



Community Schools

Date: May 8, 2026
To: Board of Education
From: Amanda McElroy, Director of Business Services
Mike Stephayn, Technology Director
RE: Technology – Middle School Clock Replacement
Bid Recommendation

On April, 14 2026, we received five (5) bids for this project.

The following were the bidder's price on the bid package:

| Company | Bid Amount |
|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Buist | \$ 70,675.00 |
| Acorn Sound Technology | \$ 67,711.00 |
| The DataCom Group, Inc. | \$ 64,595.00 |
| Rauland SoundCom Systems | \$ 62,925.00 |
| Hi-Tech Electric | \$ 59,384.00 |

Based on the bid provided and our bid review, it has been confirmed that The DataCom Group, Inc., meets all the requirements. As this company is not the lowest bidder, the two lower bids did not meet the bid specifications. This project is part of our technology bond funding.

The recommendation is for the Board to approve the Middle School Clock Replacement bid to The DataCom Group, Inc. in the amount of \$64,595.00.