



PURCHASING ITEM FOR COUNCIL AGENDA

1. Agenda Item Number:

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2. Council Meeting Date:

September 6, 2007

TO: MAYOR & COUNCIL

3. Date Prepared: August 22, 2007

THROUGH CITY MANAGER

4. Requesting Department: Community Services

5. SUBJECT: Approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Maggio Ranch Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (063-101) with Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$35,627.58.

6. RECOMMENDATION: Approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Maggio Ranch Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (063-101) with Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$35,627.58

7. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: Maggio Ranch Park is a 5-acre neighborhood park originally constructed in 1991. The playground equipment at the park is the original installed equipment. Over the past year, Community Services staff has received requests to upgrade the playground equipment at this park. Because of the age and limited playability of the playground it has been determined that the existing playground equipment needs to be completely removed and replaced.

8. EVALUATION PROCESS: The City of Tucson, through a comprehensive bid, awarded a contract to Triple M Recreation, a supplier for GameTime equipment, to provide and install Playground Equipment. The City has an intergovernmental agreement with the City of Tucson, which allows for utilization of their contracts. The use of this contract eliminates the cost of going out to bid, reduces the lead time in obtaining the products and results in a lower overall cost. Price breakdown is as follows:

<u>Triple M Recreation</u>	
Equipment	\$ 21,410.87
Use Tax	\$ 1,346.12
Installation	\$ 13,900.00
Delivery	\$ 3,123.51
Discount	\$ -4,152.92
Total	\$ 35,627.58

Installation consists of demolition of old equipment/footings, excavation, and installation of new equipment including equipment footings. Safety fencing is included in installation.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: Funds for the Maggio Ranch Park playground equipment, in the amount of \$35,627.58 are available in 420-4580-0000-6611-8PR049 Park Bonds. Park Capital.Improvements. Existing Neighborhood Park Improvements.

10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move to approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Maggio Ranch Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (063-101) with Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$35,627.58

APPROVALS

11. Requesting Department

Kris Kircher, Parks & Grounds Manager

12. Department Head

Mark M. Eynatten, Community Services Director

13. Procurement Officer

Glenda Shackelford, CPPB

14. City Manager

W. Mark Pentz