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To: Craig Reich, Senior Buyer, Purchasing

From: Sarah Gauld, Superintendent of Recreation

Re: **Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire Association** as a Sole Source for Softball
League Officiating in 2025

Date: January 28, 2025

Craig,

Jackson County Parks + Rec is submitting that the Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire Association be considered a sole source for Softball League Officials for JCP+R Softball Leagues in 2025. Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire association has been the lone organization in the metropolitan area in recent years to bid on providing experienced, quality umpires for our softball leagues and tournaments. JCP+R have been using the Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire Association services for more than twenty years. Their service has been commendable both to the Department and to our patrons.

JCP+R are submitting that \$82,000 has been budgeted in account 300-1654-56792 in 2025, for payment to the Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire Association for softball officials.

The contact for the Eastern Jackson County USSSA Umpire Association (Vendor Code EJC100021) is:

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Thank you,
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Frank White, Jr., County Executive