



Action Item

Date: April 7, 2025

Division: Finance

Subject: Consider Approval of 2023 Bond First-Sale Enhanced Security Screening and Detection Systems and Other Related Products and Services – Cooperative Contract(s) (SB05)

Background Information:

- This recommendation is to provide Enhanced Security Screening and Detection Systems for District security measures to help protect students, employees, and visitors on LISD property.
- The Safety and Security Department has been evaluating available security solutions since January 2023 and has identified the implementation of an enhanced screening and detection system as a necessary measure to enhance proactive threat detection, reduce risks, and promote a safer environment.
- The system is designed to detect metal threats, including handguns and improvised explosive devices (IEDs), by scanning individuals and their belongings as they pass through a designated area with minimal disruption to normal traffic flow. It consists of two freestanding pillars through which people walk, enabling continuous screening of large crowds without requiring individuals to remove bags or backpacks.
- Phase I of the Enhanced Security Screening and Detection Systems project will utilize LISD-eligible cooperative contract(s) to acquire 60 systems for deployment at LISD career centers, high school campuses, and stadiums.
- The recommended procurement will also include transport cases for moving the detection system to stadiums for athletic events, as well as barriers, stanchion rope barriers, and tents to help manage traffic flow.
- Multiple vendors and products were reviewed, and company product demonstrations were conducted.
- If approved, the District will have access to a wide range of Safety & Security vendors, products, services, and pricing to help provide the best value.
- Best value involves considering several factors, which may include but are not limited to price, quality, availability, delivery timing, support, and other relevant factors.
- Interlocal cooperative contracts have gone through a competitive procurement process and comply with local, state, and federal procurement laws.

Administrative Consideration:

- Funds for these products and services will come from the Safety and Security bond funds.
- Estimated expenditure in this commodity: \$1,000,000

- The Enhanced Security Screening and Detection Systems project is scheduled for implementation in the fall of 2025.
- This procurement complies with LISD Board Policy, Section 44.031 of the Texas Education Code, and other applicable state and local procurement laws.

Recommendations:

- That the Lewisville ISD Board of Trustees approves the use of LISD-eligible cooperative contracts for Enhanced Security Screening and Detection Systems and Other Related Products and Services, the associated awarded vendor(s), and the estimated expenditures in this commodity.

Timeline/Report:

- Term: Upon approval