

**HENDERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS**

MEETING DATE: September 5, 2023

SUBJECT: Rejection of Bids for the Purchase of 42 Computers with Accessories

PRESENTER: Mark Seelenbacher, Information Technology Director

ATTACHMENTS: Bid Tabulation

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Board is requested to reject all bids and authorize staff to resolicit bids.

Due to the purchase involving the use of federal funds, bids were solicited from August 3 to August 15. The low bids received within budget were as follows: Archangel Education Technology in the amount of \$74,330.80, Riverside Technologies in the amount of \$86,851, and Y&S Technologies in the amount of \$114,036. These bids were within budget; however, they did not conform to the specifications provided. All other bids received were above the budgeted amount of \$132,950 that was budgeted in the Department of Social Services and Department of Public Health budgets for FY2024.

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

The Board is requested to reject all bids and authorize staff to proceed with rebidding the purchase of computer workstations and peripherals.

Suggested Motion:

I move the Henderson County Board of Commissioners reject all bids and authorize staff to proceed with rebidding the purchase of computer workstations and peripherals.

Bid Tabulation

Formal Bid: Purchase of 42 Computers with Accesories Opened Thursday, August 15, 2023 at 2:00PM EST

Vendor Name	Dell Latitude 7440	Dell Thunderbolt Dock	Dell Pro Wireless Keyboard & Mouse	Dell 24 Monitor	Total Bid Price	Price Difference from Low Bidder	NOTES
Archangel Education Technology	\$ 54,384.54	\$ 12,582.96	\$ 43.62	\$ 7,319.68	\$ 74,330.80	\$ -	Lenovo determined not to be equivalent to Dell
Riverside Technologies	\$ 69,888.00	\$ 7,363.00	\$ -	\$ 9,600.00	\$ 86,851.00	\$ 12,520.20	HP determined not to be equivalent to Dell. Unit cost utilized due to pricing discrepancies
Y&S technologies	\$ 96,390.00	\$ 8,288.00	\$ 78.00	\$ 9,280.00	\$ 114,036.00	\$ 39,705.20	Lenovo determined not to be equivalent to Dell
Dreadnought Endeavors Inc	\$ 187,365.78	\$ 9,933.39	\$ 92.20	\$ 11,901.44	\$ 209,292.81	\$ 134,962.01	
Sunflower Lab LLC	\$ 189,315.84	\$ 9,561.17	\$ 86.84	\$ 12,617.60	\$ 211,581.45	\$ 137,250.65	Nonresponsive shipping costs not included within the bid
Cyber soft Technology Inc	\$ 194,725.02	\$ 10,016.27	\$ 94.44	\$ 14,675.84	\$ 219,511.57	\$ 145,180.77	
vPrime Tech Inc	\$ 199,699.08	\$ 10,296.36	\$ 114.22	\$ 13,924.48	\$ 224,034.14	\$ 149,703.34	Unit cost utilized due to pricing discrepancies
Southern Computer Warehouse	\$ 223,579.44	\$ 9,107.92	\$ 85.52	\$ 11,182.72	\$ 243,955.60	\$ 169,624.80	Unit cost utilized due to pricing discrepancies
Global IT Enterprises, Inc	\$ 222,300.96	\$ 9,463.12	\$ 85.86	\$ 13,440.00	\$ 245,289.94	\$ 170,959.14	