# CITY OF CHARLOTTE

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Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center 600 East 4th Street Charlotte. NC 28202

## **Legislation Text**

File #: 15-10827, Version: 1

### **Airport Perimeter Fence Upgrade**

#### **Action:**

Approve a contract in the amount of \$3,084,018 to the lowest responsive bidder, Fence Builders, Incorporated for the perimeter fence upgrade project.

#### Staff Resource(s):

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#### **Explanation**

- The Airport is surrounded by approximately 20 miles of perimeter fence. The perimeter fence provides security and keeps wildlife from accessing the airfield.
- This contract includes the removal and replacement of approximately 33,000 linear feet of perimeter security fence.
- In 2016, the Federal Aviation Administration approved the Airport's Wildlife Hazard Management Plan, which included making improvements to the perimeter fence by 2020.
- According to the Department of Agriculture, increasing a fence's height to 10 feet results in the near-elimination of deer attempting to jump over the fence.
- On April 29, 2019, the city issued an Invitation to Bid; four bids were received.
- Fence Builders, Incorporated was the lowest responsible bidder.
- The project is anticipated to be completed by December 31, 2020.
- This activity is occurring on airport property, located in Council District 3.

#### **Charlotte Business INClusion**

Established MSBE Goal: 12.00% Committed MSBE Goal: 12.00%

Fence Builders, Incorportated met the established subcontracting goal, and has committed 12.00% (\$349,510) of the base bid amount to the following certified firms (Part B: Section 3 of the Charlotte Business INClusion Policy):

- WGK, Inc. (MBE, SBE) (\$326,710) (concrete)
- Diva Dumps, LLC (MBE, SBE) (\$22,800) (portable toilets, dumpsters)

#### **Fiscal Note:**

Funding: Aviation Community Investment Plan