## AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0924-PR9 AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0602-PR28 APPROVE EXERCISING THE FINAL OPTION TO RENEW AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS VENDORS FOR IMPLEMENTATION SERVICES

## THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Approve exercising the final option to renew agreements with various vendors to provide consulting services to Information & Technology Services at a cost during the option period not to exceed \$3,936,000.00. Consultants were selected on a non-competitive basis to leverage current resources and realize significant cost savings. Written renewal agreements exercising this option for Consultants' services are currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to any Consultant prior to their execution of the written renewal agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind as to each consultant in the event a written agreement is not executed by such consultants within 90 days of the date of this amended Board Report. Information pertinent to this renewal option stated is below.

This September 2008 amendment is to increase the compensation by \$285,040.00.

This December amendment is to remove a sentence in the renewal section. Services were, in fact, provided during the first three months of the renewal term.

The cost for services, for the period July 1, 2008 through September 30, 2008, is within the appropriation of the original Board Report. The Board's agreement to pay Marstech for the services for said period and all contractual obligations by Marstech to the Board (including but not limited to warranties), will relate back to July 1, 2008 as set forth in a settlement agreement authorized by a separate Board Report.

**CONSULTANTS:** See Attached List.

**USER:** Information & Technology Services

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**ORIGINAL AGREEMENT:** The original agreement in the amount of \$10,017,600.00 (authorized by Board Report 06-0426-PR17 as amended by 07-0523-PR6) is for a term commencing May 1, 2006 and ending December 31, 2007, with the Board having two (2) options to renew for one (1) year periods. The first option to renew was exercised for a six month period (authorized by Board Report 08-0123-PR5) commencing January 1, 2008, and ending June 30, 2008.

**RENEWAL TERM:** The term of this agreement is being extended for a period commencing on July 1, 2008 and ending June 30, 2009. No services will be provided by Marstech Solutions, Inc (#4) during the first three (3) months of this renewal term.

**OPTION PERIODS REMAINING:** There are no options to renew remaining.

**SCOPE OF SERVICES:** Consultants shall continue to provide the Web-based, enterprise-wide student information management solution to replace the current repository of student records and introduce new functionality including online lesson plans, standardized testing benchmarks, after-school programs, student-health information and a Parent Portal. IMPACT is comprised of the following software components:

- Student Information Management (SIM): Will replace the current Student Information (SI) system and offers features that support tasks like attendance taking and grade reporting.
- Curriculum and Instructional Management (CIM): Will offer lesson plans, resource sharing, and assessment tools to streamline curriculum and instruction across the school districts.

• Specialized Services Management (SSM): Will help manage information for students with social needs and will facilitate an electronic individualized education plan (IEP) process across school districts.

**DELIVERABLES:** Consultants will continue provide enrollment, registration, scheduling and attendance modules that will improve the collection and reporting of crucial student data.

**OUTCOMES:** Consultants' services will result in integrating better and more efficient technology and practices in all our educational processes in order to advance the three central CPS priorities of literacy, leadership and learning opportunities.

**COMPENSATION:** Consultants shall be paid on a monthly basis in accordance with the pricing set forth in each written renewal agreement; the sum of payments to all consultants for the renewal term shall not exceed \$3,936,000.00.

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

**AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:** Pursuant to Section 6.2 of the Revised Remedial Plan for Minority and Women Business Enterprise Contract Participation (M/WBE Plan), the Per Contract and Category Goals method for M/WBE participation will be utilized. Aggregated compliance of the vendors in the pool will be reported on a monthly basis. The M/WBE participation goals for this contract include: 35% total MBE and 5% total WBE. The following list of vendors that is attached to this board report has been identified and is scheduled to provide the M/WBE participation that was approved by the Board's Office of Business Diversity.

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

**FINANCIAL:** Charge to Information & Technology Services \$3,936,000.00 Budget Classification No.: 12540-230-53306-009573-000000 \$3,000,000.00 FY09 Budget Classification: 12510-499-54125-009572-000000-2008 \$936,000.00 FY09

## **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:** 

Opal L. Walls Chief Purchasing Officer

Approved:

Arne Duncan

Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:

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Approved as to Legal Form:

Patrick J. Rocks General Counsel

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