



**RECOMMENDATION FOR LANSING SCHOOL DISTRICT:
SO-1845-FOREST VIEW ASPHALT REPLACEMENT
(EXCAVATION, ASPHALT, AND STRIPING)**

PROJECT:

This recommendation is for the Forest View Asphalt Replacement Bid Package 1. General scope of work is the asphalt replacement of parking lot at Forest View.

BID SUMMARY:

Vendor	Address	Proposal Amount	Tri-County	Local Vendor	Minority Owned	Female Owned
Leavitt & Starck Excavating Inc.	16220 National Pkwy, Lansing, MI	\$317,400	Yes	Yes	No	No
American Asphalt, Inc	301 S Charles St., Lansing, MI	\$349,900	Yes	Yes	No	No
McKearney Asphalt & Sealing Inc.	16501 S. US 27, Lansing, MI	\$367,215	Yes	Yes	No	No
Michigan Paving & Materials	16777 Wood Rd., Lansing, MI	\$419,590	Yes	Yes	No	No

CONNECTION TO THE DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN:

This purchase is in keeping with the Lansing School District's mission of upgrading facilities to be current and usable for the future, as well as protecting the school district's assets.

COMMENTS:

The Purchasing Department issued and received bids for the Forest View Asphalt Replacement BP #1. A total of Four (4) vendor submitted a bid. All bids were reviewed by Laux Construction (CM) and a representative from Lansing School District. A post bid interview was held with the bidders, in which they acknowledged the construction documents, schedule, and the bid amounts listed above. The Bid Review Team's evaluation and post bid interview determined that Leavitt & Starck Excavating, Inc. is the most responsive and qualified bidder for Forest View Asphalt Replacement.

CONSIDERATION OF LOCAL, MINORITY, AND FEMALE OWNED VENDORS:

The district purchasing office publicly advertised in the Lansing State Journal, Lansing School District's web site, State of Michigan's SIGMA website, Grand Rapids Builders Exchange, Builders Exchange of Lansing, Builders Exchange of Kalamazoo, and Laux Construction's Procure Site.

RECOMMENDATION(S):

Based on the bids received for this project, it is recommended the Lansing School District Board of Education authorize a trade contract in the amount of \$317,400.00 to Leavitt & Starck Excavating, Inc. through Laux Construction's Construction Manager contract as Constructor for Forest View Asphalt Replacement Bid Package 1 for Work Category 31A Excavation, Asphalt, and Striping in a total not to exceed \$317,400.00.

Note: for project scope changes that arise with respect to the work of this contractor, the Superintendent of Schools or their designee will authorize changes up to \$50,000 and report those changes to the Board of Education for acceptance. Change issues exceeding \$50,000 will be brought to the Board of Education for approval before authorization by the Superintendent.

Amount Spent During the Last Fiscal Year: \$417,191.26

SOURCE OF FUNDS:

Sinking Fund

CONTACT PERSON(S):

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Finance Department Review

Reviewed by: _____  _____ Date: 11/03/2025 _____

Comments: _____