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Doors on Dan Avenue

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Tue, Sep 5, 2017 at 11:00 AM

To: Harold Perrin <hperrin@jonesboro.org>, "Suzanne M. Allen" <sallen@jonesboro.org>

Mayor Perrin and Suzanne,

I think one of you received an email back from Steve about my question concerning the doors used as replacements on Dan Avenue.

Can you forward his response to me? Since I was the one that raised a concern at the last council meeting, I wanted to make sure I can see what was used in case it is brought up.

thanks,

Joe

Suzanne M. Allen <SAllen@jonesboro.org>

Tue, Sep 5, 2017 at 11:24 AM

To: Joe Hafner <Joeforjonesboro@gmail.com>

Cc: Harold Perrin <HPerrin@jonesboro.org>

Hey Joe,

Steve Tippitt verbally spoke with Overhead Door and Diagnostic Door prior to their bids being turned in. Tim Baker visited with Ditta. Both Overhead and Ditta quoted installation of 20 gauge door panels only. Diagnostic quoted installation of 24 gauge doors with upgrades. 2" rails were upgraded to 3". 4" lift springs were upgraded to 6" and windsheer struts were added to every other panel. All of the upgrades were considered by Steve Tippitt and he felt those would more than compensate for the gauge.

In addition, Diagnostic made sure all doors were operational with existing wiring and both other companies assumed no responsibility for existing wiring. It was this and the upgrades that caused Steve to go with the lowest bid, Diagnostic. All state laws were followed during the procedures. In Steve's capacity as a Department Director with 26 years' experience he did use some judgement in the choice, but did so within the law.

Going forward, Steve Tippitt and I discussed their department having some written parameters in situations where formal bids are not required. This could help prevent a vendor being disgruntled. Steve Kent is out of the office this week but I will also discuss this issue with him.

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