#### **BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

March 22, 2016

### **SUBJECT:**

2016 Installation of Flooring @ Byrd Learning Center, Aiken Elementary, North Augusta Elementary, Center for Innovative Learning at Pinecrest & Belvedere Elementary

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Bids were received on February 25, 2016, at 1:00 p.m. and publicly opened for the 2016 Flooring @ Byrd Learning Center, Aiken Elementary, North Augusta Elementary, Center for Innovative Learning at Pinecrest & Belvedere Elementary. There were 4 bidders for this project with the lowest responsible and responsive bidders being Bonitz Flooring Group of Augusta, GA, Ceiling & Flooring Restoration, Inc. of Fairfax, VA, Carpet Creations of Aiken, SC, & Gleaton Floor Covering of Sumter, SC: Base Bid A (\$69,900.00) for Innovative Learning at Pinecrest; Base Bid A (\$132,000.00) for Belvedere Elementary; Base Bid A (\$115,793.00) for Aiken Elementary; Base Bid A (\$120,306.00) for North Augusta Elementary; Base Bid A (\$128,115.00) for Byrd Learning Center; Alternate #1 (\$24,255.00) for Byrd Learning Center. The Five-Year Facility Improvement Plan for 2016-2017 has the funds needed to complete these projects. Total contract amount is \$590,369.00.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:**

The administration has reviewed the bids and determined that Carpet Creations @ Aiken Elementary & North Augusta Elementary is the most responsible and responsive bidder for \$236,099.00; Bonitz Flooring Group @ Center for Innovative Learning at Pinecrest is the most responsible and responsive bidder for \$69,900.00; The Ceiling & Flooring Restoration, Inc. @ Belvedere Elementary is the most responsible and responsive bidder for \$132,000.00; Gleaton Floor Covering @ Byrd Learning Center and Alternate #1 is the most responsible and responsive bidder for \$152,370.00.

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the administration to accept the low base bid and enter into a contract with Carpet Creations of Aiken, SC in the amount of \$236,099.00 for the 2016 Flooring of Aiken Elementary & North Augusta Elementary. Authorize the administration to accept the low base bid and enter into a contract with Bonitz Flooring Group in the amount of \$69,900.00 for the 2016 Flooring of Center for Innovative Learning at Pinecrest. Authorize the administration to accept the low base bid and enter into a contract with Ceiling & Flooring Restoration, Inc. in the amount of \$132,000.00 for the 2016 Flooring of Belvedere Elementary. Authorize the administration to accept the low base bid and enter into a contract with Gleaton Floor Covering for the 2016 Flooring of Byrd Learning Center and Alternate #1 in the amount of \$152,370.00.

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