

TO: Board of Commissioners

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RE: FOOTBALL UNIFORMS AND ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT

DATE: December 20, 2023



STATEMENT OF THE ISSUE

The Wheaton Park District Youth Football Program has over 600 participants. Official bids were mailed or sent out electronically for our youth football uniforms and equipment. The expenses will be covered by sponsorships, registration fees, and fundraisers, which will be covered in the 2024 athletic department football operational budget.

Bid packets were sent to fifty-four (54) companies and a bid notice was placed in the Daily Herald newspaper. On Wednesday, November 15, 2023, at 10A at the Wheaton Park District Park Services Center the eight (8) received bids were officially opened.

I. Equipment/Helmets/Miscellaneous Supplies

Vendor	800 ea. Mouth Guards (Strapped) Navy Blue	60 ea. Riddell Hard Cup Chin Strap Navy Blue	35 doz. Champro Football Belt FWB - Orange	70 ea. Riddell Speed Classic Youth Helmet (Gloss Navy) With S2BDC-HS4 Facemask Attached (Navy Blue FM)	30 ea. Shutt Youth Vengeance A11 Helmet (Gloss Navy) With V-ROPO-TRAD-YF Facemask Attached (Navy Blue)	200 ea. Champro 5-Star Rated SH7 Soft Shell Helmet Small / Medium / Large	30 ea. Champro 6" Pump A143	10 ea. Champro Replacement Needle A142RN
Santo Sport Store	N/B	N/B	\$9.39	N/B	N/B	N/B	\$3.40	\$.64
Pyramid School Products	\$.68	N/B	\$9.95	N/B	N/B	\$44.95	\$2.99	\$.85
BSN Sports	\$.45	N/B	\$11.48	N/B	\$160.68	\$47.82	\$2.23	\$.66
Undefeated Sports	\$.55	N/B	\$9.50	N/B	N/B	\$38.50	\$3.69	\$.35
Taza Supplies	\$.70	\$42.00	\$30.00	\$224.00	\$224.00	S - \$75.00 M - \$90.00 L - \$91.00	\$10.00	\$6.00
Kirhofer's Sports	\$.50	N/B	\$9.00	N/B	N/B	\$38.00	\$2.00	\$3.00
Riddell	\$.99	\$12.00	\$13.92	\$150.00	N/B	\$59.89	\$5.65	\$.48
TPS Sports	\$.48	N/B	\$8.88	N/B	N/B	\$38.88	\$3.88	\$.68

- **Recommendations:** Staff recommend awarding the below lowest qualified vendors in the respective bid specifications.
 - BSN Sports be awarded the Mouth Guard (strapped) and Shutt Youth Vengeance A11 Helmet.
 - Undeclared Sports be awarded the Champro Replacement Needle.
 - Kirhofer's Sports be awarded the Champro 5-star Rated Soft Shell Helmet and Champro 6" Pump.
 - Riddell be awarded the Riddell Hard Cup Chin Strap and Riddell Speed Classic Youth Helmet.
 - TPS Sports be awarded the Champro Football Belt.

II. Footballs/Shoulder Pads/Pants

Vendor	20 ea. Wilson GST Composite Pee Wee	20 ea. Wilson GST Composite Junior	20 ea. Wilson GST Composite Youth	15 ea. Wilson NFL The Duke Mini Replica Footballs	100 ea. Riddell Pursuit Youth Shoulder Pad Youth Sizes: Small / Medium/ Large/ X-Large/ XX-Large/ XXX-Large	500 ea. Navy Game Pant – Champro Blocker Traditional Game Pant FP20 (Youth & Adult)	500 ea. White Game Pant – Champro Blocker Traditional Game Pant FP20 (Youth & Adult)
Santo Sport Store	\$29.20	\$29.20	\$29.20	N/B	N/B	Y - \$14.64 A - \$16.39	Y - \$14.64 A - \$16.39
Pyramid School Products	\$30.85	\$30.85	\$30.85	N/B	N/B	Y - \$18.88 A - \$18.98	Y - \$17.68 A - \$18.95
BSN Sports	\$31.32	\$31.32	\$31.32	N/B	N/B	Y - \$20.45 A - \$23.06	Y - \$20.45 A - \$23.06
Undeclared Sports	N/B	N/B	N/B	N/B	SUB \$36.00	Y - \$18.00 A - \$20.00	Y - \$18.00 A - \$20.00
Taza Supplies	\$63.00	\$65.00	\$65.00	\$16.00	\$112.00	Y - \$30.00 A - \$34.00	Y - \$30.00 A - \$34.00
Kirhofer's Sports	\$32.00	\$32.00	\$32.00	\$32.00	N/B	Y - \$15.00 A - \$16.00	Y - \$15.00 A - \$16.00
Riddell	\$45.99	\$45.99	\$45.99	N/B	\$47.25	SUB Y - \$15.00 A - \$17.00	SUB Y - \$15.00 A - \$17.00
TPS Sports	N/B	N/B	N/B	N/B	N/B	Y - \$14.38 A - \$15.98	Y - \$14.38 A - \$15.98

- **Recommendations:** Staff recommend awarding the below lowest qualified vendors in the respective bid specifications.
 - Santo Sport Store be awarded the Wilson GST Composite Pee Wee, Wilson GST Composite Junior, and Wilson GST Composite Youth Football.
 - Taza Supplies be awarded the Wilson NFL The Duke Mini Replica Football.
 - Riddell be awarded the Riddell Pursuit Youth Shoulder Pad. The lower bid submitted by Undeclared Sports was a substitute and does not meet the quality bid specifications.
 - TPS Sports be awarded the Navy Game Pant – Champro Blocker Traditional and White Game Pant – Champro Blocker Traditional.

III. Socks/Miscellaneous

Vendor	8 doz. Champro Socks (Orange) AS2 Multi-Sport Sock Small	17 doz. Champro Socks (Orange) AS2 Multi-Sport Sock Medium	19 doz. Champro Socks (Orange) AS2 Multi-Sport Sock Large	300 ea. Champro Scrimmage Vest FV – Orange (Adult & Intermediate)	1 ea. Champro Deluxe Down Box And Chains A103	25 ea. Riddell HS-24 Half Blocking Shield	25 ea. Riddell R-13 Half Round Step-Over Dummy
Santo Sport Store	\$24.90	\$24.90	\$24.90	\$3.18	\$214.70	N/B	N/B
Pyramid School Products	\$25.08	\$25.08	\$25.08	\$3.99	\$285.00	N/B	N/B
BSN Sports	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$3.48	\$327.14	SUB \$65.37	SUB \$91.12
Undefeated Sports	\$27.60	\$27.60	\$27.60	\$4.00	N/B	N/B	N/B
Taza Supplies	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$7.00	\$560.00	\$88.00	\$168.00
Kirhofer's Sports	\$23.00	\$23.00	\$23.00	\$3.25	\$190.00	N/B	N/B
Riddell	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$42.00	\$5.35	\$427.89	\$65.00	\$90.00
TPS Sports	\$21.98	\$21.98	\$21.98	\$2.68	\$171.98	N/B	N/B

- **Recommendations:** Staff recommend awarding the below lowest qualified vendors in the respective bid specifications.
 - TPS Sports be awarded the Champro Multi-Sport Sock for small, medium, and large, Champro Scrimmage Vest FV, and Champro Deluxe Down Box and Chains.
 - Riddell be awarded the Riddell HS-24 Half Blocking Shield and Riddell R-13 Half Round Step-Over Dummy.

IV. Jerseys

Vendor	500 ea. Reversible Game Jersey Adult & Youth	500 ea. Two Separate Game Jerseys Adult & Youth Home (Dark/Navy) and Away (Light/White) If Providing 2-Jersey Option 500 Of EACH Color Will Be Required	500 ea. Hero Flag Football Jersey With 3 Flags & Ten (10) different Color Mix (762FFJY/762FFJ) With 2" WHEATON And 6" Number w/single Color On Screen Front With 8" Number With Single Color On Screen Back	500 ea. Champro Pre Season Practice Football Jersey FJ57 – Navy 2" RAMS On Front Of Jersey – White (Youth & Adult)
Santo Sport Store	N/B	N/B	N/B	N/B
Pyramid School Products	N/B	N/B	N/B	N/B
BSN Sports	A - \$75.00 Y - \$75.00	A - \$56.50 Y - \$56.50	Y - \$24.00 A - \$26.00	Y - \$23.00 A - \$23.00
Undefeated Sports	A - \$50.00 Y - \$55.00	A - \$32.00 Y - \$32.00	N/B	Y - \$12.00 A - \$12.00
Taza Supplies	A - \$9.00 Y - \$7.00	A - \$7.00 Y - \$9.00	Y - \$32.00 A - \$32.00	Y - \$16.00 A - \$21.00
Kirhofer's Sports	A - \$49.00 Y - \$49.00	N/B	Y - \$19.00 A - \$20.00	Y - \$9.00 A - \$9.00
Riddell	A - \$70.00 Y - \$68.00	A - \$59.45 Y - \$56.80	Y - \$27.56 A - \$28.74	Y - \$18.98 A - \$18.98
TPS Sports	A - \$42.88 Y - \$42.88	A - \$29.98 Y - \$28.98	Y - \$17.28 A - \$18.48	Y - \$10.68 A - \$10.68

- **Recommendations:** Staff recommend awarding the below lowest qualified vendors in the respective bid specifications.
 - TPS Sports be awarded the Reversible Game Jersey and Hero Flag Football Jersey. The lower Reversible Game Jersey bid submitted by Taza Supplies does not meet the bid specifications.
 - Kirhofer's Sports be awarded the Champro Pre Season Practice Football Jersey FJ57.
 - Staff recommends rejecting the 5 two separate game jersey bids as these will not be ordered for the 2024 season, with the single reversible jersey proving more cost effective. The lower Two Separate Game Jerseys bid submitted by Taza Supplies does not meet the bid specifications.

V. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Additional miscellaneous equipment will be purchased including ice packs, equipment bags, etc. Staff will purchase these supplies from the retailer providing the best price, and it is anticipated that they will be split between several companies.

PREVIOUS COMMITTEE/BOARD ACTION:

The Wheaton Park District Board of Commissioner's approved the 2023 Football uniforms and athletic equipment bid results as presented at the December 21, 2022 meeting.

REVENUE OR FUNDING IMPLICATIONS:

All expenses will be included in the Wheaton Park District Football fund and will be covered by sponsorships, registration fees, and fundraisers. Quantities are approximate and may vary accordingly.

ATTACHMENTS:

Summary of the Awarded Vendors per Football Equipment Bid Category.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommend that the Wheaton Park District Board of Commissioner's approve the 2024 Football uniforms and athletic equipment bid results as presented.