

SOUTHEAST ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Meeting: May 31, 2018 – Special Board of Education Meeting

Category: Business Item

Subject: Thorne Bay School Mechanical/Welding Shop Electrical Project

RECOMMENDATION

It is the administration's recommendation that the School Board approve and authorize the superintendent to award a contract for the Thorne Bay School Mechanical/Welding Shop Electrical Project to Tongass Electric for a total award amount of \$13,800.

PERTINENT FACTS:

Thorne Bay School's mechanical/welding shop is overdue for an electrical upgrade. The current amp capacity is not sufficient for tools to be run in the mechanical/wood shop while a welding class is in session. This project will upgrade the amp capacity and ensure safety in both the welding and mechanical/wood shops. Funds for this project will come from two sources: approximately \$9,800 will come from the Carl Perkins (Career & Technical Education) grant and the remainder will come from the General Fund. The proposal submitted by Tongass Electric fulfills the requirements set forth in the request for bids and their bid meets the budget constraints for this project.

Tongass Electric has a successful history of past and recent contracts for the District including, among other projects, the Thorne Bay Wood-fired Boiler Electrical System Installation Project (2016) and the Hollis School Wood-Fired Boiler and Greenhouse Electrical Installation Project (2017).