

**MENDHAM TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BROOKSIDE, NEW JERSEY
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER
REGULAR SESSION MEETING AGENDA - *ADDENDUM*
TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 2024, 7:30 PM**

Operations and Finance

1. MTES & MTMS Interior, Mechanical, and Site Improvements

WHEREAS, the Mendham Township Board of Education (“Board”) held a public bid opening for the re-bid of the Interior, Mechanical, and Site Improvements at Mendham Elementary School & Mendham Middle School project (“Project”); and

WHEREAS, the Board received five (5) bids at the public bid opening; and

WHEREAS, the lowest numerical bid was submitted by Brockwell & Carrington, Towaco, New Jersey; and

WHEREAS, promptly following the bid opening, Brockwell & Carrington requested to withdraw its bid based upon the “substantial and unintentional omission of labor, material and services for the Project”; and

WHEREAS, the second lowest numerical bid was submitted by M&M Construction Co., Inc., Cranford, New Jersey, with a total bid of \$12,912,000.00, consisting of a base bid of \$12,880,000.00, which base bid includes Project allowances totaling \$2,271,000.00, and a bid of \$32,000 of Alt-1; and

WHEREAS, the Board’s design professionals have recommended awarding the contract to M&M Construction Co., Inc.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the above-recitals are incorporated as if set forth here at length.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board hereby accepts the request of Brockwell & Carrington to withdraw its bid.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to the provisions of New Jersey’s Public School Contracts Law, N.J.S.A. 18A:18A-18 et seq., the Board hereby awards a contract for the Project to M&M Construction Co., Inc., Cranford New Jersey, in the total amount of \$12,912,000.00, inclusive of all Project allowances and broken out as set forth above.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Business Administrator is authorized to return the bid securities to all but the three lowest bidders, if requested.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that upon receipt by the Board of a partially executed contract, bonds, insurance certificate and all other documents required by the Project specifications, the Business Administrator is authorized to return the remaining bid securities.