

Memo



To: Dr. Karla Guseman
CC: Board of Education
From: Dr. Ilandus Hampton
Date: April 16, 2024
Re: Joliet Central and Joliet West Athletic Facility Improvements

Part of the Master Facilities Plan is to replace the grass infield of the current baseball and softball fields at each campus. The softball field at the central campus will be relocated and upgraded to meet IHSA standards. Due to the delays in supplies and materials the administration is recommending purchasing the turf for each project. The project was bid and purchased through Sourcewell, a Purchasing Cooperative which is a State approved bidding process.

<u>Scope</u>	<u>Vendor</u>	<u>Contract Value</u>
JC Baseball Field	Field Turf	\$210,228.32
JC Softball Field	Field Turf	\$152,283.47
JW Baseball Field	Field Turf	\$202,125.83
JW Softball Field	Field Turf	\$141,029.38

In addition to replacing the infield with turf, each outfield is being evaluated to address any drainage issues. The recommendation for this work will be presented at the May board meeting.

The administration recommends the Board of Education approve hiring Field Turf contract totals as presented.

If you have any questions, please contact me at your convenience.

Thank you.