



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REQUEST

Meeting Type:	Mayor & Council Meeting
Meeting Date:	9-16-2024
Agenda Item:	John Davis Low Voltage RFP - Busker Communications, INC.
Department:	Recreation Department
Requested By:	Will Chappell
Reviewed/Approved by City Attorney?	Yes
Cost:	\$179,974.76
Funding Source if Not in Budget	2020 - SPLOST

Please Provide A Summary of Your Request, Including Background Information to Explain the Request:

The City of Dalton published a request for proposals in late April and held an on-site visit in May with all the eight (8) vendors interested in submitting a proposal. The city of Dalton received four (4) proposals which they were very impressive, but all had some misquoted items. The city then published a request for a best and final submittal with defined counts and finalized items to be quoted on. The city set a budget of \$180,000 which Buskar Communications, INC. came in slightly under budget. It is important to note that Buskar Communications, INC. was not the lowest bid; it was the third lowest bid, but Buskar Communications, INC. scored very well in our grading matrix. Buskar Communications, INC. will be doing the low voltage for the new John Davis recreation building and the Pool Access Building which will include: CAT6A network cable installation for WIFI, Cameras, and Network devices. They will also install the security cameras for the facility.