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From: Joe Adelman, Executive Director of Operations
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CC: Dr. Kristen Weikle, Superintendent
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Date: April 10, 2026

RE: Parkside Jr. High School Science Room Abatement

The Unit 5 Operations Department recommends approval of \$34,500.00 to Abel Plus Services, Inc. for abatement of materials considered to contain asbestos in the Parkside Jr. High School science rooms.

Abel Plus Services, Inc. was the lowest responsible bidder at the bid opening held on February 19, 2026 at 3:00 p.m.

Ideal Environmental will oversee the project and enforce all standards recommended by the Illinois Department of Public Health.

This project will be paid for with Health Life Safety Amendment #30.