



**PURCHASING ITEM
FOR
COUNCIL AGENDA
Memo No. CS09-166**

1. Agenda Item Number:

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2. Council Meeting Date:
February 12, 2009

TO: MAYOR & COUNCIL

3. Date Prepared: February 2, 2009

THROUGH CITY MANAGER

4. Requesting Department: Community Services

5. SUBJECT: Approve the purchase and installation of playground equipment, playground surfacing, picnic tables and a ramada at Sundance Park utilizing Mohave Educational Services Cooperative (MESC) Contract #040-MICO-0218 with Micon Construction in the amount of \$113,953.09.

6. RECOMMENDATION: Approve the purchase and installation of playground equipment, playground surfacing, picnic tables and a ramada at Sundance Park utilizing the Mohave Educational Services Cooperative (MESC) Contract #040-MICO-0218 with Micon Construction in the amount of \$113,953.09.

7. HISTORICAL BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION: Sundance Park is a 3.52-acre neighborhood park originally constructed in 1993 and is located in the square mile bordered by Ray Road, Kyrene Road, Chandler Boulevard and 56th Street. Community Services staff has received requests to upgrade the playground equipment and replace the ramada that was recently removed due to safety concerns at this park. The new playground equipment will consist of two separate play structures for 2-5 and 5-12 year old children. New swings, wood fiber playground surfacing, picnic tables and a ramada will also be installed.

8. EVALUATION PROCESS: Mohave Educational Services Cooperative (MESC), through a comprehensive bid, awarded a contract to Micon Construction to provide and install playground equipment and ramadas. 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, playground surfacing, picnic tables, ramada, installation, tax and delivery.

9. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: Funds for the Sundance Park playground equipment, playground surfacing, picnic tables and a ramada in the amount of \$113,953.09 are available in 420-4580-0000-6611-9PR049 General Obligations Park Bonds Fund, Existing Neighborhood Park Improvements.

10. PROPOSED MOTION: Move to approve the purchase and installation of Playground Equipment at Sundance Park utilizing the Mohave Educational Services Cooperative (MESC) Contract with Micon Construction in the amount of \$113,953.09.

APPROVALS

11. Requesting Department

Mickey Ohland, 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