AUTHORIZE A NEW AGREEMENT WITH CDW GOVERNEMENT, LLC FOR THE PURCHASE OF AUDIO VISUAL AND INTERACTIVE WHITEBOARD EQUIPMENT

THE INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize a new agreement with CDW Government, LLC for the purchase of Audio Visual and Interactive Whiteboard Equipment for the School District at an estimated annual cost set forth in the Compensation Section of this report. Vendor was selected on a competitive basis pursuant to a Request for Proposal issued by Omnia Partners. Subsequently, the Vendor and Omnia Partners entered into agreement (Contract # 2018011). The Board seeks to purchase these products based upon these agreements as authorized under Board Rule 7-4, which authorizes the Board to purchase biddable and non-biddable items through government purchasing cooperative contracts. A written agreement for this purchase is currently being negotiated. No goods may be ordered or received and no payment shall be made to any Vendor prior to execution of their written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind as to each Vendor in the event their written agreement is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

Contract Administrator:

Forero, Bryan / 773-553-2280

VENDOR:

1) Vendor # 63673 CDW GOVERNMENT, LLC 300 NORTH MILWAUKEE AVE. VERNON HILLS, IL 60061

Susan Witherspoon 877 489-8641

Ownership: 100% Publicly Owned

USER INFORMATION:

Project

Manager:

12510 - Information & Technology Services

42 West Madison Street

Chicago, IL 60602

Wagner, Edward Joseph

773-553-1300

TERM:

The term of this agreement shall commence on August 1, 2021 and shall end July 31, 2022. The agreement shall have one (1) option to renew for a period of one (1) year.

EARLY TERMINATION RIGHT:

The Board shall have the right to terminate each agreement with 30 days written notice.

DESCRIPTION OF PURCHASE:

Goods: Audio Visual and Interactive Whiteboards products and accessories Unit Price: Various, to be detailed in the contract pricing exhibit Estimated Annual Costs: \$6,000,000, FY22

OUTCOMES:

This purchase will result in the ability to purchase audio visual and interactive whiteboard products and accessories from strategic source vendors with a positive track record within the school district.

COMPENSATION:

Vendor shall be paid in accordance with the unit prices contained in their agreement; estimated annual aggregate costs for the one (1) year term is set forth below: \$6,000,000, FY22

AUTHORIZATION:

Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written agreements. Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the agreements. Authorize Chief Information Officer to execute all ancillary documents required to administer or effectuate the agreements.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:

Pursuant to the Remedial Program for Minority and Women-Owned Business Enterprise Participation in Goods and Services contract, (M/WBE Program), the goals for this contract are 30% MBE and 7% WBE. The Office of Business Diversity has granted a partial waiver and the Prime vendor has committed to the participation goals of 30% MBE and 7% WBE of applicable spend. The vendor has scheduled the following firms:

TOTAL MBE: 30% Wynndalco Enterprises, LLC 55 W. Wacker Dr. 9th floor Chicago, IL 60101 Ownership: David R. Andalcio

Quantum Crossings 111 E. Wacker Drive, Ste. 990 Chicago, IL 60601 Ownership: Roger Martinez

Total WBE: 7% Liquid P.C. LLC 124 Heritage Ave. Portsmouth, NH 03801 Ownership: Loretta Sivret

LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL:

Various Funds, ITS, Unit 12510 \$6,000,000, FY22 Not to exceed \$6,000,000 for the one (1) year term. Future year funding is contingent upon budget appropriation and approval.

CFDA#: Not Applicable

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 May 25, 2011 (11-0525-PO2), 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:

JONATHAN MAPLES
Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:

JOSÉ M. TORRES, PhD Interim Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to Legal Form:

JOSEPH T. MORIARTY General Counsel