

To: Board of Education

From: Tony Barron, executive director, facilities & operations, ext. 1643
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Re: Purchase of Playground Equipment – Kennedy

Date: November 23, 2016

Background:

At its February 22, 2016 meeting, the Board of Education approved the Capital Improvement Project Plan for 2016. The plan included the purchase of playground equipment for Kennedy Elementary School. District staff and Deerfield administration have given input to the design and placement.

Bids and Specifications:

The scope of work includes the installation of Landscape Structures Netplex playground pieces. All the playground pieces meet and/or exceed the American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) standards, which is the Standard Consumer Safety Performance Specification for Playground Equipment for public use. The total cost for the playground equipment is \$60,000. The equipment and accessories have been priced through a cooperative purchasing contract with Greenbush Procurement/Cooperative Purchasing services.

Recommendation:

Administration recommends board approval of a contract with Athco, LLC for the purchase and installation of playground equipment at Kennedy Elementary School to be paid from Capital Outlay Budget Fund.

Motion:

"I move the Board of Education approve a contract with Athco, LLC for the purchase and installation of playground equipment at Kennedy Elementary School in the amount of \$60,000."