

Report of the Superintendent to the School Board

ACTION ITEM

Subject: Purchase Video Scoreboard for Junge Field

A. Pertinent Facts:

The Dewey Combs Sports Complex at Junge Field hosts numerous events each year with thousands of spectators in attendance. Junge Field is not only home to our Joplin Eagles Football Team, it also hosts Joplin Youth Football, Middle School Football games and practices, and Middle School Track. In addition to athletic events, it is also used by our schools and students and the community at large. The scoreboard will also be utilized as a teaching and learning tool by the Audio/Video Production classes at Joplin High School/FTC.

B. Alignment:

Goal #2 – Joplin Schools will support learners with technology tools and instructional resources.

Indicator #2.3.2 Learner knowledge and use of technology to impact learning

Goal #3 - Effective and Efficient

Indicator #3.4.3 Increase efficiencies district wide while meeting the needs of students.

C. Data:

Competitive bids were taken from two well established video scoreboard companies and will be purchased via the Sourcewell Cooperative. Both companies were given a request for proposal (RFP) and both companies submitted proposals that met the specifications as prescribed by Joplin Schools.

D. Stakeholder Voice:

Athletic Director, Administration, and Director of Facilities

E. Fiscal Note:

The cost of the video board from Nevco will be \$243,741.70. The video scoreboard will be purchased out of Capital funds. The total cost of the video scoreboard will be reimbursed by the advertising agreements that have recently been signed by the District. To date the district has secured \$550,000.00 in advertising agreements.

F. Recommendation:

The administration recommends that the Board of Education authorize the purchase of the video scoreboard which includes the training, warranty, and technical support.

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Meeting Date:	January 26, 2021	

RECORD OF WRITTEN BIDS/BOARD OF EDUCATION APPROVED

BOE AGENDA ACTION ITEM DATE: 1/26/2021

Purchases amounting to more than 15,000 dollars will be handled by bid in accordance with Policy #DJF recommended by the superintendent of schools, and the bid will be awarded by a majority vote of the Board of Education meeting in a regular or special session. **Whenever possible, at least three written bids should be obtained,** (See Board of Education Purchasing Policy DJF.)

MATERIALS AND/OR SERVICES REQUESTED:

Purchase of video scoreboard and warranty for Junge Field

VENDORS CONTACTED AND BIDS RECEIVED:

VENDOR	AMOUNT
Daktronics, Brookings, South Dakota	\$274,160.00
Nevco, Greenville, Illinois	\$243,741.70

BID AWARDED TO:

VENDOR	AMOUNT
Nevco, Greenville, Illinois	\$243,741.70

IF LOWEST QUOTE IS NOT ACCEPTED, EXPLAIN IN DETAIL EXCEPTION TO BID POLICY #DJF:


Administrator

Asst. Superintendent
Title

1/20/2021
Date