

**RFP 21MISC2**  
**PLAYGROUND DESIGN BUILD SERVICES AND BULK EWF MULCH SUPPLY**  
**(RENEWAL)**

**FACT SHEET**

A. **Overview:** This recommendation is to renew the contract with playground contractors to provide all necessary professional design services, labor, materials, supplies, equipment and incidentals necessary to supply and install playground equipment on Frederick County Public School's (FCPS) property; and to renew the unit price contract for bulk mulch purchases for use by FCPS grounds crew in their spring clean-up.

1. **Other facts:**

- The renewal period will be effective from August 1, 2024 through July 31, 2025, no renewal option available.
- Approximately \$48,819 was spent in FY23 and approximately \$108,751 was spent in FY24.
- Pricing for mulch will not change for the renewal period. The current pricing is \$19.49 per cubic yard.
- This contract will be administered by Thomas Mulligan, Project Manager III, Capital Programs.

2. **Source of funding:** FY25 Approved Operating Budget and contingent upon Board approval of FY26 Operating Budget.

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B. **Recommendation:** Staff recommends that the Playground Design Build Services portion of RFP 21MISC2, Playground Design Build Services and Bulk EWF Mulch Supply be renewed to Playcore Wisconsin, Inc. dba: Gametime, c/o Cunningham Associates dba Cunningham Recreation; Playground Specialists, Inc.; Playpower LT Farmington, Inc., and River Valley Landscapes, Inc. dba: River Valley Recreation. Staff further recommends that the Bulk EWF Mulch Supply be renewed to JK Enterprise Landscape Supply, LLC.

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B. **Action taken by the Board (Purchasing use only):**

\_\_\_\_ Approved      \_\_\_\_ Denied      \_\_\_\_ Deferred      \_\_\_\_ Other      DG/kl

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