Denton Independent School District RFP #2410-10 In-Building Fiber Upgrade

November 12, 2024

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval of RFP #2410-10 In-Building Fiber Upgrade.

BOARD VALUE:

Growth & Management... In pursuit of excellence, we value demonstrating effective and efficient management of district resources and providing leadership and/or oversight to ensure District meets all fiscal, legal and regulatory requirements.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

On January 10, 2023, the Board of Trustees called for the 2023 bond election with the recommendation by the Bond Committee. The bond was approved by the voters on May 6, 2023.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

This proposal was issued on September 28, 2024. A total of 276 vendors were notified of the proposal. Four (4) responses to the proposal were received on October 23, 2024. One vendor chose to withdraw their response from consideration. A total of four (4) responses from three (3) vendors were evaluated. One vendor submitted an alternate response for another manufacturer of the product needed.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

The cost of this project is \$1,067,707.77.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

The cost will be borne by 2023 Bond funds.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

Passage will allow the District to upgrade the networking switch infrastructure at twenty campus and District facility locations.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that RFP #2410-10 In-Building Fiber Upgrade be awarded to Lantek Audio Video Communications, LLC.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Robert Pierce, Chief Technology Officer Graham Walden, Senior Network Infrastructure Architect Cindy Willis, Director of Purchasing Vicki Garcia, Executive Director of Financial Operations

ATTACHMENT:

RFP #2410-10 In-Building Fiber Upgrade Vendor Evaluation

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:

Signature of Superintendent: