

## **BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

March 12, 2024

### **SUBJECT:**

2024 LED Exterior Signs at East Aiken Elementary, North Aiken Elementary, Aiken High, North Augusta High, and South Aiken High

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Bids were received for the 2024 Exterior Signs at East Aiken Elementary, North Aiken Elementary, Aiken High, North Augusta High, and South Aiken High on February 21, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. and publicly opened. There were 4 bidders, Complete Signs, Rite Lite Signs, Metro LED, and Signs Unlimited. Signs Unlimited submitted the lowest responsible and responsive bid in the amount of Base Bid A (\$31,685.00) for East Aiken Elementary; Base Bid B (\$31,685.00) for North Aiken Elementary; Base Bid C (\$31,685.00) for Aiken High; Base Bid D (\$31,685.00) for North Augusta High; and Base Bid E (\$31,685.00) for South Aiken High to add exterior LED signs. The bids total is (\$158,425.00). The Capital Outlay budget for 2024-2025 has the adequate funding needed to complete the projects at East Aiken Elementary, North Aiken Elementary, and South Aiken High. Aiken High will be funded from 1% funds. North Augusta High chose not to get a sign at this time.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:**

The administration has reviewed the bids and determined that Signs Unlimited of South Carolina is the most responsible and responsive bidder for \$126,740.00 to add exterior LED signs at East Aiken Elementary, North Aiken Elementary, Aiken High, and South Aiken High.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Authorize the administration to accept the low bid of \$126,740.00 and enter into a contract with Signs Unlimited of South Carolina to add exterior LED signs at East Aiken Elementary, North Aiken Elementary, Aiken High, and South Aiken High.

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