



## **ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE**

**MEETING DATE:** June 21, 2021

**AGENDA ITEM:** Extension of Grounds Services Contract with Ronnie Walters Lawn Care

**PRESENTER:** Earl Husfeld, Chief Financial Officer and Tyler Boswell, Director of Construction and Facilities

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- In December 2017, the District advertised for Competitive Sealed Proposals (CSP) for District Grounds Services. Eight (8) sealed proposals were received in the Aledo ISD Business Office by the deadline of 2:00 PM on March 2, 2018.
- Based upon a detailed evaluation and analysis by district staff and an independent third-party of all responses received using the criteria published in the proposal documents, the CSP received from Ronnie Walters Lawn Care, LLC was determined to provide the best value to Aledo ISD.
- The initial contract period with Ronnie Walters Lawn Care, LLC was for three (3) years with two (2), one (1) year extensions, at the District's discretion and in the best interests of the District. The contract/CSP provided for termination with a thirty (30) day written notice. If the proposed termination is related to the performance of the Contractor, the Contractor has forty-five (45) days to cure the deficiencies.
- During the three (3) years Ronnie Walters Lawn Care, LLC has provided grounds services for the District, they have been very responsive to the District's needs and met the expectations of the contract/CSP.
- Final terms of the one (1) year extension will be finalized prior to presentation of this item to you for consideration/action at the July 19, 2021, board meeting. Among the items being discussed/reviewed is the opening of Annetta Elementary School and the level of grounds services required for this campus.

### **FISCAL INFORMATION:**

The cost of this contract will be included in the 2021-2022 General Fund budget, and will be shared with the Board prior to the July 19, 2021 Board meeting.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

None

### **ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:**

None – Informational Item