

## BISD Bond Program

As the unifying force of the community, we guarantee that our graduates possess the necessary skills, values and knowledge to compete successfully as productive citizens in a diverse global society through an educational system characterized by:

- Expectation of **SUCCESS** for each person;
- Optimum application of **TECHNOLOGY**;
- An **APPRECIATION** of various cultures;
- Full **INVOLVEMENT** of parents, teachers and the community;
- **RESPECT** and **CARE** for each other.

Passed by voters in 2007, the \$388.5 million bond program includes construction of nine new elementary schools, a new middle school, a multi-purpose athletic complex, and renovations and additions to existing facilities.

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Appreciation

Technology

Respect



Success

Involvement

Care

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## Subcontractor Spotlight

### Lazer Construction Company, Inc.

Ousley Lacy, owner and CEO of Lazer Construction Company, Inc., opened the doors for business in 1992. Since then, the civil contractor has been producing quality work with capabilities that include site work, utilities, concrete and asphalt paving, concrete structures, and foundations. The company's current projects include work with ALLCO Construction



on Blanchette Elementary School, which began in the fall of 2009. Lazer Construction is working with BISD and ALLCO on other bond projects, including Dunbar, Fehl, and French Elementary Schools. For these and other projects, Lazer Construction's goals remain the same: build on time, within budget, and with the best quality as humanly possible with zero incidents.



### W.B. Construction & Sons, Inc.

Since 1994, W.B. Construction & Sons has focused their work goals on customer service, safety, and staying within budget and on schedule. These goals continue to be foremost as the Beaumont-based general contractor pursues their current work with the Beaumont ISD

bond program. Partnering with ALLCO Construction, W.B. Construction began the design/build project for Amelia, Martin, and Blanchette Elementary Schools in the fall of 2008. They are also on the South Park Middle School project team. W.B. Construction frequently attends bond program outreach events and pre-bid meetings. Amanda Goodie, Vice President and Senior Project Manager explains that in order to pursue work with BISD Local, Minority, and Woman-Owned Business Enterprises should be diligent, find room for improvement, network, and explore joint venture opportunities with other small firms.

## In the Community

### Parsons Teams with BISD and Lamar Construction Academy for Internship Program

Parsons welcomes Kenya Deese, Paul A. Brown High School junior to their Internship Program in conjunction with BISD and the Lamar Construction Academy's Summer Intern Program. According to Dr. David Harris, BISD Assistant Superintendent of Secondary Education, Kenya is one of the first of several BISD students working in an intern position after school. He hopes Kenya and other students will participate in Lamar's Construction Academy. The Academy is a summer program intended to introduce interested BISD students to the design and construction industry.



### BISD Athletic Complex to be Named after Superintendent

On April 15, the BISD Board of Trustees voted 5-1 to name the newly constructed athletic complex after Superintendent Dr. Carrol Thomas. The official name is "The Carrol A. 'Butch' Thomas Educational Support Center". The \$44 million facility is scheduled for completion in August.

**Total Contracts Awarded to Local, Minority, and Woman-Owned Business Enterprises to Date:**

**\$144,744,478  
(60% of Total Award)**