

Henderson ISD Board Background

Subject: Consider the approval of a bus engine overhaul

Presented for: Action X

Report Only _____

Background Information

The Transportation Department has identified a bus in need of a major engine repair.

The vehicle is a 2016 International Motors bus (Unit B13) currently in the district fleet. As of the end of January, the bus had 85,966 miles. The engine is currently consuming approximately 8 gallons of oil per week, indicating a significant mechanical issue that requires an engine overhaul to maintain safe and reliable operation.

Two repair quotes have been obtained for the engine overhaul. Both vendors are awarded through approved purchasing cooperatives of which the district is a member, ensuring compliance with state procurement requirements.

Vendor	Amount	Purchasing Coop Contract #
Holt Truck Centers of Texas	\$22,710.68	Region 7 TRAN2426 expiration date 12/12/2062
Pliler International	\$26,952.12	Region 7 TRAN 2426 expiration date 12/12/2026

The Transportation Department recommends the quote from Pliler International, based on their experience servicing the district's buses and their familiarity with this vehicle type.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Henderson ISD Board of Trustees approve to proceed with the engine overhaul from the recommended vendor – Pliler International in the amount of \$26,952.12.

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