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May 13, 2015

Kerry Leider Property and Risk Manager Duluth Public Schools 215 North 1st Ave. East Duluth, MN 55802

Re: Recommendation of Award Laura MacArthur Elementary Tennis Courts and Discus Bid # 1241

Dear Kerry:

I have reviewed the bids from KTM Paving, Inc. and Hibbing Excavating, Inc. that the school district received for the construction of the Tennis Courts, Discus Court and Shotput at Laura MacArthur Elementary School. The (2) signed bids amounts are shown below:

KTM Paving, Inc. included a lump sum bid price of **\$587,588.17**. Hibbing Excavating, Inc. included a lump sum bid price of **\$364,000.00**.

Both bidders provided competent bids. I therefore am recommending to you, that the Duluth School District award the project to Hibbing Excavating, Inc. being the low bidder.

If you have any questions please contact me at 727-5995.

Sincerely,

David Bolf, P.E. - Partner Northland Consulting Engineers LLP