

## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

### **Recommendation to Approve Agreement FY21-139 – Dual Enrollment Articulation Florida Atlantic University (FAU)**

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#### **Introduction**

**Responsible: Procurement & Warehousing Services (PWS)**

This request is to approve the Dual Enrollment Agreement between Florida Atlantic University Board of Trustees (FAU) and The School Board of Broward County, Florida (SBBC), for two (2) years starting August 4, 2020 through July 31, 2022. Dual enrollment is an acceleration program that allows students in grades 6-12 to take postsecondary coursework and simultaneously earn credit toward a High School Diploma, a Career Certificate, an Industry Certification, or an Associate or Baccalaureate Degree at a Florida public or eligible private postsecondary institution.

The spending authority being requested is \$60,000.

#### **Goods/Services Description:**

**Responsible: Secondary Learning**

The Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement between Florida Atlantic University Board of Trustees and SBBC will provide the opportunity to shorten the time necessary for eligible college-ready students to complete the requirements needed to obtain a degree or certificate. As encouraged by Florida Statute (F.S. 1007.235), Florida Atlantic University Board of Trustees and SBBC can enter into a Dual Enrollment Articulation Agreement to offer dual enrollment courses to all eligible secondary school students. This Agreement will provide an opportunity for students to complete university-level courses necessary to complete a four (4) year degree, while also completing a High School Diploma.

#### **Procurement Method**

**Responsible: PWS**

Pursuant to Purchasing Policy 3320, Section II, H, and the Department of Education, Rule 6A-1.102, 11(b), Florida Administrative Code as authorized by Section 1010.04(4)(a), Florida Statute, the requirement for requesting competitive solicitation for commodities or contractual services from three (3) or more sources is hereby waived as for the SBBC's purchase of copyrighted materials purchased directly from a recognized educational institution, FAU.

#### **Financial Impact**

**Responsible: PWS and Secondary Learning**

The spending authority being requested is \$60,000, as detailed below. Funding for tuition will be taken from the Secondary Learning Department's Dual Enrollment budget, and funding for instructional materials will be taken from the Innovative Learning Department's Instructional Materials budget.

Tuition (per year)	\$20,000
Instructional Materials (per year)	\$10,000
Cost Per Year	\$30,000

**Total Cost for Two (2) Years                      \$60,000**

The previous agreement FY20-092 started on August 1, 2019 through July 31, 2020 with an approved spending authority of \$30,000. The financial impact amount represents an estimated contract value; however, the amount authorized will not exceed the estimated contract award amount.