

RESOLUTION APPROVING CONTRACT #2023-0310 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$855,000
WITH LOWDERMILK ELECTRIC, INC. FOR ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS FOR NEW
SPORTS FIELD LIGHTING AT BRYAN PARK SOCCER COMPLEX

WHEREAS, the City Council is being requested to approve the award of the contract to Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. for the new sports field lighting at Bryan Park Soccer Complex for the Parks and Recreation Department;

WHEREAS, on January 3, 2023 City Council approved ARP funding for improvements at Bryan Park;

WHEREAS, at its August 15, 2023 meeting the City Council approved a contract for \$1,632,000 to purchase new sports field lighting from Musco Sports Lighting;

WHEREAS, the sports lighting purchase from Musco Sports Lighting only includes the purchase of lighting, while electrical connections must be designed and installed by a registered electrical contractor per NC State Electrical Code;

WHEREAS, execution of this contract allows for new electrical connections for the new lights on fields 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 at Bryan Park Soccer Complex;

WHEREAS, Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. was the lowest responsive bidder;

WHEREAS, Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. achieved MBE 22.90% (\$195,785.00) and WBE 9.51% (\$81,298.70);

WHEREAS, Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. exceeded the MBE goal but did not meet the WBE goal; however, it achieved 75 GFE Points;

WHEREAS, Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. has committed to subcontract \$277,083.70 of the total contract value of \$855,000.00;

WHEREAS, it is recommended by the Parks and Recreation Department that City Council approves the award of this contract to Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. for electrical lighting connections for new sports field lighting at Bryan Park Soccer Complex; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That the City is authorized to enter into a contract for \$855,000 with Lowdermilk Electric, Inc. for electrical lighting connections for new sports field lighting at Bryan Park Soccer Complex.