

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Recommendation of \$500,000 or Less 59-059V – Professional Learning Services Agreement with Buck Institute of Education

This request is to approve the Agreement between the Buck Institute for Education Corporation (BIE) and The School Board of Broward County, Florida (SBBC), from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019. This agreement will provide professional learning services for the 2018/2019 school year.

Program Description

The Broward County Public School's strategic plan calls for re-imagining the middle grades experience to include project and problem-based learning (PBL). The BIE has been identified, by a committee of BCPS stakeholders, as one of the experts in designing and training with a PBL philosophy. This agreement will bring high-quality PBL professional learning to BCPS. The professional learning will include workshops for teachers as well as school-based and district-based leadership.

Procurement Method

Pursuant to the Department of Education, Rule 6A-1.012, 11(b), Florida Administrative Code as authorized by Section 1010.04(4)(a), Florida Statutes, and School Board Policy 3320, Section II, G, the requirement for requesting competitive solicitation for commodities or contractual services from three or more sources is hereby waived as for the SBBC's purchase of educational services.

Financial Impact

The estimated financial impact to the District will be \$253,150. The funds will come from the Community Foundation of Broward Grant, Chiefs for Change Grant and Career, Technical & Adult Education general operating budget.

See breakdown of pricing below:

School and District Leadership Services	\$72,100
Teacher Development	\$242,000
Total	\$314,100
Less Discount	(\$60,950)
Discounted Total Price	\$253,150