



Livonia Public Schools

Facilities and Operations

Date: November 1, 2022

To: Phillip Francis, Assistant Superintendent of District Services

From: Harry C. Lau, Administrator of Facilities and Operations

Re: Recommendation to Award Garfield Greenhouse Site Work

I am recommending and seeking approval to award the Garfield Greenhouse Site Work to Simone Companies at a cost of \$226,900.00. This will be funded through Act 18 funds.

Livonia Public Schools has put this work out to bid on three different occasions. The first public bid was due to be opened on June 10, 2020, the second public bid was due to be opened on February 26, 2021. The third bid was due to be opened on November 3, 2021. The Board of Education did vote to award this bid to Universal Consolidated Enterprises, Inc. (UCE). UCE went out of business in April 2022.

A list of vendors that participated in this bid are listed below:

Simone Companies	Shelby Twp., MI	\$226,900.00
Nagle Paving Company	Novi, MI	\$369,250.00

Rationale: This work has been publicly bid three times. Livonia Public Schools has the greenhouse and all of its parts in our warehouse.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

cc: K. Oaks