TO: Board of Commissioners

FROM: Mary Beth Cleary, Director of Athletics

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THROUGH: Michael Benard, Executive Director

RE: FOOTBALL UNIFORMS AND ATHLETIC EQUIPMENT

DATE: March 24, 2021

STATEMENT OF THE ISSUE

The Wheaton Park District Youth Football Program has over 475 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. The expenses will be covered in the 2021 Athletic Department Football Budget.

Bid packets were sent to thirty-four (34) companies and a bid notice was placed in the Daily Herald newspaper. On Tuesday, March 23, 2021 at 10A at the Wheaton Park District Park Services Center the bids were officially opened.

Bid Results:

I. Equipment/Helmets/Miscellaneous Supplies

Vendor	200 ea. Mouth Guards (strapped) Navy Blue	150 ea. Riddell Color-on-Color Hard Cup Chin Strap Mid Hook-Up Navy Blue	14 ea. Riddell Speed Classic Youth Helmet (Gloss Navy) With S2BDC-HS4 Facemask Attached (Navy Blue FM)	75 ea. Schutt 0- Seven Football Soft Cap 70700	15 ea. <u>Champro</u> 12" Pump A141	40 ea. Champro Air Pump Needles A145B
Winning Streak	\$.39	\$11.00 - SUB	\$118.75 - SUB	Y – \$40 A – \$45	\$4.25	\$.60
Pyramid School Products	\$.40	NB	NB	Y – NB A – NB	\$4.09	\$.80
Riddell	\$.35	\$11.50	\$140	Y - \$42 - SUB A - \$42 - SUB	\$5.10	NB
BSN Sports	\$.33	NB	NB	Y – NB A – NB	\$2.29 - SUB	\$.33 - SUB
Schutt Sports	\$.47	\$13.80 - SUB	\$120 - SUB	Y – \$56.26 A – \$56.26	\$4.50 - SUB	\$1.80 - SUB

Recommendations:

 We recommend BSN Sports be awarded the Mouth Guards bid. We recommend Riddell be awarded the Riddell Color-on-Color Hard Cup Chin Strap and Riddell Speed Classic Youth



Helmet bids. We recommend Winning Streak be awarded the Schutt 0-Seven Football Soft Cap 70700 and Champro Air Pump Needles A145B bids. We recommend Pyramid School Products be awarded the Champro 12" Pump A141 bid. They are the lowest qualified bidder in the respective bid specifications.

II. Footballs/Shoulder Pads

Vendor	4 ea. Wilson K2 Composite WTF1712	8 ea. Wilson TDJ Composite WTF1713	8 ea. Wilson TDY Composite WTF1714	25 ea. Wilson NFL Mini Footballs WTF1631	40 Riddell Pursuit Youth Shoulder Pad
Winning Streak	\$26.60 - SUB	\$26.60 - SUB	\$26.60 - SUB	\$26.60 - SUB	\$38 – SUB
Pyramid School Products	\$25.30 - SUB	\$25.30 - SUB	\$25.30 - SUB	NB	NB
Riddell	NB	NB	NB	NB	\$46
BSN Sports	\$24.98 - SUB	\$25.48 - SUB	\$25.98 - SUB	NB	\$49.98 - SUB
Schutt Sports	NB	NB	NB	NB	YS - \$48.75 - SUB YM - \$48.75 - SUB YL - \$53.25 - SUB YXL - \$53.25 - SUB YXXL - \$54 - SUB

• Recommendation:

We recommend BSN Sports be awarded the Wilson K2 Composite WTF1712 bid. We recommend Pyramid School Products be awarded the Wilson TDJ Composite WTF1713 footballs and Wilson TDY Composite WTF1714 footballs bids. Due to the TD Series Wilson football being discontinued all companies providing a bid put in a bid for the same substitute footballs – Wilson Pee Wee GST Composite WTF1782 (sub for WTF1712), Wilson Junior GST Composite WTF1783 (sub for WTF1713), and Wilson Youth GST Composite WTF1784 (sub for WTF1714). We recommend bids be thrown out for the Wilson NFL Mini Football WTF1631. Only one substitute was submitted and it does not meet our required qualifications. We recommend Riddell be awarded the Riddell Pursuit Shoulder Pad bid. They are the lowest qualified bidder in the respective bid specifications.

III. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

Additional miscellaneous equipment will be purchased including ice packs, flag belts, 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:

N/A

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. Overall bid expenses shall not exceed the budgeted amount of \$24,000.

STAKEHOLDER PROCESS:

N/A

LEGAL REVIEW:

N/A

ATTACHMENTS:

N/A

ALTERNATIVES:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Wheaton Park District Board of Commissioners approve the 2021 Rams Football uniforms and athletic equipment bid results as recommended by staff.