



July 6, 2021

Mr. Josh Aurand
Assistant Superintendent
Harlem Administration Center
8605 North Second Street
Machesney Park, IL 61115

Dear Mr. Aurand

Project: Recommendation for the 2021 Harlem High School Audio-Visual System
Upgrades
Project No.: 2020.066

At 2:00 P.M., on July 1, 2021, bids were received for the 2021 Harlem High School Audio-Visual System Upgrades Project. Plans and Specifications were distributed to potential bidders, and five bids were received. Of the bids received, the lowest responsible bidder was Associated Electrical Contractors, LLC, which submitted the apparent low base bid of \$258,000. There was one (1) alternate which was to provide and install an Assistive Listening System for an additional \$15,500. Enclosed is a copy of the bid tabulation for your review.

Associated Electrical Contractors, LLC, verified their bid as being complete as submitted and their Audio-Visual subcontractor meets the requirements in the Specifications. DLA Architects therefore recommends awarding the contract to Associated Electrical Contractors, LLC for the base bid amount for a total contract price of \$258,000.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Tracy Biederstadt'. The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Tracy Biederstadt, NCARB, LEED AP BD+C
Sr. Project Manager
Enclosure: Bid Tab

Harlem Consolidated School District 122
HARLEM HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM AUDIO/ VISUAL SYSTEM
 2020.066
Bids Due: 2:00 PM, July 1, 2021



Company	Bid Bond	Total Base Bid plus Allowances	Alternate #1	Sum of Base Bid plus Allowance and Alternate #1
Associated Electrical	x	\$258,000.00	\$15,500.00	\$273,500.00
Wilson Electric Company	x	\$268,050.00	\$14,523.75	\$282,573.75
Renaissance Communications	x	\$266,705.00	\$19,100.00	\$285,805.00
Miller Engineering	x	\$318,475.00	\$17,400.00	\$335,875.00
Peak Electric, Inc.	x	\$507,751.00	\$12,444.00	\$520,195.00

Allowance No. 1: Include a contingency allowance of \$20,000 in the Base Bid for unforeseen conditions
 Allowance No. 2: Include an allowance of \$5,000 in the Base Bid for Wired Microphone Package
 Alternate No.1: Provide and install Assistive Listening System as noted in Specification
 Section 274116 "Integrated Audio-Video Systems and Equipment and on drawings.