

March 7, 2024

Jason Booher Mercer County Schools 530 Perryville Street Harrodsburg, KY 40330

RE: New Mercer County Elementary School Test and Balance Proposals RTA Project: 22029 CMTA Project: XMES22

Dear Mr. Booher:

On behalf of Mercer County Schools, CMTA Engineers solicited proposals from contractors for the Test and Balance scope of work for this project. On February 28, 2024, we sent an RFP to three different Test and Balance Contractors that we have extensive experience with and received three proposals. Those proposals received were as follows:

Thermal Balance	\$37,300 base bid
Nicholasville, KY	\$12,940 Building Air Tightness Test
Synergy Test and Balance	\$37,799 base bid
Lexington, KY	\$15,600 Building Air Tightness Test
EBCO, Inc.	\$38,000 base bid
Lexington, KY	\$45,000 Building Air Tightness Test

After reviewing the proposals in detail, it is our recommendation to award the Test and Balance scope of work to Thermal Balance. Further, it is our recommendation that the owner also award the alternate scope of the Building Air Tightness Test to Thermal Balance.

Sincerely,

Aaron Shultz, P.E. Project Engineer

Attachment: Original Proposals