

*Department Of Physical Plant & Operations*

**To:** Board of Education

**From:** Jim Kolodziej

**Re:** Award of Contracts-Custodial, Maintenance, Grounds, Filter Supplies

**Date:** June 12, 2023

Bid specifications were developed for public bidding of custodial, maintenance and grounds supplies for the 2023-2024 fiscal year. The bid was advertised in a local newspaper, and the information was posted to our website, as well as uploaded to a digital platform via BuildingConnected.com.

Twelve (12) vendors submitted bids. The following vendors submitted the lowest prices for one or more products.

<b>Warehouse Direct Des Plaines, IL</b>	<b>\$ 39,970.03</b>
<b>Ninja De-Icer Green Bay, WI</b>	<b>\$ 5,307.68</b>
<b>Ramrod Distribution Inc. Elk Grove, IL</b>	<b>\$ 22,548.92</b>
<b>Chicago Filter Company Elk Grove Village, IL</b>	<b>\$ 7,284.96</b>
<b>Chemcraft Chicago, IL</b>	<b>\$ 76,221.85</b>
<b>North American Glenview, IL</b>	<b>\$ 2,955.93</b>
<b>Imperial Dade D/B/A Kranz Racine, WI</b>	<b>\$ 37,201.37</b>
<b>Central Poly Linden, NJ</b>	<b>\$ 2,334.50</b>
<b>SeherIhde D/B/A Freedom Air Filtration Downers Grove, IL</b>	<b>\$ 1,571.63</b>
<b>ASC Enterprises Chicago, IL</b>	<b>\$ 5,006.70</b>
<b>Unipak Brooklyn, NY</b>	<b>\$ 9,027.50</b>
<b>FSI Filter Des Plaines, IL</b>	<b>\$ 333.24</b>

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For several years now, the bulk purchasing of custodial and maintenance supplies has offered competitive pricing between multiple vendors allowing for overall savings to the district.

We have reviewed all bids and believe we are getting the lowest prices available and all vendors meet our requirements.

We ask the Board of Education to approve award of contract for custodial, maintenance and grounds to the vendors listed above in the aggregate amount of **\$209,764.31**.