



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item No. 8.1i

Meeting Date: March 3, 2016

Subject: Approve Resolution No. 2871: Delegating Duty to Accept Bids and Award Construction Contracts

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

Division: Facilities Support Services

Recommendation: Approve and adopt Resolution No. 2871: Delegating Duty to Accept Bids and Award Construction Contracts.

Background/Rationale: The District opens bids for various school construction, modernization and deferred maintenance projects including projects at Washington Elementary, William Land Elementary, Theodore Judah Elementary, various ERP projects, CSR projects and any other projects the Superintendent deems vital to the District to complete. Since the Governing Board's meeting schedule may not be complementary with the bid opening dates and delaying the award until the next available meeting date would cause unnecessary project delay, staff recommends that the Governing Board delegate to the Superintendent or designee the authority to accept bids meeting Public Contract and Education Code requirements for these projects, execute the contracts, and commence work without the Governing Board taking formal action on any such contracts. This practice has become a normal business process and has been approved by the Board in prior years. The effective dates of this Resolution are March 3 through August 31, 2016. This Resolution will only be used if approval by the Board at a Board meeting will delay the start of a project.

Financial Considerations: N/A

LCAP Goal (s): Family and Community Engagement; Safe, Clean and Healthy Schools

Documents Attached:

1. Resolution No. 2871

Estimated Time of Presentation: N/A

Submitted by: José L. Banda, Superintendent
Cathy Allen, Chief Operations Officer

Approved by: José L. Banda

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Resolution No.2871

BEFORE THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE
SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION DELEGATING DUTY TO ACCEPT BIDS
AND AWARD CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS**

WHEREAS, the Sacramento City Unified School District accepts bids and awards prime contracts for construction, modernization and deferred maintenance; and

WHEREAS, time is of the essence in accepting bids, awarding the contract and completing work on the school projects, or rejecting bids as appropriate; and

WHEREAS, regular meetings of the Board of Education may not be held on a schedule consistent with the bid opening dates for these projects;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Superintendent or his designee is delegated the authority to act on behalf of the Board of Education to award and execute prime contracts to bidders meeting Public Contract and Education Code requirements, or reject bids as appropriate; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT should any bidder exceed the estimated cost for that prime contract, the Superintendent or designee may award and execute the contract for that work if the Superintendent or designee consults with the Chief Operations Officer, Facilities Support Services and determines that the bid should be accepted rather than rebidding the contract; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT any and all contracts entered into on behalf of the District pursuant to this resolution shall be reported to the board at the next regularly scheduled meeting following execution.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT this Resolution is in effect March 3, 2016 through August 31, 2016.

State of California)
County of Sacramento)

PASSED and ADOPTED this 3rd day of March, 2016, by the Board of Education of the Sacramento City Unified School District, State of California, by the following vote;

Ayes:
Noes:
Absent:

ATTESTED TO:

Christina Pritchett, Board President

Date: _____

José L. Banda, Clerk of the Board