

**BELDING AREA SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING**

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FOR ACTION

SUBJECT: Purchase of Food Service Equipment

Background and Findings:

The State of Michigan has advised of a requirement to spend down our food service fund balance. Our balance of more than three months of operating expenses is larger than they allow. A plan was developed to spend the funds on multiple needs identified. Four quotes were received, with the low bid going to Great Lakes Hotel Supply in the amount of \$91,734.82.

Quotes:

Dew-El Corporation	\$132,012.26
TriMark	\$ 98,639.00
Douglas Equipment	\$ 92,329.29
Great Lakes Hotel Supply	\$ 91,734.82

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Board approve the purchase of the food equipment from Great Lakes Hotel Supply.