

Consent Item

Date: December 8, 2025 **Division**: Finance

Subject: CSP #3331-25 Grounds, Weed, Ant Control and Other Related Services

Background Information:

• Intent is to provide CSP #3331-25 Grounds, Weed, Ant Control and Other Related Services for grounds maintenance managed by the Facility Services Department.

- Services needed include weed control (pre- and post-emergent) and fire ant control throughout the District's campuses and support buildings, totaling 575.92 acres in weed control and 296.83 acres in fire ant control.
- The Texas Department of Agriculture requires a state-issued certified applicator's license to apply pesticides and herbicides relative to public school property.
- Weed control for campus grounds and football fields is as follows: pre-emergent is applied three times per year, and post-emergent is applied one time per year.
- Weed control for baseball and softball fields: pre-emergent is applied two times per year, and post-emergent is applied one time per year.
- Fire ant treatments of all areas of campus grounds are applied four times per year.
- Crack and crevices for weeds in sidewalks and expansion joints require a chemical application for treatments and shall be provided on an as-needed basis.
- If approved, allowing additional vendors will help provide the District with access to a wide range of vendors, products, services, and competitive pricing in support of achieving the best value.
- Best value involves considering several factors, which may include, but are not limited to, price, quality, availability, delivery timing, support, and other relevant factors. Awarding to multiple vendors does not obligate the District to make purchases.

Administrative Consideration:

- Notifications were sent to 726 suppliers, and six proposals were received.
- Funds for these purchases come from the Facility Services operating budget.
- Previous annual expenditures:
 - 0 2024–2025: \$287,384
- Estimated annual expenditures: \$300,000 but will not exceed the approved budget.
- This procurement complies with Section 44.031 of the Texas Education Code and other applicable state, local and federal procurement laws.

Recommendations:

• Lewisville ISD Board of Trustees to approve CSP #3331-25 Grounds, Weed, Ant Control and Other Related Services, the estimated annual expenditures, and the recommended vendors for a two-year term.

Timeline/Report:

• Term: December 2025 – December 2027