#### **BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES**

# KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

<u>4E. Preview</u> Date: August 8, 2005

SUBJECT: BIDS

**BOARD GOAL:** Budget and Finance

FISCAL NOTE: Budgeted Funds

ANTICIPATED

DATE FOR ACTION: August 22, 2005

## **Background Information:**

• The following bids are anticipated for presentation at the August 22, 2005 Board meeting or later, depending on the length of the evaluation process.

### Employee Benefits Administration

Department: Risk Management Requestor: Steve Levering

Funding Source: 780 Health Insurance Fund

Proposals were mailed out and e-mailed to 187 vendors on June 1, 2005, and opened on July 6, 2005. This proposal included Medical Claims Administration, Large Case Management/Pre-certification, Self-Insured Dental Claims Administration, Preferred Provider Organization, Prescription Benefit Manager Retail/Mail Order, Employee Assistance Program/Managed Mental Health, Fully Insured Dental DHMO and PDO Type Plans, Voluntary Vision Plan, Basic Life and Voluntary Life Insurance and AD&D, Heart/Stroke Protection Plan, and Laboratory Services.

District representatives and the District's health-care consultant met on July 11, 2005, to discuss and evaluate 65 submitted proposals. At this time, the list was narrowed down to seven vendors for consideration. The Insurance Review Committee met on July 26 and 28 to conduct interviews with these seven insurance vendor representatives. On August 1, the Insurance Committee convened to discuss and review the interview tabulation sheets, and three top vendors were chosen. On August 5, the Administrative Selection Committee will review responses from the top three considered vendors, and a decision will be made to bring to the August 22 Board Meeting.

## Construction of Park Vista Turn Lanes Serving Central High School

Department: Construction Requestor: Mark Canterbury

Funding Source: 620 Construction Fund

Proposals were mailed out July 7, 2005, and opened July 19, 2005. This proposal is for the purpose of constructing Park Vista left turn lanes to serve Central High School.

# Demographic Consulting Services

Department: Demographics Requestor: Jeff Baker

Funding Source: 199 General Fund

Proposals were mailed out July 12, 2005, and opened July 29, 2005. Demographic Consulting Services will be completed on an as-needed basis as required by the

District.

# Land Acquisition and Disposition Services

Department: Demographics Requestor: Jeff Baker

Funding Source: 640 Construction Fund

Proposals were mailed out on July 26, 2005, and will be opening August 10, 2005. This proposal will be utilized for the sale of excess property owned by the District, and the purchase of land for future school sites.

## ➤ HVAC Testing and Air Balancing

Department: Construction Requestor: Mark Canterbury

Funding Source: 620 Construction Fund

Proposals were mailed out July 26, 2005, and will be opening August 11, 2005. This proposal is for district-wide HVAC testing and air balancing projects on an as-needed basis. These are services that require the expertise of specialists in this field.

### Storage Containers

Department: Athletic Requestor: Bob DeJonge

Funding Source: 199 General Fund

Proposals were mailed on July 19, 2005, and opened August 4, 2005. Storage trailers are needed to store athletic equipment at Hillwood Middle, Fossil Ridge High, and Fossil Hill Middle Schools. This equipment was previously being stored in portable buildings.

Respectfully submitted,