



PUBLIC PROCUREMENT COMMITTEE

Meeting #15 of 2022
Thursday
Dec 1 2022
Room 1038

PPC MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

Arek Joseph (Chairman)
Elke Rose
Dr Sidney Ebanks
Andrew Hulse
Laura Panades- Estruch
Taraq Bashir (Non Member)
Robert Tatum (Non Member)
Shiann Palmer (Secretary)

PPC MEMBERS EXTENDING APPOLOGIES

Tristan Hydes
Neyka Webster
Rhonda Kelly

The meeting was called to order at 2:10 Pm on December 1 2022. The PPC decisions for each item on the agenda is recorded below:

1. PPC-2022-MOE-047-RFP Request by MOE for furniture NJGHS (Resubmission)

The PPC reviewed the submission and voted **to approve** the request.

A brief discussion was held between The PPC, Clive Baker and Wayne Riley, concerning the previous addressed irregularities, the contract price and specifications.

2. PPC-2022-NRA-067-DA Request by NRA for Hot Asphalt Mix

The PPC reviewed the submission and voted **to defer** the request.

A brief discussion was held between The PPC, Edward Howard and Brian Chin Yee, concerning what constitutes a Direct Award Application, the preferred vendor, and the fixed price/period of the contract.

The PPC recommended that the Panel request an estimate to show the entire range of cost, which in turn, would provide further clarity to the Committee.

3. PPC-2022-MOE-066-DA Request by MOE for Interactive Displays for schools.

The PPC reviewed the submission and voted **to defer** the request on December 1 2022.

A brief discussion was held between The PPC and Lance Barnes, concerning the compatibility of the Displays with those previously purchased, the supplier, the warranty, cost, and their efforts to standardize equipment in the public schools.

Mr. Barnes stated that they had a 3 year purchase plan, with this being year 2, and the purchases would be made through a local authorised dealer,

The PPC recommended that Mr. Barnes provide a breakdown of purchase dates, quantity purchased, the unit price, and a final negotiated agreed price, for current and future Interactive Display orders to the Committee.

Mr. Barnes submitted the requested information and the project was approved by the PPC.

4. OAG2023-2028 Request by OAG for the provision of Audit Services

The PPC reviewed the submission and voted **to approve** the request.

A brief discussion was held between The PPC and Patrick Smith concerning the scoring, the bidders, the entities involved, and the cost.

Mr. Smith stated that he usually try to negotiate with the suppliers, but because of the type of entities involved and the scope, it has been quite difficult.

5. PPC-2022-MRCU-051-RFQ Request by MRCU for Heavy Equipment.

6. PPC-2022-MOH-053-RFQ Request for Refuse Vehicle & Equipment.

The PPC reviewed the submissions and voted **to approve** the request.

A brief discussion was held between The PPC, Richard Simms, Stephen Quinland, Mark Bothwell, Alan Wheeler, Adar Ebanks and John Smith, concerning the life cycle of the equipment, the supplier, the warranty and maintenance.

The Panel stated that the vehicles were being purchased through a local supplier, the expected life cycle would be 3-4 years, and that the cost also included warranty and servicing for a period of 3 years.

Termination of meeting 4.15 PM



Chairman
Public Procurement Committee

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