LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
November 16, 2026

TOPIC: Approval of Garfield Thrive Track Site Work

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District accept the recommendation of the Project Team and approve **Cortis Brothers Trucking and Excavating,** Marine City, Michigan, as the lowest responsible bidder for the Garfield Thrive Track site work in the amount of **$455,200, plus a 7% construction contingency of $32,000**, for a total project authorization of **$487,200.**

RATIONALE:

This project is part of the $750,000 state-funded Thrive Track Healthy Living Skills for Independence initiative at Garfield Community School. The site work includes construction of an accessible walking track, improvements to the existing basketball court, and associated site improvements to support outdoor physical activity, independence, and healthy living for students with varying abilities.

Approval will allow the District to move forward with the contractor and begin securing the necessary City permits and approvals in preparation for construction in May 2027.
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BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

State Grant

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Jeff Burnside, Director of Operations and District Services

EXHIBITS:

Attached

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