

HADLEY SCHOOL COMMITTEE
HADLEY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
HADLEY, MASSACHUSETTS 01035
June 26, 2023

[Zoom](#) Meeting: 9:00 AM – Regular Meeting (Full Recording: [Click Here](#))

Hadley Public Schools – We are guided by the mission to provide a safe and supportive environment that fosters cooperation, critical thinking, creativity, and integrity; and educating students to contribute positively to a global society.

Present: H. Fasihuddin, C. Pipczynski, P. Phifer, A. McKenzie, T. Brugger* (Joined at 9:06am)

Student Representative:

Absent: E. Percy,

Guests: Chris Desjardins, Business Office Manager

1. Call to Order: (9:00am)

Motion: Pipczynski

Second: Phifer

Vote: 3-0-0

2. Adjustments to the Agenda

No adjustments to the agenda.

3. [Public Comment](#) – Chair Fasihuddin asked for any public comment. She noted that no raised hands were observed requesting to make a statement or comment.

4. Presentations/Discussion Items

- a. Bid Award Phase II Athletic Fields – A. McKenzie and C. Desjardins presented the School Committee with the lowest responsive and responsible bidder for phase two of Hopkins Academy Athletic Fields project. The bid was posted in accordance with Chapter 30b Massachusetts procurement laws which state that we must select the lowest responsive bidder according to the bid specifications. The public bid opening occurred on Wednesday, June 21, 2023 with several vendors present. The lowest bid was by Omasta who came in with a bid of \$1,297,000 which is within the budgeted amount. Omasta can begin the work once the School Committee approves the bid.

ACTION: Award bid for Hopkins Athletic Fields Project Phase II to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder, Omasta Landscaping, in the amount of \$1,297,000

Motion: Pipczynski

Second: Phifer

Vote: 3-0-0

T. Brugger joined the meeting at this time, Chair Fasihuddin recapped the discussion and the vote that took place, there were no objections or further discussion.

5. Next Meeting Datea

School Committee Meeting: Wednesday, June 28 at 9:00am to discuss an MOU and use of school funds for locker painting.

6. Adjourn Regular Meeting – 9:07am

Motion: Pipczynski

Second: Brugger

Vote: 4-0-0