



**PURCHASING ITEM
FOR
COUNCIL AGENDA**
Memo No. CS09-088

1. Agenda Item Number:

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2. Council Meeting Date:
October 30, 2008

TO: MAYOR & COUNCIL

3. Date Prepared: October 20, 2008

THROUGH: CITY MANAGER

4. Requesting Department: Community Services

5. SUBJECT: Approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Folley Memorial Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (#063-101) with GameTime c/o Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$71,004.40.

6. RECOMMENDATION: Approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Folley Memorial Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (#063-101) with GameTime c/o Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$71,004.40.

7. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: Folley Memorial Park is a 23.45-acre community park originally constructed in 1975. The playground equipment at the park is 15 years old. Over the past year, Community Services staff has received requests to upgrade the playground equipment at this park. Because of the playground equipment's age, limited playability and safety concerns, it has been determined that the existing playground equipment should be completely removed and replaced. The new playground equipment will consist of a play structure for 2-5 year old children and a play structure for 5-12 year old children.

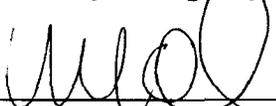
8. EVALUATION PROCESS: The City of Tucson, through a comprehensive bid, awarded a contract to GameTime c/o Triple M Recreation to provide and install Playground Equipment. This contract contains a section that extends the terms and conditions of the contract to other municipalities, school districts and government agencies of the State of Arizona. The use of this contract eliminates the cost of issuing a bid, reduces the lead-time in obtaining the products and results in a lower overall cost. A purchase order will be used as the form of contract for this purchase. The purchase amount requested includes playground equipment, installation, tax and delivery.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: Funds for the Folley Memorial Park Playground Equipment in the amount of \$71,004.40 are available in 420-4580-0000-6611-9PR530 General Obligations Park Bonds Fund, Existing Community Park Improvements.

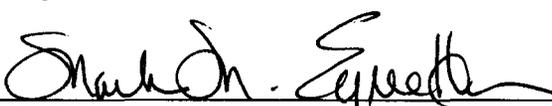
10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move to approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Folley Memorial Park utilizing the City of Tucson's contract (#063-101) with GameTime c/o Triple M Recreation in the amount of \$71,004.40.

APPROVALS

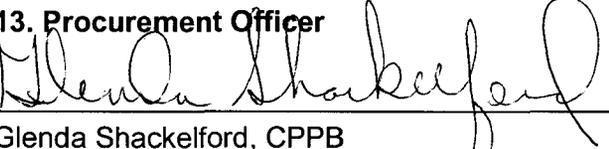
11. Requesting Department


Mickey Orland, Park Development & Operations
Mgr.

12. Department Head


Mark M. Eynatten, Community Services Director

13. Procurement Officer


Glenda Shackelford, CPPB

14. City Manager


W. Mark Pentz