



City of Muscatine

ITEM NUMBER 2026-0011

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

DATE: 1/20/2026

STAFF

Nick Gow, Assistant Director of Parks and Recreation
Richard Klimes, Parks and Recreation Director

SUBJECT

Request to Approve the Issuance of a Purchase Order to Yeadon Domes, in the Amount of \$21,337, for Safety Netting at the Musco Sports Center.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Presented to the City Council is a request to approve a purchase order to Yeadon Domes in the amount of \$21,337 for the purchase of safety netting on the interior of the Musco Sports Center.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Approve the purchase order to Yeadon Domes in the amount of \$21,337.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Safety netting has been installed from the floor to the ceiling that separates the synthetic field from the hard court surfaces. Safety netting was also installed on the North side of the dome between the synthetic field and the mezzanine building from the floor to a height of 18'. The safety netting on both of these areas has provided safety to players and spectators utilizing all areas of the facility. The request is to add additional safety netting on the North side from the 18' net to the ceiling, to help provide additional safety separating the synthetic field from the mezzanine building.

Through the first few months of operation, 4 youth softball tournaments and 1 adult slow pitch softball tournament have been held at the facility. Each of the event organizers for these events has brought to our attention the concern of softballs flying over the current 18' net and causing a safety concern for spectators on the top of the mezzanine and on the back side of the mezzanine. Our ultimate goal with our athletic facilities is to provide safe and quality facilities, and the addition of this net will help accomplish this.

CITY FINANCIAL IMPACT

The purchase and installation of this safety netting will be built into the overall project budget for the Musco Sports Center. With Yeadon Domes as the supplier of the dome fabric and netting, and providing the installation of the netting to the dome fabric, no additional quotes were received.

ATTACHMENTS
