

## Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Regular DATE: September 9, 2024

TOPIC: Approval of Contract for HVAC Testing and Balancing Services for the Construction

of New Rise STEM Academy for Girls BG 23-547

PREPARED BY: Myron Thompson, Chief Operating Officer @ 422-0383

Recommended Action on: 9/23/2024

**Consent Item** 

Superintendent Prior Approval: No

**Recommendation/Motion:** Authorize the Superintendent to execute a contract with Synergy Test and Balance, Inc. in the amount of \$43,048.00 (Forty-three Thousand, Forty-eight Dollars) to perform the third-party Testing, Balancing, Lubrication and Adjustments (TAB) services outlined below, subject to review/approval of the FCPS General Counsel.

**Background/Rationale:** Similar to building commissioning, Testing, Balancing, Lubrication and Adjustments (TAB) is also part of the building code requirements of the 2012 International Energy Conservation Code (IECC) and the 90.1-2010 American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE). It is a required for the owner to hire a third party to do this in order to ensure that systems are installed properly and are performing at the optimal and most energy-efficient levels. If issues are found during the testing, then the TAB contractor works with the other contractors to ensure components meet the operational objectives required.

Request for Proposal #45-24 was solicited on June 25, 2024 and three (3) proposals were received for this project. Based on the design team's analysis of the proposals received, Synergy Test and Balance, Inc. appears to have met all of the project scope of work criteria and has submitted an acceptable and cost-efficient proposal. The total anticipated value of the services (\$43,048.00) needed for the project requires the approval of the Board.

Contractor	Proposal Amount
Synergy Testing and Balance	\$43,048.00
EBCO, Inc.	\$48,500.00
Thermal Balance	\$49,800.00

## **Strategic Priority:**

☐ Highly Effective & Culturally Responsive Workforce

☐ Outreach & Engagement ☐ Organizational Health & Efficiency

Data Considerations: District Facility Plan

Policy: 01.11 – Powers and Duties of the Board

Fiscal Impact:

FundOrg. CodeObject CodeProject CodeConstruction 3600393610034923547

Attachments(s): Contract