



AGENDA REQUEST FORM

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEETING DATE	2019-07-23 10:05 - Regular School Board Meeting
AGENDA ITEM	ITEMS
CATEGORY	EE. OFFICE OF STRATEGY & OPERATIONS
DEPARTMENT	Procurement & Warehousing Services

Special Order Request	
<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
Time	
Open Agenda	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No

ITEM No.:
EE-12.

TITLE:
Recommendation to Approve First Amendment and Renewal- 57-129E - Software for Reading, Comprehension and Fluency Development

REQUESTED ACTION:
Approve the First Amendment and Renewal of the above agreement. Contract Term: August 9, 2017 through July 31, 2020, 3 Years; User Department: Innovative Learning; Additional Requested Amount: \$368,600; New Award Amount: \$1,105,800; Awarded Vendor(s): Newsela, Inc.; Small/Minority/Women Business Enterprise Vendor(s): None.

SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:
Newsela Pro, is a cloud-based platform that supports and enhances each students' reading ability by providing individualized non-fiction content catered to their reading level. This software was designed from the ground up to strengthen reading skills and habits through routine use. Newsela Pro uses engaging daily news and other non-fiction content to help students become better readers. This Agreement has been reviewed and approved as to form and legal content by the Office of the General Counsel.

SCHOOL BOARD GOALS:
<input type="radio"/> Goal 1: High Quality Instruction <input checked="" type="radio"/> Goal 2: Continuous Improvement <input type="radio"/> Goal 3: Effective Communication

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
The estimated financial impact to the District will be \$368,600. The contract award amount was for \$737,200. The request is to increase the spending authority by \$368,600 bringing the new contract value to \$1,105,800. The funding source will come from the State for the Digital Classroom Plan. The financial impact amount represents an estimated contract value; however, the amount authorized will not exceed the estimated contract award amount.

EXHIBITS: (List)
(1) Executive Summary (2) Agreement (3) Approved ARF 8-8-2017 SBOM EE-5 (4) Financial Analysis Worksheet (5) Survey

BOARD ACTION:
(For Official School Board Records Office Only)

SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:	
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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
Senior Leader & Title

Maurice L. Woods - Chief Strategy & Operations Officer

Signature

Approved In Open Board Meeting On: _____

By: _____
 School Board Chair