

AGENDA



Thursday, January 28, 2010

**Purchasing Office
RECOMMENDATION FOR COUNCIL ACTION****Item No. 38**

Subject: Authorize award and execution of a contract through the Texas Local Government Purchasing Cooperative (BuyBoard) with WEBUILDFUN, INC., alias MIRACLE RECREATION EQUIPMENT CO., Allen, TX, for the purchase and installation of playground equipment for Dittmar Recreation Center in an amount not to exceed \$144,018.90.

Amount and Source of Funding: Funding is available in the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Capital Budget of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Fiscal Note: A fiscal note is attached.

For More Information: Cruz Banda, Buyer II/974-2133

MBE/WBE: This contract will be awarded in compliance with Chapter 2-9D of the City Code (Minority Owned and Women Owned Business Enterprise Procurement Program). This contract is a Cooperative Purchase; therefore, it is exempted under Chapter 791 of the Texas Local Government Code and no goals were established for this solicitation; 2.70% MBE subcontractor participation has been met.

This contract is for the purchase and installation of play equipment for Dittmar Recreation Center playground. The contract includes the demolition and removal of the existing worn play equipment, the installation of new play equipment, and replacing the play surface. The existing play equipment and play surface was installed in 1992 and is in need of replacement since it has many components that require constant maintenance and repair.

WEBUILDFUN, INC., alias Miracle Recreation Equipment Co. is contracted through BuyBoard to supply these products and services statewide as a result of a competitive bidding process. Utilizing the BuyBoard contract provides for volume discount pricing as well as the earliest delivery of equipment.