FINAL 09-0826-PR31 August 26, 2009

RATIFY ENTERING INTO AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH CHICAGO POLICE DEPARTMENT RELATING TO THE FY2008 SECURE OUR SCHOOLS GRANT

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Ratify entering into an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Chicago Police Department of the City of Chicago to implement a U.S. Department of Justice, Secure Our Schools Grant. The Chicago Public Schools collaborated with the Chicago Police Department to apply for a U.S. Department of Justice, Secure Our Schools grant. The grant was awarded to the Chicago Police Department to work in partnership to apply technology and de-escalation skills training to build relationships between police, school staff and students. The Chicago Public Schools will receive a total of \$223,275 in federal funds to purchase x-ray machines, grant funded training services and an assessment of training effectiveness through grant funded activities of the Chicago Police Department. To obtain the grant funds and services, CPS must provide a match of \$233,179. A written agreement is currently being negotiated. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written agreement is not executed within 120 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

AGENCY: Chicago Police Department

3510 S. Michigan Jody P. Weis 312-745-6100

USER: Chicago Public Schools, Office of School Safety and Security

244 E. Pershing Road Michael D. Shields 773-553-6902

SECURE OUR SCHOOLS GRANT DESCRIPTION: The Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services offers a competitive grant program called Secure Our Schools. Secure our Schools grants are awarded to law enforcement agencies for the development of school safety resources and improved security at schools and on school grounds. Specifically, this program will fund up to 50% of the total cost to implement one or more of the following options: placement and use of metal detectors, locks, lighting, and other deterrent measures; security assessments; security training of personnel and students; coordination with local law enforcement; and/or any other measure that may provide a significant improvement in security. CPD was awarded a FY08 COPS, Secure Our Schools Grant based on a collaborative application with CPS. The award provides funding for x-ray machines and de-escalation training provided CPS and CPD provide local matching funds.

TERM: The term of this agreement shall commence on September 1, 2008 and shall end on August 31, 2010. This agreement shall have no options to renew.

RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES: CPS will receive \$223,275 in federal funds awarded through the COPS, SOS grant to purchase of refurbished x-ray machines. CPS faculty and staff at twenty target high schools will receive two days of de-escalation skills training provided by CPD Liaison sergeants. As part of the requirement to obtain the Secure Our Schools Grant funding and funded services, CPS will be required to match the funding as follows: \$223,275 for refurbished x-ray machines for distribution to target high schools and \$9,904 in de-escalation training materials for faculty at ten target high schools. CPD will contract with a major university or other established research institute with expertise in evaluating school-based and/or delinquency prevention programming. CPS will be consulted on the research design which will include evaluation of process and outcome of the de-escalation training to determine its effectiveness in deterring violence.

AUTHORIZATION: Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written agreement. Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the agreement. Authorize the Director of Safety and Security to execute all ancillary documents required to administer or effectuate this agreement.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Pursuant to Section 5.2 of the Remedial Program for Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise Participation in Goods and Services Contracts, this intergovernmental agreement is exempt from M/WBE review.

LSC REVIEW: Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL: Charge to Department of Office of School Safety and Security:

Fiscal Year: FY09 \$223,275

Budget Classification: 12150-499-54105-254612-00000-2009

10610-210-54102-254605-00000-2009

Source of Funds: Super Fund, Tort Liability

Fiscal Year: FY10 \$9,904

Budget Classification: 10610-210-53305-254605-00000-2010

Source of Funds: Tort Liability

Fiscal Year: FY11 \$223,275 Budget Classification: TBD

Source of Funds: CPD, COPS- SOS grant

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General – Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Conflicts – The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness – The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted June 26, 1996 (96-0626-PO3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Ethics – The Board's Ethics Code adopted June 23, 2004 (04-0623-PO4), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of the agreement.

Contingent Liability – The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability, subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year budget(s).

Approved for Consideration:

Opai L. Walls Chief Purchasing Officer

Within Appropriation:

Pedro Martinez

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Approved as to legal form:

Patrick J. Rocks **General Counsel** Approved:

Chief Executive Officer