

TO: Dr. Gearl Loden
FROM: Julie Weaver
RE: Awarding of Advertised Bid/Proposals
DATE: May 15, 2018

Advertisement: **BD1808 Chromebooks/Headphones**
Person Responsible: **Julie Weaver**
Funding Source: **34.1 Bond Issue & District Funds-
Chromebooks
Title/Sped Funds-Headphones if
deemed necessary**
Recommendation: **Trinity3 Technology-Chromebooks
CDI-Headphones**
Total Award: **\$1,155,225 Chromebooks
\$8,500+ Headphones (if necessary)**

Julie Weaver and Jennifer Meadows representing TPSD witnessed the reverse auction results being administered by Vaughn Blaylock of Southern Procurement. The results came from four vendors: Trinity 3 Technology, Venture Technologies, CDI, and CDW-G.

Please award CDI for being deemed the lowest and best bid with a price of \$17.00 per headphone (if an order is placed for more than 500+ headphones).

Please award Trinity 3 Technology for being deemed the lowest and best bid with a price of \$365.00 per Dell 5190 Google Chromebook with chrome management software including a 4 year extended warranty on each device. The total number of devices to be purchased from this bid is 3,165.

This price is actually \$.35 **higher** per device than the lowest bid. However, we are asking this be awarded as the best bid based on the warranty comparisons: unlimited incidents per device vs. 1 per year; theft and intentional damage coverage vs. no coverage, 1 battery incident coverage vs. none, spare replacements on site vs. none, white glove service vs. none, and single point contact vs. none.