochester Joint Schools Construction Board (“RJSCB” or “Board”), a seven voting member board consisting of equal representation by the City of Rochester (“City”) and the Rochester City School District (“District”), as well as a member jointly selected by the City and the District; and

WHEREAS, under the School Modernization Act, the RJSCB has certain enumerated powers to act as agent for the District, the City, or both; and

WHEREAS, the authorizing legislation for Phase 2 of the Rochester Schools Modernization Program (“RSMP”) was signed into law by the Governor of the State of New York on December 17, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the amended School Modernization Act authorized up to 26 projects in Phase 2 of the RSMP including a District Wide Technology program, which involves technology upgrades and infrastructure work at several of the possible projects; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB’s procurement policy allows for the issuance of purchase orders from centralized contracts let by the New York State Office of General Services (“OGS”); and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB is an authorized purchaser from OGS centralized contracts and was issued a customer identification number (Customer ID #8174) by OGS in 2012; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB’s Program Manager recommends the purchase of Playground Equipment off an OGS contract (“State Contract”) in conjunction with the Dr. Walter Cooper Academy School No. 10 (“School 10”) project; and

WHEREAS, the OGS State Contract PC 67833 includes materials meeting the specifications for the School 10 project in accordance with the RJSCB’s procurement policy; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB has been advised that the firm Landscape Structures (“Landscape Structures”) is an OGS approved vendor of Playground Equipment; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB has been advised that Landscape Structures has agreed to utilize 2019 pricing for the Playground Equipment for the School 10 project, and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB has been advised that Landscape Ventures has agreed to provide an eight (8%) percent discount off the 2019 OGS Contract PC 67833 price; and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager recommends that a purchase order be issued to Landscape Structures for Playground Equipment pursuant to State Contract PC 67833 for the following project and amount:

School Project	Equipment	NTE Amount
School 10	Playground Equipment for two playgrounds: Pre-K and Intermediate Elementary	\$116,818.80*

* Does not included the cost of installation and other incidentals, including play surface and fencing which are being negotiated separately with the School 10 General Trades Contractor.

WHEREAS, at the M/WBE and Services Procurement Committee (“Committee”) meeting held on February 6, 2020, following the review and consideration of the recommendations provided by the Program Manager and after due deliberation, the Committee approved the recommendation to issue a purchase order to Landscape Structures, a vendor listed on the competitively bid State Contract PC 67833.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The RJSCB hereby approves the recommendation of the Program Manager to utilize State Contract PC 67833 to procure the Playground Equipment as indicated above associated with the School 10 project; and
2. The RJSCB hereby awards the purchase order to Landscape Structures for Playground Equipment as set forth above, and the Chair, with the advice of the Program Manager and the RJSCB’s general counsel, will issue a purchase order to procure the commodities through the State Contract from this firm in the amount set forth above.

Second by Board Member Rosiland Brooks-Harris
Adopted 4-0