

(ATTACHMENT 1) ACTION ON THE AWARD OF PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

This item initiated by the Administration.

ADMINISTRATION’S RECOMMENDATION

The Administration recommends that the Board approve the following professional services contracts:

OMNIA Authorization to Enter into a Contract with Language Line Services, Inc. for Language Interpretation and Video Interpreting Services

The Administration is requesting authorization to enter into a contract with Language Line Services, Inc. for over the phone foreign language interpretation services and video interpreting services in a variety of languages to students and families across the District.

In accordance with Administrative Policy 3.09(7)(e)(1)(a), the district has not directly engaged in a competitive procurement process for this purchase. Instead, this Contractor was chosen pursuant to the cooperative purchasing agreement with the OMNIA Partners Contract Number R210605.

The benefits afforded under this cooperative agreement allows the District to receive discounted pricing for services from this state Contractor. This Contractor offers over the phone interpretation (OPI) services in over 200 languages and video remote interpreting (VRI) services in 85 languages. In addition, the District uses these services constantly in special education settings, where VRI services offer American Sign Language (ASL) interpreters who comply with our state requirements. MPS is a multicultural, multilingual school district and actively uses this system to communicate in 77 languages.

This initial contract shall run from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025 and shall not exceed \$155,000.

Budget Codes:

OGA-0-0-SSF-IC-ECTS.....(Language Services).....\$155,000.00

Language Line Services, Inc

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required.....N/A
ProposedN/A
\$ ValueN/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 0
Student Career Awareness Commitment: 0

RFP 1078 Authorization to Extend a Contract with Milwaukee Kickers Soccer Club, Inc. DBA America Scores Milwaukee to Provide Physical Education Services at Elementary/K-8 Schools with No Physical Education Teachers During the 2024-2025 School Year

The Administration is requesting authorization to issue extend a contract to Milwaukee Kickers Soccer Club, Inc. DBA America Scores Milwaukee for \$200,000 to provide physical education services to multiple MPS elementary/k-8 buildings during the 2024-2025 school year.

Currently MPS is facing a teacher shortage. The district currently has 7 vacancies in physical education that we have not been able to fill. Most of these are in K-8/elementary settings. MPS issued Request for Proposal 1078 **Physical Education Services**. This vendor will provide physical activity lessons for students to support classroom teachers as they teach physical education. The vendor will work with schools to create schedules and they will follow district adopted standards and align with district adopted resources. The request for K-8th grade physical education services will be overseen by the curriculum specialist for health and physical education.

The vendor will work with individual schools to create schedules based on the school’s physical education schedule and vendor capacity/availability. Classroom teachers will be responsible for grading and being in the classes while the vendor is teaching. The teachers and vendor will work collaboratively to ensure that all students are receiving these physical education services.

The vendor was selected from RFP 1078 which closed on June 1, 2022. The original contract provided for two additional one-year extensions upon the mutual written consent of parties; with a term of September 1, 2022 through August 31, 2023. The contract was subsequently extended for the first additional one-year term, from September 1, 2023 through August 31, 2024. The contract will be extended for the second additional one-year term, from September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025, under the same terms and conditions as set forth in the original Contract except for those specifically modified in this second extension.

The contract will be for a term of September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2025 and will not exceed \$200,000.

Budget Code:

000-0-0-000-BL-ECTS.....(Blanket)..... \$200,000.00

Milwaukee Kickers Soccer Club, Inc. DBA America Scores

Milwaukee HUB PARTICIPATION

Required0%

Proposed0%

\$ ValueN/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 300 HOURS

Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

Authorization to Extend contracts with Catapult Learning West LLC, The Owners Group dba Learning Exchange, and Mainstream Development Educational Group for Title IA Services for Non-Public School Students, Title IIA Professional Development Services for Non-Public School Personnel, Title IIIA Services for Non-Public School Students who are English Learners, and Title IVA Student Support/Academic Achievement Services to Non-Public Schools Personnel

The Administration is requesting authorization to extend contracts with Catapult Learning West LLC, The Owners Group dba Learning Exchange, and Mainstream Development Educational Group for Title IA, Title IIA, Title IIIA, and Title IVA services.

MPS is required by federal legislation to provide equitable Title IA services to eligible Milwaukee-resident students in non-public schools, Title IIA professional development services for non-public school personnel, Title IIIA services to eligible non-public school students who are English learners and Title IVA student support services to students in non-public schools and professional development services for non-public school personnel.

These vendors were chosen pursuant to RFP 1098. The contracts ran from July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024 and may be extended for two additional one-year terms. The contracts will now be extended for the first one-year option to extend.

These contracts will run from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025.

The contract amounts are based on estimated budget amounts, using a formula determined by federal law and the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction's guidance. The contracted amount for non-public school services is not to exceed \$27,187,522.47 and is available through the following budget codes for the following third-party providers:

Catapult Learning West LLC		
Budget Code:		
GOE-0-I-1NS-1S-ECES	INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES – Title IA	\$4,426,017.17
PRT-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SERVICES – Title IA	\$49,627.24
MSS-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT – Title IA	\$248,136.19
MSS-0-S-235-1S-ECTS	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIA	\$411,768.23
GOE-0-I-T35-1S-ECES	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIIA	\$296,828.62
SFH-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	SAFE & HEALTHY SERVICES – Title IVA	\$183,325.34
WRE-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	WELL-ROUNDED SERVICES – Title IVA	\$183,325.34
EUT-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	EFFECTIVE USE OF TECH – Title IVA	\$40,738.96
TOTAL:		\$5,839,767.03
The Owners Group dba Learning Exchange		
Budget Code:		
GOE-0-I-1NS-1S-ECES	INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES – Title IA	\$14,496,822.87
PRT-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SERVICES – Title IA	\$162,547.33
MSS-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT – Title IA	\$812,736.67
MSS-0-S-235-1S-ECTS	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIA	\$1,167,842.83
GOE-0-I-T35-1S-ECES	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIIA	\$438,287.86
SFH-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	SAFE & HEALTHY SERVICES – Title IVA	\$519,940.98
WRE-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	WELL-ROUNDED SERVICES – Title IVA	\$519,940.98
EUT-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	EFFECTIVE USE OF TECH – Title IVA	\$115,542.44
TOTAL:		\$18,233,661.96

Mainstream Development Educational Group		
Budget Code:		
GOE-0-I-1N5-1S-ECES	INSTRUCTIONAL SERVICES – Title IA	\$2,539,562.81
PRT-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	FAMILY ENGAGEMENT SERVICES – Title IA	\$28,475.15
MSS-0-S-1N5-1S-ECTS	PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT – Title IA	\$142,375.74
MSS-0-S-235-1S-ECTS	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIA	\$179,216.21
GOE-0-I-T35-1S-ECES	CONTRACT SERVICES – Title IIIA	\$47,153.08
SFH-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	SAFE & HEALTHY SERVICES – Title IVA	\$79,789.72
WRE-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	WELL-ROUNDED SERVICES – Title IVA	\$79,789.72
EUT-0-S-4B5-1S-ECTS	EFFECTIVE USE OF TECH – Title IVA	\$17,731.05
TOTAL:		\$3,114,093.48

HUB PARTICIPATION FOR EACH CONTRACT

Required20%

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 600 HOURS

Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

RFP 1111 Authorization to Extend a Contract with Lingua Pros, LLC for Translation Services

The Administration is requesting authorization to extend a contract with Lingua Pros, LLC for translation services. This contractor provides written translation services in a variety of languages to schools and departments across the District.

MPS is a multicultural, multilingual school district. The translation services provided by Lingua Pros, LLC support the District’s needs to make sure families of all languages are able to receive information about the District, their schools and their children in the language in which they are most comfortable reading.

This vendor was chosen pursuant to RFP 1111, which closed on April 21, 2023. The Original contract had a term of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024 and compensation to not exceed \$300,000.00. This contract extension shall be in effect from July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025 and shall not exceed \$300,00.00.

Budget Code:

000-0-0-000-BL-ECTS..(Translation and Interpretation– Contract Services).. \$300,000.00

Lingua Pros, LLC

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor? YES
 Total # of Employees6
 Total # of Minorities3
 Total # of Women4

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required20%
 Proposed20%
 \$ ValueN/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 400 HOURS
 Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

RFP 1111

Authorization to Extend Two Contracts with Lakeside Ventures, Inc. dba International Languages for Translation and Interpretation Services

The Administration is requesting authorization to extend two contracts with Lakeside Ventures, Inc. d/b/a International Languages (“Lakeside”) for translation and interpretation services. This contractor provides written translation services in a variety of languages to schools and departments across the District; and oral interpretation for district and school events.

MPS is a multicultural, multilingual school district. The services provided by Lakeside provide the support the District needs to make sure families of all languages are able to receive information about the District, their schools and their children in the language in which they are most comfortable reading and speaking. The interpretation services provided ensure important District events are as inclusive as possible.

This vendor was chosen pursuant to RFP 1111, which closed on April 21, 2023. The original contracts had a term of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. These contract extensions shall be in effect from July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025. The total cost of the translation services contract in this extension shall not exceed \$300,00.00. The total cost of the interpretation services contract in this extension will not exceed \$200,000.00.

Budget Code:

000-0-0-000-BL-ECTS...(Translation and Interpretation– Contract Services)...\$500,000.00

Lakeside Ventures, Inc. dba International Languages

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor?	Yes
Total # of Employees	59
Total # of Minorities	56
Total # of Women	39

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required	20%
Proposed	20%
\$ Value	N/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 400 HOURS
Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

RFP 1124

Authorization to Contract with Delta-T Group Illinois Inc, Ro Health LLC, N2S Healthcare Staffing Solutions LLC, and Staffing Etc for Nursing Services

The Administration is requesting authorization to enter into four contracts with Delta-T Group Illinois Inc, Ro Health LLC, Staffing Etc, and N2S Healthcare Staffing Solutions LLC, for Nursing Services. These contractors will be used to provide nursing services to students when staff vacancies exist or for short- and long-term employee leaves.

MPS may periodically seek to directly hire contracted staff on a regular, full-time basis.

Each contract will run from August 1, 2024 through July 31, 2025, (the “Initial Term”), with two additional one-year options to extend if certain performance metrics incorporated into each contract are met.

The total cost of each blanket contract was determined based on cost and scoring analysis of

each contractor's response to RFP 1124.

Budget Code:

NRR-0-0-BDN-DW-ECTS...(Specialized Services – Contracted Services).....\$1,050,000.00

Contractor	Amount
Delta-T Group Illinois Inc	\$400,000.00
Ro Health LLC	\$200,000.00
N2S Healthcare Staffing Solutions LLC	\$300,000.00
Staffing Etc	\$150,000.00

Delta-T Group Illinois Inc

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor?.....No
 Total # of Employees.....NG
 Total # of Minorities.....NG
 Total # of Women.....NG

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required 0%
 Proposed..... N/A
 \$ Value N/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (HOURS per 12-month period)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment:

The paid student employment requirement of this Contract is on a sliding scale based on compensation per 12-month term:

Expenditure Range	Student Employment
\$0 - \$49,999	0
\$50,000 - \$74,999	100
\$75,000 - \$199,999	200
\$200,000 - \$399,999	300
\$400,000 - \$599,999	400
\$600,000 - \$799,999	600
\$800,000 - \$999,999	800
\$1,000,000 <	900.

Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

Ro Health LLC

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor?.....No
 Total # of Employees.....2,259
 Total # of Minorities.....1,512
 Total # of Women.....1,939

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required 0%
 Proposed.....N/A
 \$ Value N/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (HOURS per 12-month period)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment:

The paid student employment requirement of this Contract is on a sliding scale based on compensation per 12-month term:

Expenditure Range	Student Employment
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\$0 - \$49,999	0
\$50,000 - \$74,999	100
\$75,000 - \$199,999	200
\$200,000 - \$399,999	300
\$400,000 - \$599,999	400
\$600,000 - \$799,999	600
\$800,000 - \$999,999	800
\$1,000,000 <	900.

Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

N2S Healthcare Staffing Solutions LLC

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor?.....	No
Total # of Employees.....	500+
Total # of Minorities.....	80
Total # of Women.....	163

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required	0%
Proposed.....	N/A
\$ Value	N/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment:
The paid student employment requirement of this Contract is on a sliding scale based on compensation per 12-month term:

Expenditure Range	Student Employment
\$0 - \$49,999	0
\$50,000 - \$74,999	100
\$75,000 - \$199,999	200
\$200,000 - \$399,999	300
\$400,000 - \$599,999	400
\$600,000 - \$799,999	600
\$800,000 - \$999,999	800
\$1,000,000 <	900.

Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

Staffing Etc

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Vendor?.....	YES
Total # of Employees.....	15
Total # of Minorities.....	15
Total # of Women.....	10

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required	0%
Proposed.....	N/A%
\$ Value	N/A

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (HOURS per 12-month period)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment:
The paid student employment requirement of this Contract is on a sliding scale based on compensation per 12-month term:

Expenditure Range	Student Employment
\$0 - \$49,999	0

\$50,000 - \$74,999 100
 \$75,000 - \$199,999 200
 \$200,000 - \$399,999 300
 \$400,000 - \$599,999 400
 \$600,000 - \$799,999 600
 \$800,000 - \$999,999 800
 \$1,000,000 < 900.
 Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

RFP 1126 Authorization to Enter into Contracts with MJ Care Inc, The Stepping Stones Group LLC, and Invo Healthcare Associates for Speech Language Pathology Services

The Administration is requesting authorization to enter into contracts with MJ Care Inc, The Stepping Stones Group LLC, and Invo Healthcare Associates for Speech Language Pathology Services. These contractors will be used to provide speech-language services as required by Individual Education Plans when staff vacancies exist or for short- and long-term employee leaves.

Contractors were chosen pursuant to RFP 1126, which closed on April 4, 2024. The contracts will run from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025, with the possibility of two, one-year extensions subject to satisfaction of performance metrics.

The contracts MJ Care Inc, The Stepping Stones Group LLC, and Invo Healthcare Associates will not exceed \$799,999 in the initial term, allocated as follows:

MJ Care Inc	\$366,666.00
The Stepping Stones Group LLC,	\$333,333.00
Invo Healthcare Associates	\$100,000.00

Budget Code:
 SPL-0-I-EEN-DW-ECTS(Speech Pathology – Contract Services).....\$799,999.00

MJ Care Inc
PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION
 Certified HUB Contractor?YES
 Total # of Employees360
 Total # of Minorities20
 Total # of Women315
HUB PARTICIPATION
 Required10%
 Proposed10%
 \$ Value10%
STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)
 Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: SCALE HOURS
 Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

The Stepping Stones Group LLC,
PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION
 Certified HUB Contractor?No
 Total # of Employees8,485
 Total # of Minorities5,636
 Total # of Women6,527
HUB PARTICIPATION

Required10%
 Proposed10%
 \$ ValueTBD

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)
 Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: SCALE HOURS
 Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10

Invo Healthcare Associates

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Contractor?No
 Total # of Employees1,500+
 Total # of MinoritiesApprox 50%
 Total # of WomenApprox 70%

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required10%
 Proposed10%
 \$ ValueTBD

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)
 Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: SCALE HOURS
 Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS

RFP 1133 Authorization to Contract with Playworks Education Energized for Recess Support Services and Professional Development

The Administration is requesting authorization to enter into a blanket contract with Playworks Education Energized (Playworks) for recess support and professional development services. This vendor will be used for the operation and coordination of recess support services targeting K-8th grade for schools in the district that make the decision to order the services.

The recess support services will consist of three components:

Component A: Full-time program staff providing recess support on-site at a single school location.

Component B: Full-time program staff providing recess support and training that is split equally between four school sites in each month.

Component C: Provide professional development on an hourly basis to schools.

Playworks will report to MPS department of Curriculum and Instruction program outputs and deliverables twice during each contract year by March 15th and June 30th.

The vendor was chosen pursuant to RFP 1133, which closed on April 22, 2024. The contract will run from August 1, 2024 through July 31, 2025, (the "Initial Term"), with two additional one-year options to extend if certain performance requirements incorporated into the contract are met.

The total cost of the contract in the Initial Term will not exceed \$600,000.00.

Budget Code:

000-0-0-000-BL-ECTS..... (Varies by location) \$600,000.00

Playworks Education Energized

PRIME CONTRACTOR INFORMATION

Certified HUB Contractor? No
Total # of Employees390
Total # of Minorities233
Total # of Women272

HUB PARTICIPATION

Required 2%
Proposed2%
\$ Value\$8,442

STUDENT ENGAGEMENT (hours per 12-month contract)

Paid Student Employment Hour Commitment: 300 HOURS
Student Career Awareness Commitment: 10 HOURS