

**RATIFY AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS AGENCIES FOR  
SERVICES TO PREGNANT AND PARENTING TEENS**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Ratify agreements with various agencies listed below to provide services to pregnant and parenting teens for the Office of Early Childhood Education at a cost not to exceed \$1,500,000. Agencies were selected pursuant to proposals solicited from community agencies and evaluated based on past services and the ability to meet program guidelines and state requirements. A written agreement for each Agency's services is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to any Agency prior to the execution of such Agency's written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind as to each Agency in the event a written document for such Agency is not executed within 120 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to these agreements is stated below.

**AGENCIES:**

**1. Catholic Charities**

Vendor No.: 40249

Contract Not to Exceed: \$402,900

Contact Person: Alice Wyatt

Address: 641 W. Lake Street

City, State, Zip: Chicago, IL 60661

Phone No.: (773) 489-9332; (312) 948-3610

**2. Chicago Child Care Society**

Vendor No.: 31512

Contract Not to Exceed: \$278,250

Contact Person: Kenneth Joe, Debra Johnson

Address: 5467 S. University Ave.

City, State, Zip: Chicago, IL 60615

Phone No.: (773) 256-2469

**3. Metropolitan Family Services**

Vendor No.: 46701

Contract Not to Exceed: \$420,000

Contact Person: Colleen M. Jones

Address: 14 E. Jackson Blvd.

City, State, Zip: Chicago, IL 60604

Phone No.: (312) 986-4135

**4. Options for Youth**

Vendor No.: pending

Contract Not to Exceed: \$177,750

Contact Person: Pat W. Mosena

Address: 5646 S. Kimbark

City, State, Zip: Chicago, IL 60637

Phone No.: (773) 288-1682

**5. SGA Youth & Family Services**

Vendor No.: pending

Contract Not to Exceed: \$221,100

Contact Person: Jo Thompson, Martha Guerrero

Address: 11 E. Adams

City, State, Zip: Chicago, IL 60603

Phone No.: (312) 447-4325; (312) 447-4323

**USER:**

Office of Early Childhood Education

125 S. Clark, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Chicago, IL 60603

Contact Person: Barbara T. Bowman (773) 553-1992

**TERM:** The term of each agreement will commence on July 1, 2004 and shall end June 30, 2005.

**SCOPE OF SERVICES:** The agencies will provide a teen parenting program for a 12 month period for pregnant and parenting teens. Agencies will conduct intake assessment to determine the level of services required. Teens will receive individual counseling, group meetings, case management, and referrals, when necessary, linked to outside agencies on an individual basis and home visit outreach.

**DELIVERABLES:** Agencies will submit monthly reports regarding attendance, enrollment and parental involvement to the Manager of Community Based Programs. Fiscal reports will be submitted after six months and again at the end of the program year.

**OUTCOMES:** Agency's services will result in a greater percentage of pregnant and parenting teens completing high school, increased number of teens connected to community resources, reduction of child abuse and neglect, lower percentage of teen subsequent births during high school and improvement of individual counseling measured by standardized scales (CGAS, GAF).

**COMPENSATION:** The agencies shall be paid in two installments. The first installment shall be paid upon signing of the contract and the second installment will be due after the first six months of the contract and upon review of expenditure reports, in the amounts stated above, with the aggregate, not to exceed \$1,500,000.

**AUTHORIZATION:** Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written agreements. Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the agreements.

**LSC REVIEW:** The Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

**AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:** The participation goal provisions of the Plan do not apply to transactions where the vendor is a not-for-profit organization opportunity for direct or indirect participation of M/WBE's.

**FINANCIAL:** Charge to: Office of Early Childhood Education:

Budget Classification: 0952-210-364-7466-5410  
FY 2005 \$1,500,000  
Source of Funds: 210-General Education Funds

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

Inspector General - Each party to this agreement hereby acknowledges that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago School Board of Education have the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Conflicts - This contract is not legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105/ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to, former Board Members during the one year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness - The Board of Education Indebtedness Policy (95-0726-EX3) adopted July 26, 1995, as amended on June 26, 1996, (96-0626-PO3,) is hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Contract as if fully set forth herein.

Ethics - The Board of Education Ethics Code (95-0927-RU4) as adopted September 27, 1995, as amended on April 21, 1999 (99-0421-PO2), is hereby incorporated into and made a part of this Contract as if fully set forth herein.

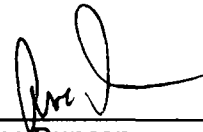
Contingent Liability – The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is deemed a contingent liability subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal budget(s).

**Approved for consideration:**

**Approved:**



**Barbara Eason-Watkins**  
Chief Education Officer



**Arne Duncan**  
Chief Executive Officer

**Within Appropriation:**

**Approved as to legal form:** 

  
**John Maiorca**  
Chief Financial Officer  
**Ruth Moscovitch**  
General Counsel