# AUTHORIZE NEW AGREEMENTS WITH SCR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION, INC AND RELIANT TRANSPORTATION, INC FOR PARA-TRANSIT AND ALTERNATE MODES OF STUDENT TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

## THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize new agreements with SCR Medical Transportation, Inc. and Reliant Transportation, Inc to provide para-transit and alternate modes of student transportation services to the Department of Transportation at an estimated annual cost set forth in the Compensation Section of this report. Vendors were selected on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-2. Written agreements for Vendors' services are currently being negotiated. No services shall be provided by and no payment shall be made to any Vendor prior to the 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 the agreements is stated below.

Specification Number:

16-350029

Contract Administrator:

Hernandez, Miss Patricia / 773-553-2280

## **VENDOR:**

1) Vendor # 25745 SCR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION, 8801-25 S. GREENWOOD AVENUE CHICAGO, IL 60619 Stanley C. Rakestraw 773 768-7000

Ownership: Pamela Rakestraw - 50% And Stanley C. Rakestraw - 50%

2) Vendor # 17394
RELIANT TRANSPORTATION INC
5910 N. CENTRAL EXPRESSWAY, STE
1145
DALLAS, TX 75206
Robert Hatchett
832 622-1730

Ownership: Mv Transportation Inc. - 100%

## **USER INFORMATION:**

Contact:

11870 - Student Transportation

42 West Madison Street

Chicago, IL 60602

Mc Guire, Mr. Kevin P.

773-553-2860

## TERM:

The term of each agreement shall commence on August 1, 2016 and shall end July 31, 2019. The agreements shall have two (2) options to renew for periods of one (1) year each.

#### **EARLY TERMINATION RIGHT:**

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

## **SCOPE OF SERVICES:**

Vendors will provide school transportation services to and from school and other related activities to eligible students during regular and summer school terms. Programs served by Para-Transit and alternate modes of student transportation services include, but are not limited to, students with disabilities, students in temporary living situations and shuttles for any other district activity.

## **DELIVERABLES:**

Transportation of CPS students to school and programs in vans and cars (non-school bus) and lift/ramp-equipped vans. Vendors will also provide vehicle aides on runs at the discretion of CPS.

# **OUTCOMES:**

Vendors' services will result in delivering safe, reliable, comfortable and cost effective transportation and assistance to CPS students.

## **COMPENSATION:**

Vendors shall be paid as stated in their respective agreement: Estimated annual costs for the three (3) year term are set forth below: \$12,000,000, FY 17 \$12,000,000, FY 18 \$12,000,000, FY 19

## **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 Executive Director of Student Transportation Services to execute all ancillary documents required to administer or effectuate the agreements.

# **AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:**

Pursuant to the Remedial Programs for Minority and Women Owned Business Enterprise (M/WBE) Participation in Goods and Services and Construction Contracts, the overall MWBE goals for the award are 40% MBE.

Total MBE - 40%

Big Star Transit LLC 5111 Sauk Trail #5111 Richton Park, IL 60471 Contact: Tanya Biggers Ownership: Tanya Biggers

SCR Medical Transportation, Inc. 8835 S. Greenwood Ave. Chicago, IL 60619 Contact: Stanley Rakestraw Ownership: Stanley Rakestraw

**Total Transit Auto Parts** 3712 N. Broadway #352 Chicago, IL 60613 Contact: Michael Hernandez

Ownership: Michael Hernandez

## LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

## FINANCIAL:

**Fund 114** Transportation, Unit 11870 \$12,000,000, FY17, FY18, and FY19 Not to exceed \$36,000,000 for the three (3) 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:

LESLIE NORGREN

Acting Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:

FORREST CLAYPOOL

Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to Legal Form

RONALD L. MARMER

General Counsel