

AUTHORIZE THE SECOND (FINAL) RENEWAL AGREEMENT WITH CDW GOVERNMENT, LLC AND VIRTUCOM, INC. FOR THE PURCHASE AND LEASE OF WINDOWS AND CHROME DEVICES AND RELATED SERVICES

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize the second (final) renewal agreement with CDW Government, LLC and Virtucom, Inc. to provide the purchase and lease of Windows and Chrome devices and related services for all schools, network offices, and departments at an estimated annual cost set forth in the Financial Section of this report. A written document exercising this option is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to CDW Government, LLC and Virtucom, Inc. during the option period prior to execution of the written document. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written document is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this option is stated below.

Contract Administrator : Munoz, Rigoberto / 773-553-2280

VENDOR:

- 1) Vendor # 63673
CDW GOVERNMENT, LLC
230 N. MILWAUKEE AVE
VERNON HILLS, IL 60061
Sean Dillon
847 419-7438

Ownership: 100% Publicly Traded

- 2) Vendor # 19817
VIRTUCOM, INC.
5060 AVALON RIDGE PKWY SUITE 300
PEACHTREE CORNERS, GA 30071
Jon Rendine
800 890-2611

Ownership: 100% Jenny Tang

USER INFORMATION :

Project
Manager: 12510 - Information & Technology Services

42 West Madison Street

Chicago, IL 60602

Price, Debra

773-553-1300

ORIGINAL AGREEMENT:

The original Agreement (authorized by Board Report 20-0826-PR10) in the amount of \$120,000,000 is for a term commencing September 1, 2020 and ending August 31, 2023, with the Board having two (2) options to renew for one (1) year terms. The Board Authority was increased from \$120,000,000 to \$296,000,000 (authorized by Board Report 21-1215-PR8). The agreement was renewed (authorized by Board Report 23-0628-PR12) for a term commencing September 1, 2023 and ending August 31, 2024. The original agreement was awarded on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-3.

OPTION PERIOD:

The term of this agreement is being renewed for one (1) year commencing September 1, 2024 and ending August 31, 2025.

OPTION PERIODS REMAINING:

There are no option periods remaining.

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

The vendors shall continue to supply personal computing devices that use the Windows or Chrome operating system, related accessories, and setup and installation services to the Board including all schools and central and satellite offices.

DELIVERABLES:

Vendor will continue to supply end user computing devices and associated installation, configuration, extended warranty, and maintenance services for all departments and schools.

OUTCOMES:

Vendor's services will result in the continuation of supply of computing devices and associated installation, configuration, extended warranty, and maintenance services for all departments and schools. By leveraging district spend across end user computing products the district is able to achieve discounts as compared to previous contracts.

AUTHORIZATION:

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

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:

Pursuant to the Remedial Policy for Minority-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) policy participation in Goods and Services contracts with aspirational goals of 30% MBE and 7% WBE. CDW Government, LLC has committed to 30% MBE and 7% WBE with their strategic plan and subcontractor(s). Congruent with the marketplace for this category of products, services, the MBE and WBE Policy. Said adjustment to the aspirational goals are warranted and merited by the Office of Business Diversity for the addressable spend. Virtucom is a Prime MWBE owned firm.

LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL:

Various, All Units

FY25 - \$34,600,000

Not to exceed \$34,600,000 in the aggregate for all Vendors for the one (1) year term. Future year funding is contingent upon budget appropriation and approval.

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:



PATRICIA HERNANDEZ
Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:



PEDRO MARTINEZ
Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to Legal Form: 



RUCHI VERMA
General Counsel