

**Agenda Summary
September 16, 2025**

**Agenda Item No. A-2
Bid Award – Stowe High School Generator**

Summary: On September 11, 2025, the Town received bids for installing a generator along with associated electrical work at Stowe High School / Stowe Middle School with the following results:

Bidder	Paving Bid
Local Electric	\$199,000.00
Gould Electric	\$237,500.00
Alliance Electrical	\$282,995.00

The proposed work consists of furnishing and installing a diesel-powered back-up generator, automatic transfer switch, upgrade of underground primary, and pad mount transformer in coordination with Stowe Electric Department for Stowe High School and Stowe Middle School. The existing transformers located inside the school building will be removed and replaced by a new transformer located outside of the building.

This project is anticipated to be completed during the 2026 Summer break and will coordinate closely with school staff.

Town Plan & Policy Impact: N/A

Fiscal & HR Impact: There is an FY25 capital project with a budget of \$300,000 for this project. *(Previous agenda summary version had incorrect budget listed.)*

Approximately 16 person-hours of time by Public Works Staff have been involved in the development and coordination of this Project. It is estimated an additional 30 person-hours of Public Works staff will be required to oversee the construction.

Recommendation:

Move to approve the award of the SHS Generator to Local Electric and to authorize the Town Manager to sign the Agreement on behalf of the Town.