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To: Coppell ISD Board of Trustees
From: Sid Grant
Date: February 2, 2010

cc: Dr. Jeff Turner, Kelly Penny,

Re: CHS Gymnasium Bleacher Replacement

As part of the 2009 bond project program, gymnasium bleachers are to be replaced at Coppell High School in both gymnasiums during 2010. Proposals meeting the specifications were received from two highly qualified, reputable bleacher companies, Specialty Supply & Installation, LLC (specializing in Hussey brand bleachers), and the John F. Clark Company (specializing in Interkal brand bleachers). We currently utilize both of these brands of bleachers throughout the school district. More specifically, the proposals received are "turn-key" including all labor and materials for the removal and replacement of the complete bleacher systems at each school.

The bleacher replacements will have essentially the same configuration as the existing systems, except will be fully ADA and code compliant.

The Interlocal Contract purchasing method as provided in the Texas Education Code 44.031 was used to obtain proposals through TASB BuyBoard and the Educational Purchasing Cooperative of North Texas (EPCNT).

Of the two proposals submitted, Specialty Supply & Installation provided the proposal with the best value for the district. Their total proposal of \$251,265 was \$42,235 less than the John F. Clark bid of \$293,500. \$250,000 was budgeted for this bleacher project.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Coppell ISD Board of Trustees approve Specialty Supply & Installation, LLC as the contractor to complete the gymnasium bleacher replacements at Coppell High School for the sum of \$251,265, plus the cost of the payment and performance bond.