

Resolution 2016-17: 224

Contract Award – General Construction, Mechanical, Electrical and Plumbing – Dr. Freddie Thomas Learning Center (Phase 2b)

By Board Member Brown

WHEREAS, the Rochester School Facilities Modernization Program Act (the “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 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 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, for Phase 2 of the RSMP, the RJSCB intends to undertake 14 projects for the design, reconstruction, or rehabilitation of existing school buildings for their continued use by the District (collectively, the “Phase 2 Projects”), which have been further defined as Phase 2a, Phase 2b, Phase 2c and Phase 2d, plus a DWT project at each of the Phase 2 school buildings; and

WHEREAS, the Dr. Freddie Thomas Learning Center (“DFTLC”) is one of the projects included in Phase 2b of the RSMP as provided in the Phase 2 Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, Phase 2b of the RSMP includes general construction, mechanical, plumbing and electrical work at DFTLC; and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager worked with the DFTLC Architect and Construction Manager to prepare requests for bids for general construction, mechanical, electrical and plumbing bidding documents package; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB authorized the release of the general construction, mechanical, plumbing and electrical work package at its regular meeting on April 10, 2017 (Resolution 2016-17: 184); and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager received bids on May 15, 2017 per the deadline stipulated in the Request for Bids for the DFTLC project, and those bids were subsequently publicly opened and read aloud at the location stated in the Request for Bids; and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager, the Construction Manager and the Independent Compliance Officer (“ICO”) reviewed the bids submitted for the DFTLC project, conducted de-scoping meetings, and concluded that the apparent low bidders are also qualified and responsible bidders; and

WHEREAS, on June 1, 2017, the Program Manager, ICO and Construction Manager provided their award recommendations regarding the general construction, mechanical, electrical and plumbing work contracts for DFTLC project to the RJSCB's MWBE and Services Procurement Committee (the "Committee") meeting; and

WHEREAS, at its June 1, 2017 meeting, the Committee considered and discussed the recommended awards and, after due deliberation, the Committee, contingent on approval of the DFTLC project from the New York State Education Department, approved the contract awards as follows:

<u>Scope of Work</u>	<u>Name of Contractor</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>
General	Steve General Contractors, Inc.	3774 Telephone Road Caledonia, NY 14423	\$283,000.00
Mechanical	John W. Danforth Company	930 Old Dutch Road Victor, NY 14564	\$62,400.00
Electrical	Billitier Electric, Inc.	760 Brooks Avenue Rochester, NY 14619	\$49,200.00
Plumbing	Michael A. Ferrauilo Plumbing & Heating, Inc.	1600 Jay Street Rochester, NY 14611	\$27,660.00

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The RJSCB hereby approves the above-stated recommendations that the contract awards shall be made to the above named firms and bid amounts to provide all equipment, labor, materials, and plant necessary to execute the general construction, mechanical, electrical and plumbing scopes of work associated with the DFTLC project contingent upon approval by the New York State Education Department; and
2. The RJSCB Chair is hereby authorized, in the name and on behalf of the RJSCB, to execute and deliver an Agreement to the firms named above in substantially the form included in the Request for Bids for the DFTLC project, with such changes as the Chair may approve (his/her signature thereon being conclusive evidence of such approval) on the advice of the Program Manager and the RJSCB's general counsel.

Second by Board Member Jones

Approved 5-0 with Vice Chair Schmidt and Member Richards away