



Public Safety

Meeting Date: November 25, 2025

Motion to Accept Bid for Light Fixtures and Accessories at the CBWDC – ITB 25-242

Department:	Sheriff
Presenter:	Major Chester V. Huffman, Jr.
Caption:	Motion to accept a bid from Hard Times Products LLC in the amount of \$376,246.00 for the purchase of light fixtures and accessories for the Charles B. Webster Detention Center (CBWDC) – ITB 25-242
Background:	Originally constructed in 1997, the original “maximum security” light fixtures in most of the jail cells are failing or have already failed. These fixtures are damaged or removed by the inmate population. Pieces and parts of these damaged or removed fixtures have been fashioned into sharp and dangerous weapons. These weapons are used by the inmate population to assault other inmates as well as staff members of the Sheriff’s Office. Replacement of these aged fixtures with 377 new-style security fixtures will create a better lit environment for the inmates as well as a safer environment for all.
Analysis:	The cell light fixtures requested are Shat-r-shield security lights designed for installation in maximum security detention cells. Three bids were received. Hard Times Products provided the lowest responsive and responsible bid .
Financial Impact:	This Invitation to Bid is funded through the 2025 Capital Funding Allocation – Central Services Department - Charles B. Webster Detention Center.
Alternatives:	N/A
Recommendation:	Approve the request to accept the bid from Hard Time Products LLC for the purchase of cell light fixtures and accessories for the CBWDC
Funds are available in the following accounts:	272-01-6213/54-13120

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APPROVED BY: