

**BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY**

**INFORMATIONAL REPORT**

**DECISION ON**

**CONTRACT AWARD FOR ATHLETIC SURFACES:  
HARDWOOD AND SYNTHETIC FLOORING**

**MARCH 9, 2020**

Background Information:

On behalf of the Facilities Department, the Purchasing Department is requesting a decision to approve the use of a national contract for athletic surfaces including hardwood and synthetic flooring through Keystone Purchasing Network (KPN) with Miller Flooring Company, 827 Lincoln Avenue, West Chester, PA 19380.

The total annual expenditure is expected to be in excess of \$100,000. The contract will be utilized on an as-needed basis. For any single purchase exceeding \$100,000, board approval will be requested.

Discussion:

Ring Factory Elementary and Churchville Elementary are in need of gym floor replacements due to age and condition. The new flooring will provide a clean and safe environment for the students and staff. Miller Flooring Company is the only Mondo dealer and installer in the area. This flooring has no direct substitute that fits the specific needs of the school district.

It was determined that no other gym floor product on the market is comparable to the Mondo 8mm Vulcanized Floor Product, which was requested by the Facilities Department. This product is comprised of a three-layer system that will improve the durability of the floor.

The contracting vehicle for this agreement is Keystone Purchasing Network contract #KPN-A-201701-07. This contract is effective through February 28, 2021.

The funding source for these projects is the FY20 Capital Budget.

Superintendent's Recommendation:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends that the Board of Education approve piggybacking the Keystone Purchasing Network contract #KPN-A-201701-07 with Miller Flooring Company.