

COUNCIL AGENDA SUMMARY

DATE: January 19, 2026

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Noel Hand

ISSUE: Gulf Shores High School FFE

RECOMMENDATION: The city previously approved an FFE Budget for Furnishings Fixtures and Equipment for \$3,850,000. This consisted of interior furniture, athletic equipment and outdoor furniture. The City and interior design teams have been working with Gulf Shores City Schools to design proposed furnishings to tailor to the innovative learning environment for the new school. This proposed contract we recommend awarding to Interior Elements in the amount of \$3,200,000.00. Interior Elements is on a pre-approved State Purchasing Contract to buy direct. The remainder money is to be allocated to another contract and total savings.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL ACTION: None

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS: The funding for this contract has been budgeted for the High School Construction budget line 38-879-84900.

RELATED ISSUES: None

ATTACHMENTS: Volkert Recommendation Letter

DEPARTMENT: Public Works General Services

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