

March 6, 2020

Dr. Gary Niehaus, Superintendent
Grosse Pointe Public School System
389 St. Clair Avenue
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via email: gary.niehaus@gpschools.org

RE: 2018 Grosse Pointe Public School System Bond Program
GP South High School Hard Construction Cost Recommendation

Dear Dr. Niehaus:

This letter transmits an update from Plante Moran Cresa (PMC) as it relates to the assignment to assist and advise the Grosse Pointe Public School System (GPPSS) in the procurement of subcontractors for the Grosse Pointe South High School (Project). This update represents the mutual efforts of PMC, French/Ehresman Architects, Turner Construction and GPPSS administration (The Project Team) to present a framework in order to identify, evaluate and recommend Firms for this Project.

The school district's design team, French/Ehresman Architects, provided construction documentation for the GP South High School Project on January 6, 2020 to Turner Construction for public bidding. The Project consists of renovating areas within the existing 3-story building and an entry plaza near the Fisher Road secured entry. The Project will be phased over two summers (2020 and 2021). Bids were received by GPPSS on February 14, 2020 and were opened and read aloud publicly. Post bid interviews followed for each bid category with award recommendations provided by Turner per the bid tabulation dated March 6, 2020.

RECOMMENDATION

The Project Team is recommending the total subcontractor construction bid amount including alternates and allowances totaling \$8,931,781. The construction cost of this work (hard cost) will be detailed in a GMP Amendment to Turner's AIA-A133 Agreement, pending final review and approval of terms by district legal counsel. The Project Team is recommending a Total Budget of **\$9,824,959** (hard construction, allowances plus contingency, excluding soft costs) be established for this Project. Turner soft construction costs will be presented to the GPPSS Board of Education at a future date.

Should you have any questions regarding this recommendation described above, please do not hesitate to contact me at 248-766-0996 or robert.stempien@plantemoran.com.

Sincerely,
PLANTE MORAN CRESA



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Sr. Vice President

Attachments: GPPSS Summary of Costs 3-6-20, Turner Bid tabulation 3-6-20

CC: Denise Sharples, GPPSS
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