



April 30th, 2025

Alex Farned, Director of Parks and Recreation Department
City of Tupelo
71 East Troy Street
Tupelo, MS 38804

**RE: City of Tupelo, Department of Parks and Recreation –
Ballard Park Soccer Complex- Paul Eason Field Renovation**

Dear Mr. Farned:

Bids were received April 23rd, 2025, on the above-noted project. The apparent low bidder for this project is GeoSurfaces, Inc. with a Base Bid of \$129,000.00, Alternate #1 Bid of \$15,000.00, and Alternate #2 Bid of \$38,700.00. The Base Bid and Alternate Bids combine for a Total Bid amount \$182,700.00.

After discussions with yourself and key representatives from the low bidder, it is my recommendation to not accept the bid from GeoSurfaces, Inc. based upon their submitted proposal for the Base Bid and Alternates.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to give me a call at (662) 432-4146.

Sincerely,

Shipman Sloan, PLA

pc: Don Lewis, COO; Traci Dillard, Finance; Missy Shelton, Council Clerk
File PN: 25010.00, CBN: 2025-012PR