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BSC No.: 23-22
Buyer: JULIE MORGAN

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ADDENDUM #1
INVITATION TO BID

WILMER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL – PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT & INSTALLATION

Please incorporate the following information into your bid proposal:

Scope of Work:

1. Bidder is to provide and install seventy (70) 12” plastic border timbers around the new site (per site plan – 60’ x 80’). Acceptable Unit: APS Borders; or approved equal.
2. Bidder is to provide and install 12” of EWF surfacing throughout entire playground (178 cubic yards). Acceptable Unit: WoodCarpet Engineered Wood Fiber; or approved equal.

Please see the attached documents and include Addendum #1 with your bid proposal.

When listing the total price for the playground equipment on the bid proposal, please list the price for wood mulch surfacing, borders and installation separately as Alternate 1.

If you should have any questions, please contact the Purchasing Department.

Sincerely,

Russell Hudson
Director of Purchasing

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APS-Border8 8" Playground Border with spike
Dimensions: 52" x 4" x 8"
Spike: 18" spike
Manufacturing: 100% recycled, Blow Mold Construction
Weight: 10# with spike

APS-Border12 12" Playground Border with spike
Dimensions: 52" x 4" x 12"
Spike: 28" spike
Manufacturing: 100% recycled, Blow Mold Construction
Weight: 10# with spike

Both the 8" and 12" playground borders feature APS Exclusive "Surfacing Guide"



US Patent Pending

APS-ADAHalf Ramp ADA half ramp for use with APS-Border 8/ Border12
Dimensions: 72 3/8" x 47 3/8" x 12"
Manufacturing: Roto-Mold Construction
Weight: 120#



Engineered Wood Fiber Safety Surface

Woodcarpet: Defined as engineered wood fiber is manufactured from virgin North American hardwoods such as Oak, Maple, Ash, Hickory Poplar, Beech, Birch, Eucalyptus and Locust with absolutely no artificial additives. All woods have been de-barked and are free of soil, leaves and twig material and other contaminants which hasten decomposition. Woodcarpet does not contain any softwoods, recycled wood or pallet material. As a result, there are no pine resins, nails, glass or chemical contaminants in “woodcarpet” that could harm children.

The Surface Material:

- Meets the accessibility criteria of ASTM F 1292-95- Impact Attenuation of Surface Systems under and Around Playground Equipment.
- Meets the accessibility criteria of ASTM PS 83-97- Provisional Standard Specification for Determination of Accessibility of Surface Systems Under and Around Playground Equipment.
- Meets the following sieve analysis results:

Sieve Size	Specifications		Cumulative Passing by weight in percentage
	Min	Max	
3/4"	99	100	100
3/8"	85	100	95
No. 16	0	15	3

Dimensions: “Woodcarpet” is randomly sized approximately 10 times longer than wide. Ninety-eight percent (98%) of “woodcarpet” dimensions do not exceed 4.00 centimeters in length, 1.3 in width and 3.25 in depth.

