

**EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL**  
**EDUCATION COMMITTEE - 8 NOVEMBER 2005**  
**AWARDING OF CONTRACTS**

**Report by the Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support**

**1. PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to provide, for information, details of tenders which have been accepted. The amounts shown are the actual costs of the contracts and are exclusive of professional fees.

**2. BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 The Council, at its meeting held on 4 March 2004 (Item 6, Page 604, 03/07) agreed the Standing Orders relating to Contracts, which apply to all contracts for the supply of goods and materials for the provision of services or for the execution of works. The contracts were awarded in terms of these Standing Orders.

**3. CONTRACTS**

- 3.1 The outcome of the tendering process in respect of the contracts is shown at Appendix 1.

**4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 4.1 The Client Department has confirmed that the cost of the works can be provided from existing budgets.

**5. LEGAL/AUTHORITY IMPLICATIONS**

- 5.1 The contracts were awarded in terms of Paragraph 15 of the Council's Standing Orders relating to Contracts.

**6. POLICY IMPLICATIONS – Nil.**

**7. RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 7.1 The Committee is asked to note the contracts awarded to date.

Elizabeth Morton  
Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

AMC/SM  
20 October 2005

## **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS**

1. Memos dated 29 August, 1 and 21 September 2005 from the Principal Quantity Surveyor.
2. Evaluation Report dated 30 September 2005 by Senior Procurement Officer.
3. Evaluation Report dated 6 October 2005 by Procurement Officer.

Any person wishing to inspect the background papers relative to this report should contact Anne Marie Carr, Senior Administrative Officer, on Tel No (01563) 576134. Any person wishing further information on this report should contact Bill Walkinshaw, Administration Manager on Tel No (01563) 576135.

**Implementation Officer: Anne Marie Carr, Senior Administrative Officer.**

**APPENDIX 1**

<b><u>CONTRACT</u></b>	<b><u>SUCCESSFUL CONTRACTOR AND AMOUNT</u></b>	
Window Replacement to Elevations 1, 2, 3 and 4 - Catrine Primary School, Fourfields, Catrine	Thermashield Insulation Ltd, Glasgow <b>£83,585.88*</b>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Anglian Building Products, East Kilbride; MITIE Property Services (Northern) Ltd, Airdrie; Radbury of Ayr, Ayr; Sidey Ltd, Perth; and Thomson (of Ayr) Construction Ltd, Ayr.</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - £149,355.42; and £190, 827.16.</p> <p>Three tenderers did not submit a tender.</p>
Window Replacement, Phase 2 to Elevations 1 to 8 - Lainshaw Primary School, Stewarton	Thermashield Insulation Ltd, Glasgow <b>£121,524.23**</b>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Radbury of Ayr, Ayr.</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - £165,382.29</p>
Window Replacement to Elevations 1, 2, 3 and 4 - Mount Carmel Primary School, Kilmarnock	Radbury of Ayr Ltd, Ayr <b>£127,177.56***</b>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Anglian Building Products, East Kilbride; AWS Commercial Window Systems Ltd, Worcestershire; J B Bennett, Glasgow; Clark Contracts Ltd, Paisley; and Thomson (of Ayr) Construction Ltd, Ayr.</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - £171,534.80; and £226,607.03.</p> <p>Three tenderers did not submit a tender.</p>
Drongan Primary School - Provision of Synthetic Pitches	D McLaughlin & Sons, Ardrossan <b>£426,581.99</b>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Barr Ltd, Paisley; Kelburn Construction Ltd, Kilmarnock; Mitchell &amp; Struthers Contracts Ltd, Kilmarnock; Thomson (of Ayr) Construction Ltd, Ayr; Tulloch Civil Engineering Ltd, Stepps.</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - £441,681.85; and £454,500.48.</p> <p>Three tenderers did not submit a tender.</p>

<u>CONTRACT</u>	<u>SUCCESSFUL CONTRACTOR AND AMOUNT</u>	
<p>Supply of Computer Equipment to Schools</p> <p>Lot 1 - Laptops and Desktop Computers</p> <p>Lot 2 - Applemac Laptops &amp; Desktop Computers</p>	<p>NEC Computers (UK) Ltd, Livingston</p> <p>Scotsys Ltd, Bellshills</p> <p><b>Schedule of Rates</b></p>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Adaptive IT Solutions Ltd, Northampton; Akhter Computers plc, Essex; Apple Computer International, Middlesex; CCL Computers Ltd, Tong; Centerprise International Ltd, Basingstoke; Compusys plc, Buckinghamshire; Computacenter (UK) Ltd, Edinburgh; Dacoll Ltd, West Lothian; Dell Corporation Ltd, Berkshire; Elonex plc, Crawley; Gaia Technologies plc, Gwynedd; HKW Information Services Ltd, Manchester; Inmac Public Sector Sales, Borehamwood; Insight Direct (UK) Ltd, Wembley; Lanway CBS Ltd, Lancashire; Microtech Support Ltd, Kilmarnock; Misco UK (Systemax Europe Ltd), Northants; Northgate Information Solutions, Glasgow; NVT Computing Ltd, Bellshill; Probrand Ltd, Birmingham; Research Machines plc, Oxon; SCC, Edinburgh; Stone Computers, Staffordshire; Technologie Made Simple, Middlesex; The DTP Group, Leeds; Viglen Limited, Middlesex; and XMA Ltd, Nottingham</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - <i>Lot 1</i> - ten offers received on a Schedule of Rates basis; <i>Lot 2</i> - six offers received on a Schedule of Rates basis.</p> <p><i>Lot 1</i> - 17 tenderers did not submit a tender  <i>Lot 2</i> - 21 tenderers did not submit a tender</p>
<p>Provision of Play Work Training, SVQ Level 2 and Level 3</p>	<p>Bellsbank Adventure Playground Ltd, Dalmellington</p> <p><b>£34,911.14</b></p>	<p><b><u>Other Contractors in Alphabetical Order</u></b> - Kilmarnock College, Kilmarnock.</p> <p><b><u>Offers Received in Ascending Order</u></b> - No other offers were received for this contract.</p>

- \* The tenders received were in excess of the available budget, consequently it was necessary to carry out a savings exercise upon the lowest offer received. The savings comprised the omission of works to the doors in elevation number 3 and the full omission of all the window works in elevation 4 together with the associated stenni cladding panels. As a result of the savings exercise the tendered price was reduced from £125,011.64 to £83,585.88.
- \*\* The tenders received were in excess of the available budget, consequently it was necessary to carry out a savings exercise upon the lowest offer received. The savings comprised the omission of part of the window replacement to elevations 6, 7 and 8, together with the associated stenni cladding panels and building-up of openings in block/brickwork. As a result of the savings exercise the tender price was reduced from £139,078.95 to £121,524.23.
- \*\*\* The tenders received were in excess of the available budget, consequently it was necessary to carry out a savings exercise upon the lowest offer received. The savings comprised the omission of part of the window replacement to elevation 4, together with associated stenni cladding panels and the omission of a provisional sum of external double glazed aluminium doors and side screens from the project. As a result of the savings exercise the tendered price was reduced from £148,769.38 to £127,177.56.