



MEMORANDUM

TO: THE KANSAS CITY KANSAS BOARD OF EDUCATION
FROM: Dr. Cynthia Lane, Superintendent of Schools
DATE: February 14, 2017
SUBJECT: ACCEPT LOW BID FOR FIRE ALARM UPGRADES AT ARROWHEAD MIDDLE SCHOOL

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Kansas City Board of Education **accept the low bid from All Systems Designed Solutions for fire alarm upgrades in the amount of \$140,113.00** as submitted by Robert Young, Executive Director of Business Services, Dr. Kelli E. Mather, Chief Operating Officer, and as recommended by Dr. Cynthia Lane, Superintendent of Schools.

EXPLANATION:

Background

This bid solicited contractors for upgrades to the fire alarm systems at Arrowhead Middle School. Bids were received on February 8, 2017 in the Purchasing Department Office. Bids were publically advertised and posted to the District website. Three firms responded. The architect's letter of recommendation and a bid tabulation is attached. This project will be funded with proceeds of the 2016 Bond.

Why This Is Important

Fire alarm systems at each location are in need of replacement to address fire code compliance requirements and to upgrade them to current District standards.

Strategic Framework Authority

Replacement of security systems will address the priority of safe learning environments and being good stewards of resources with financial accountability.

What Action Might the Board Consider?

It is recommended the Board approve low bid so that work may proceed with requested fire alarm upgrades.

Recommended by:

Dr. Cynthia Lane
Superintendent of
Schools

Submitted by:

Dr. Kelli E. Mather
Chief Operating Officer

Robert Young
Executive Director of Business

February 9, 2017

Wayne C. Correll
Assistant Director of Purchasing
Kansas City Kansas Public Schools
2010 N. 59th Street
Kansas City, Kansas 66104

**RE: IFB17-003 Arrowhead Middle School Fire Alarm Upgrades -
Bid Recommendation**

Wayne,

It is our recommendation to award the IFB17-003 Arrowhead Middle School Fire Alarm Upgrade project to the following company:

All Systems Designed Solutions, INC.
3241 N. 7th Street Trafficway
Kansas City, Kansas 66115
Contact – Gary Venable Jr. – President
Office: 913.387.0260

Their total project amount of \$140,113.00 was the lowest qualified bid, with construction duration of 60 days. Their bid form stated 90 days from notice to proceed, but after further clarification, they will complete the project in the duration outlined in the documents for the price listed.

Best Regards,



Sam Collins
Managing Director

IFB 17-003 - Fire Alarm Upgrades at Arrowhead MS

	Low Bid	2	3
	All Systems	KC Electrical Contractors	Keller Fire & Safety
Base Bid	Bid	Bid	Bid
Arrowhead MS	\$ 140,113.00	\$ 193,000.00	\$ 198,620.00