

May 8, 2017


Rush City School District called for Health Insurance bids with due date of 4:00 pm April 19, 2017.

Bids were opened on Thursday April 20, 2017 at 3:15 with the following people present: Representing Rush City Schools – Jim Jackson, Teresa Dupre, and Laureen Frost. Representing the Rush City Education Association – Eric Telander, Mary Kurvers, and Barbara Scierka.

Three bids were received:

1. PEIP – This bid did not have the same level of benefits currently provided so it failed to meet bid specifications.
2. Blue Cross Blue Shield, direct from Blue Cross Blue Shield — This bid did not have the same level of benefits currently provided so it failed to meet bid specifications.
3. Blue Cross Blue Shield through Resource Training and Solutions – This bid met all specifications and maintains the same level of benefits currently provided.

The School Board has given authorization to administration to accept and approve a bid. Blue Cross Blue Shield bid through Resource Training and Solutions is awarded the bid. This bid represents a 7.4% increase from current rates for the October 1, 2017 renewal. The bid also includes a guarantee of no more than a 16.9% increase for the renewal on October 1, 2018.


Laureen A. Frost

To be presented to School Board on May 18, 2017