

Denton Independent School District
Transportation Radio Communication Solution Purchase

September 24, 2024

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval of the quote from American Communications in the amount of \$2,299,746.35 for Transportation Radio Communication Solution.

BOARD GOAL:

Growth & Management – Demonstrate effective and efficient management of district resources.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The quote from American Communications is for a remote dispatch console for transportation and includes a district wide communication solution for emergency management at a cost of \$2,299,746.35.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

The radio communication system will be used by Transportation for daily operations and for emergency situations for Denton ISD. This purchase is being brought for approval in accordance with the District’s CH (local) policy.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

The cost of these buses will be borne through 2023 Bond Funds.

Bond Funds	\$ 2,299,746.35
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BENEFIT OF ACTION:

The Transportation Department will be able to order and receive the equipment in a timely manner in which to be able to better serve our students for the 2024-2025 school year and 2025-2026 school year.

SUPERINTENDENT’S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the quote from American Communications in the amount of \$2,299,746.35 for the purchase of a district radio communication system be accepted.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Sheryl Alden, Director of Transportation
Cindy Willis, Director of Purchasing

ATTACHMENT:

None

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation: _____
Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent: _____
Signature of Superintendent: _____