INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #857

100 County Road 25 Lewiston MN 55952

CALL FOR BIDS

The Lewiston – Altura School District is accepting bids to replace the four light poles for the football field/track behind the high school. The district is seeking to install LED lighting that will provide improved quality and efficiency. The project will include pole replacement, wiring and installation of the necessary fixtures to adequately illuminate the field and track. Adequate in-ground wiring and transformer are already in place.

To visit the site, contact Field and Grounds Supervisor Joe Banicki at 507-429-7558.

Bids with proposed equipment, installation details, timeline and costs will be received until January 5, 2022 at 3:15pm. Bids will be opened at 3:30pm on January 5th in the Superintendent's Office.

Sealed bids must be mailed or hand delivered to:

Superintendent Gwen Carman 100 County Road 25 Lewiston MN 55952

Lewiston – Altura Stadium 4 Poles/Lights Bid Summary January 10, 2022

Bid Document Attached: Bids were due January 5, 2022 at 3:15pm.

We received two bids.

1) Musco (Received January 3, 3:43pm)

30 Foot-Candles: \$196,601, includes all electrical work, removal of existing poles

OPTION: \$9800 Control-Link Adder

- Provides remote (app) on/off capabilities
- Ability to 'dim' the lights
- Musco has online access to monitor/alert to any issues immediately vs needing to report an issue
- Can add the option later but will lose the option to dim the lights.
- Having it or adding it later does not impact the 25 year warranty.
- 2) Don's Electric (Received January 6, 9:08am)

30 Foot-Candles: \$191,801.00 Plus Pole Removal: \$8737.00

Total: \$205,538.00

Recommendation:

Accept Musco bid. (Less expensive and bid submitted prior to posted deadline)

Accept additional Control-Link Adder (Primary concern is if there is a problem with the lights [should not happen in short term but potentially in future years] during a 'live event' they can more immediately assess and intervene vs. our staff needing to call it in, then determine the problem and then intervene. The delay would be difficult with a live audience/event happening.)

Funding:

The district can utilize part of the Construction Fund Balance (approximately \$525,000 balance)