TO:

MR. JOHN F. THOMAS, SUPERINTENDENT

FROM:

DR. MATT WILKINSON, ASST. SUPT. BUSINESS & HR

DATE:

**APRIL 2, 2019** 

RE:

**BOARD AGENDA ITEM** 

APPROVAL OF 2019 HEALTH LIFE SAFETY "A" PROECTS AT BROOKS, BRYANT, HOLMES, AND

WHITTIER

At the January 22, 2019 regular Board of Education meeting, the Board authorized the preparation of specifications and solicitation of bids for the Health Life Safety (HLS) "A" Projects for Brooks, Bryant, Holmes, and Whittier that need to be completed over the summer for the District to be in compliance with the school code. Four bids from contractors were received on March 11<sup>th</sup>. The lowest responsible bid was received from Chicago Heights Construction Company for the based bid price of \$341,915.

Chicago Heights Construction Company was researched and appears to be a reputable contractor. They will pay the prevailing wage rates. The District has worked with Chicago Heights Construction Company in the past and has been satisfied with their performance.

The District will use funds from the \$1.6 million Working Cash Bond issued in February 2019 to pay for the architect fees and this project.

Based on the above information, the Finance Committee recommends the Board waive any and all irregularities in the bidding process and award the Health Life Safety (HLS) "A" Projects for Brooks, Bryant, Holmes, and Whittier to Chicago Heights Construction Company for the based bid price of \$341,915.

The schedule and significant dates for the Health Life Safety (HLS) "A" Projects for Brooks, Bryant, Holmes, and Whittier are as follows:

- > Approved bid specifications and solicit bids January 22<sup>nd</sup>.
- ➢ Bid-opening meeting on March 11<sup>th</sup>.
- ➤ Approve project at April 1<sup>st</sup> Finance Committee meeting.
- Approve project at April 15th Board of Education meeting.
- > Pre-construction meeting in May.



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March 18, 2019

Matt Wilkinson, Ed.D.
Assistant Superintendent of Business Operations & Human Relations
Harvey Public School District 152
16001 Lincoln Avenue.
Harvey, IL 60426

RE: Bid Results/Recommendation: D152 Harvey Life Safety Renovations
STR Project #18087

Dear Dr. Wilkinson:

Four proposals for the above-captioned project were received at the Board of Education Harvey School District 152, 16001 Lincoln Avenue, Harvey, IL 60426 on Monday, March 11, 2019 by 11:00 a.m. local time.

The proposals were opened and read aloud, shortly after 11:00 a.m. We have enclosed a copy of the Bid Tabulation Sheet summarizing the proposals received.

## **Bid Recommendation**

We have called references and find no basis to exclude them from contract award. We have included a letter from Chicago Heights Construction Company. In addition, our engineers have reviewed the scope of work with the low-bidder, and understand that the scope has been adequately covered. We have included a letter from Chicago Heights Construction Company confirming their bid.

The bid form included a base bid.

Based upon our due diligence, we recommend award as follows:

Chicago Heights Construction Company 1535 Otto Blvd. , P.O. Box 607 Chicago Heights, IL 60411

Base Bid: \$341,915.00 **Total Recommendation** \$3**41,915.00** 

The preceding represents our best interpretation of the bid proposals received. It you require any additional information, please call me.

Sincerely, STR Partners LLC

Mike Henderson, AIA Principal

cc: File

## BID TABULATION SHEET

Project Name: D152 Harvey Life Safety Renovations

Owner: Harvey School district

STR Project No: 18087

Opening Date: March 11, 2019
Opening Location: Harvey School District Office

	Chicago Heights Construction Company	CMM Group Incorporated	Metropolitan Corporation	Tower Constracting, LLC
Acknowledge Addeda Issued: (3)	V	V	V	·····
Bid Form	√	√	V	V
Bid Bond	V	V	√ V	V V
Substitution Sheet	√-none	√- none	√-none	√-none
Non-Collusion Affidavit	V	V	1	V
Individual Drug-Free	V	V	√ V	V
Contractors Drug-Free	V	<b>V</b>	· V	V
Human Rights Act	***************************************	V	V	٧
Bidder Eligibility			1	√
Certification Business Enterprise	V	√	V	<b>V</b>
Certification Smoking and Tobacco	V	V	V	7
Policy Criminal Background	V	1	V	V
Check/Sex Offender Contractors Qualification A305	1	V	Not Submitted	V

BASE BI	\$361,700	\$411,000	\$725,000

Chicago Heights Construction Co.

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March 20, 2019

STR Partners 350 West Ontario Street Chicago, IL 60654

Attn: John Jewell, Project Manager

Re: D152 Harvey Life Safety Renovations

Dear Mr. Jewell,

Please let this letter serve as confirmation of our proposal submitted on March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019 to Harvey School District 152 for Life Safety Renovations project in the amount of \$341,915 acknowledging addenda 1, 2 & 3.

Sincerely,

Chicago Heights Construction Company

Dan Bergin Jr. - President