

Resolution 2016-17: 149

Purchase Order – Monroe H.S. Phase 2a Access Controls (Day Automation Systems)

By Board Member Brown

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, in 2001, the Board of Education for the District passed Resolution number 2001-2002: 176, which standardized the use of Anderson Controls products for energy management, video and access systems in District facilities; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB’s Program Manager recommends the purchase of access controls equipment off of an OGS contract (“State Contract”) in conjunction with the Monroe High School Phase 2a project; and

WHEREAS, the OGS State Contract PT 64059 includes materials meeting the specifications for the Monroe High School Phase 2a project in accordance with the District’s standardization policy and also accords with the RJSCB’s procurement policy; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB has been advised that the firm Schneider Electric acquired Andover Controls in 2014; and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB has been advised that the firm Day Automation Systems, Inc. (“Day Automation”) is the sole distributor of Schneider/Anderson controls in the Rochester, NY area; and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager recommends that a purchase order be issued to Day Automation as the authorized distributor of Schneider/Andover products pursuant to State Contract PT 64059 in the amount of \$223,913.79; and

WHEREAS, at the MWBE and Services Procurement Committee (“Committee”) meeting held on March 2, 2017, 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 the distributor Day Automation, listed on the competitively bid State Contract PT 64059, and identified as being the provider of the District mandated access controls.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The RJSCB hereby approves the recommendation of the Program Manager to utilize State Contract PT 64059 to procure the access controls equipment as indicated above and associated with the Monroe High School project in Phase 2a of the RSMP; and
2. The RJSCB hereby awards the purchase order to Day Automation for access, 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 of \$223,913.79.

Second by Board Member Jones

Approved 6-0 with Member Schmidt away