

Letter of Recommendation

Installed Athletic Equipment – Alabaster Rec Center

10/01/25

2:00 PM CST

Scope of Work & Budget:

1. Installed Basketball Equipment- \$170,525.00
2. Gymnasium Divider Curtains – Captured Above
3. Ground Sleeved Volleyball Equipment – Captured Above
4. Volleyball Equipment Transport Carts – Captured Above
5. Portable Pickleball Nets - \$7,200
6. Scoreboards - \$25,275.00
7. Tip and Roll Bleacher System - \$36,000

Total Budgeted: \$239,000

Adjusted Proposal Amounts:

1. HE Hodge: \$139,890.00
2. Covington: \$151,250.00
3. Toadvine: \$161,890.00

Recommendation:

Sports Facilities Companies has completed the scope review with HE Hodge with satisfactory results. SFC recommends to move forward with contracting HE Hodge via Draper Equipment for the project.



## BID TABULATION

PROJECT NAME: Installed Athletic Equipment – Alabaster Recreation Center & Library  
 PROJECT NUMBER: 1836.01


DATE:	September 18, 2025
TIME:	2:00:00 PM CST
LOCATION:	Alabaster City Hall Council Chambers 1953 Municipal Way, Alabaster, AL 35007

	CONTRACTORS	Bid Signed	Acknowledge Addendum 1	Certificate of Insurance	IRS Form W9	Project Milestone Schedule	Envelope Adjustment	Base Bid	Total Adjusted Bid	Notes
1	HE Hodge	X	-	X	X	-	\$40,000.00	\$99,890.00	\$139,890.00	\$4,410.00 is for the Douglas Pickleball Nets \$16,940.00 is for the ElectroMech Scoreboards \$18,650.00 is for the portable bleachers Submitted project specification binder (hard copy)  Draper is a reputable vendor and is currently the apparent low bid.
2	Covington	X	-	X	X	-	\$0.00	\$151,250.00	\$151,250.00	Covington is a reputable vendor but is currently \$11,360 over HE Hodge proposal.
3	Toadvine	-	-	-	-	-	\$0.00	\$161,890.00	\$161,890.00	Porter is a reputable vendor but is currently \$22,000 over the HE Hodge proposal.
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Sworn and subscribed before me this 19th day of September 2025

*Tamara Swanson*  
Notary Public L.S.

Dylan Lowdermilk  
Typed or Printed Name and Title of Project Manager, Architect, or Engineer  
*Dylan Lowdermilk*  
Signature

  
**TAMARA SWANSON**  
 Commission # HH 587175  
 Expires December 27, 2028

