



Buncombe County Board of Commissioners

Request for Board Action

Meeting Date: 3/7/2023

Consent Agenda

Department: General Services

Presenter(s): Ronnie Lunsford

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Subject: Construction contract with AstroTurf Corporation for the Asheville High School Track Replacement

Brief Summary: The School Capital Fund Commission has previously approved \$1,475,000 for a project to replace the athletic track at Asheville High School. The project consists of the following:

- Demolition of the existing athletic track surface and the asphalt base layer
- Repairs to the gravel base layer
- Repairs and additions to the storm water drainage system
- Replacement of the perimeter safety fence
- Installation of a new, thicker asphalt base
- Installation of a new polyurethane track surface, complete with striping and track and field components

After design, survey, and geotechnical fees, \$1,305,221 remain for construction. General Services, along with the design team, FitFields, released an advertisement for bid on January 12, 2023. Three complete bids were received on February 16, 2023, of which, AstroTurf Corporation was the lowest responsive, responsible bidder in the amount of \$1,239,058. Construction is scheduled to begin this spring and be completed by August 1, 2023.

Recommended Motion & Requested Action: Recommend executing the construction contract with AstroTurf Corporation

County Manager's comments and Recommendation: Approve as presented