



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AGENDA ACTION ITEM

Topic: Approval to Rescind award of RFP 010-2021 "6 Stage Air Filtration Systems" to Green Dream International

Submitted by: Cordelia Jackson **Of:** Director of Purchasing

Approved for transmittal to school board: May 10, 2021

Recommendations:

Administration recommends the rescission of board action taken on April 27, 2021, to award the air filtration systems to Green Dream International, LLC. The District's RFP contained specifications for an air purification system that contained a particular grade of air filter, hydroxyl reactivity chamber, and revitalizing negative ION chamber. Green Dream International's ("Vendor") proposal provided a price for a particular air purification system that complied with the District's specifications however, the vendor also provided pricing for an alternate product that did not meet specifications yet was priced the same as the compliant air purification system. After the bid was awarded, Vendor stated it did not carry the specific units that complied with the specifications contained in the District's RFP. The Vendor stated it could only provide an alternate make and model that does not meet the District's specifications. The Vendor's alternate product does not meet the District's specifications.

After further discussions with District Administration, a more permanent and economical system will be bid out that will include all areas of the building. In addition, a new RFP for the 6 stage Air Filtrations System will be done but for 500 units vs 7,000.

Rationale:

Staff has complied with all applicable federal, state and local purchasing policies and procedures in obtaining pricing information for the items listed above.

Budgetary Information:

Federal Funds

Board Policy Reference and Compliance

CH Local – purchasing and acquisition

CH Legal – purchasing and acquisition