

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY

INFORMATIONAL REPORT

**DECISION ON CONTRACT AWARD FOR NORTH HARFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL
DRINKING WATER SYSTEM UPGRADE**

MAY 7, 2018

Background Information:

On behalf of the Planning and Construction Department, the Purchasing Department is recommending the award of contract to Temp Air Company, Inc., 51 Gwynns Mill Court, Owings Mills, MD 21117, in the amount of \$202,000 to establish a new drinking water system for North Harford Middle School.

Discussion:

Bid documents for the North Harford Middle School Drinking Water System Upgrade project were advertised during the month of April 2018. Bids were received and opened on April 18, 2018.

Two (2) contractors submitted bids for this project. Temp Air Company, Inc. submitted the lowest responsive and responsible bid in the amount of one hundred forty-four thousand dollars (\$144,000) and recommended Add Alternate #1, to include a new generator, in the amount of fifty-eight thousand dollars (\$58,000). Temp Air Company, Inc. has done work with Harford County Public Schools.

The funding source for this project is from the Capital Projects Account. The contractor has submitted the Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) required documentation in accordance with the overall goal of 5%.

Superintendent's Recommendation:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends that the Board of Education approve the award of a contract to Temp Air Company, Inc., in the amount of \$202,000.