

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Recommendation to Approve Second Amendment to Agreement 58-060V – Teacher Education Pathway Program Broward College

Introduction

Responsible: Procurement & Warehousing (PWS)

This request is to approve the Second Amendment to Agreement between The District Board of Trustees of Broward College, Florida (BC), and The School Board of Broward County, Florida (SBBC), that expires August 31, 2021. The Agreement facilitates the Teacher Education Pathway Program and was approved on June 13, 2017, SBOM as item II-4 with an approved spending authority of \$194,668. The First Amendment to Agreement was approved on September 5, 2018, SBOM as item EE-14 with an approved spending authority of \$44,244, bringing the total spend to \$238,912.

The purpose of this Second Amendment is to extend the agreement to December 31, 2021. There is no additional financial impact to the District.

Goods/Services Description:

Responsible: Coaching & Induction

SBBC, The Coaching & Induction Department, and BC have created a partnership to support the Teacher Education Pathway Program. The Paraprofessional to Teacher Non-instructional Program invests in current SBBC employees. The purpose of the program is to build a talent pipeline of para-professional/non-instructional staff to become full-time certified teachers. The program directly supports a Non-Instructional staff, serving at one (1) of SBBC thirty-two (32) high-need schools, earn their Bachelor's degree in Teacher Education while maintaining their current employment at SBBC.

Procurement Method

Responsible: PWS

The agreement was negotiated with the vendor based on Purchasing Policy 3320. Pursuant to Purchasing Policy 3320, Section II, N, and pursuant to the Department of Education, Rule 6A-1.012, 11 (b), Florida Administrative Code as authorized by Section 010.04(4) (a), Florida Statutes, a contract for commodities or contractual services may be awarded, without competitive solicitations, if state or federal law, a grant or a state or federal agency contract prescribes with whom SBBC must contract, or if the rate of payment is established during the appropriations process. The reason for negotiating with the vendor is due to the cost savings in the amount per credit hour of \$130.89. Broward College was not only able to provide the most cost-effective amount per credit hour, but also provided the full-time non-instructional staff the opportunity to work with the school principal to fulfill their student teaching and internship requirements at their school site. Although other universities within the area have similar programs, none were able to provide an opportunity for cost savings like BC.

Financial Impact

Responsible: PWS and Coaching & Induction

There is no additional financial impact to the District as Coaching & Induction expects the unused spending authority of \$195,297 will cover expenses through to the expiration of the agreement as detailed below:

Estimated Tuition	\$141,400
Estimated Books	\$ 44,097
Estimated Exam Vouchers	\$ 9,800
Total	\$195,297

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Financial Impact Table:

Action	Date	Term (months)	Amount
Original spending authority request	6/13/2017	50	\$ 194,668
1 st Amendment + additional spending authority	9/5/2018		\$ 44,244
2 nd Amendment	1/14/2020	4	
New total contract amount		54	\$ 238,912