

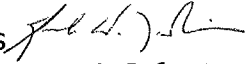
MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

January 22, 2014

MEMORANDUM

Revised

To: Trustee Finance Committee

From: Kemel W. Dawkins 
Vice President for Strategic Infrastructure Planning and Facilities

Subject: **Bid and Contract Award**
Spartan Marching Band - Artificial Turf Field

RECOMMENDATION

BE IT RESOLVED that the Trustee Finance Committee recommends that the Board of Trustees authorize the Administration to award a contract in the amount of \$797,500 to Laux Construction, LLC and that the budget be reduced from \$1,300,000 to \$1,150,000 for the project entitled Spartan Marching Band - Artificial Turf Field.



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BACKGROUND

Description of the Project:

The new field will be located on the southeast corner of Munn Field, north of Shaw Lane between Birch Road and Chestnut Road in the athletic and recreation district. This project involves construction of a regulation-sized, artificial turf football field, in the same orientation as Spartan Stadium. The project will include a 32' high band tower, spectator seating, fencing and gates, underground utility work, equipment relocation, and site restoration. The field can be scheduled by intramural sports, classes, and summer sports camps for other activities when not in use by the Spartan Marching Band.

Bid List:

The following bids were received:

BIDDERS

Laux Construction, LLC
Granger Construction Company
E.T. Mackenzie Company
Triangle Associates, Inc.
Fieldturf USA, Inc.

BID

\$ 797,500
827,400
857,700
860,300
890,250

Sports Contracting Group, LLC	895,520
Site Development, Inc.	915,000
Moore Trosper Construction Company	919,320

Project Cost:

In October 2013, the Board of Trustees authorized a budget of \$1,300,000 for this project. Due to favorable bidding conditions, the project budget will be reduced to \$1,150,000. This project is being funded by gifts from Akers Trust and from Mr. Edwin and Mrs. Wanda Eichler.

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