

BERKELEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

RESOLUTION No. 18-026

Authorization to Award Contract for BHS Turf Replacement Project #137.1803

WHEREAS, in accordance with Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting procedures, bids were solicited for the Berkeley High School Turf Replacement Project #137.1803. Bids were opened on April 10, 2018 at 2:00pm, and the following 2 bids were received and deemed qualified as follows:

CONTRACTOR	Base Bid
Interstate Grading & Paving, Inc.	\$897,000
Valley Precision Grading, Inc	\$734,255

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

On January 31, 2018, the Board authorized staff to advertise a project to replace the turf at Berkeley High School. The project was advertised on March 23rd and March 30th. On April 10th, 2018, two bids were received. Both bids are qualified. Staff has evaluated the bids and feels that the low bid is a good value to the district. Staff would like to recommend that the Board award the base bid to the apparent low bidder, Valley Precision Grading, Inc. in the amount of \$734,255. This project is slightly over the estimate, but it is critical to replace the turf as the field is at the end of its useful life and will become a safety hazard.

WHEREAS, Valley Precision, Inc. is the lowest bidder and is deemed to be responsive, responsible and qualified to complete the work according to the specifications in project number 137.1803 documents;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the bid of Valley Precision Grading, Inc., for the Total Base Bid in the amount of \$734,255 be accepted; and the Deputy Superintendent and/or Purchasing Agent of this Board are hereby authorized to enter into a contract with said bidder for said amount in accordance with law.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Education of the Berkeley Unified School District this 25th day of April 2018.

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Beatriz Levya-Cutler
Clerk, Board of Education
Berkeley Unified School District