

AUTHORIZE THE PRE-QUALIFICATION STATUS OF AND NEW AGREEMENTS WITH VARIOUS VENDORS TO PROVIDE APPAREL, UNIFORMS, AND GRADUATION ATTIRE

THE SUPERINTENDENT/CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize the pre-qualification status of and new agreements with various pre-qualified vendors herein to provide Apparel, Uniforms, and Graduation Attire at an estimated annual aggregate cost set forth in the Financial Section of this report. Vendors were selected on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-3. Written master agreements for vendors are currently being prepared for execution. No services shall be provided by and no payment shall be made to any vendor prior to the execution of their written master agreement.

The pre-qualification status approved herein for each vendor shall automatically rescind in the event such vendor fails to execute the Board's master agreement within 120 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this master agreement is stated below.

Specification Number : 25-1072
Contract Administrator : Sadowski, Brandon / 773-553-2280

USER INFORMATION :

Project 12210 - Procurement and Contracts Office
Manager: 42 West Madison Street
Chicago, IL 60602
Hernandez, Patricia
773-553-2280

TERM:

The term of this pre-qualification period and each master agreement is three (3) years, effective October 1, 2026 and ending September 30, 2029. Each pre-qualification status and agreement shall automatically renew for two (2) successive periods of two (2) years each. Each Renewal Term shall be the Board's option for each vendor in the pool. The Board may elect, with or without cause, to not exercise any Renewal Term by notifying the respective Vendor in writing prior to the expiration of the active term. This notice of non-renewal will be effective upon the conclusion of the active term. Both the Term and any Renewal Term are subject to earlier termination as otherwise provided for by this Agreement.

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

"Apparel" refers to a broad range of wearable items including, but not limited to, the following categories:

Headwear and Accessories: Caps, hats, gloves, scarves, earmuffs, and similar items

Upper-Body Garments/Topwear: T-shirts, tank tops, jerseys, hoodies, sweatshirts, sweaters, turtlenecks, polos, button-down shirts, etc.

Lower-Body Garments: Pants, shorts, compression shorts, leggings, and related items

Outerwear: Blazers, coats, jackets, vests, windbreakers, ponchos, etc.

One-Piece Garments: Dresses, jumpsuits, singlets, onesies, unitards, and similar apparel

Protective Apparel and Workwear: Aprons, high-visibility vests, coveralls, etc.

Footwear: Cleats, boots, sandals, shoes, slippers, socks, and related items

USE OF POOL:

Apparel bid requests will be sent to the pre-qualified vendors according to their Request for Qualifications (RFQ) category, and the work will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. Vendors were pre-qualified under the following categories: 1. Spirit Wear, 2. Physical Education/Gym Uniforms, 3. Sports Uniforms, 4. Band Uniforms, 5. Cheer Uniforms, 6. Dance Uniforms, 7. Theater/Musical Costumes, 8. Choir Robes/Uniforms, 9. School Uniforms, 10. Staff/Employee Uniforms, 11. Graduation Gowns and Accessories, 12. Other

AUTHORIZATION:

Authorize the General Counsel to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written master agreement. Authorize the President and Secretary to execute the master agreements. Authorize the Chief Procurement Officer to execute all ancillary documents required to administer or effectuate the master agreement.

BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PARTICIPATION:

Pursuant to the Remedial Policy for Minority-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE) and Women-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) policy participation in Goods and Services contracts, aspirational goals for this pool are 30% MBE and 7% WBE. This vendor pool is composed of forty-four (44) vendors with fifteen (15) MBEs and two (2) WBEs. The User group has committed to achieve the aspirational goals through a strategic plan to utilize certified suppliers and certified subcontractors.

LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL:

Various Funds, Various Units

FY27 - \$7,500,000
FY28 - \$10,000,000
FY29 - \$10,000,000
FY30 - \$2,500,000

Not to exceed \$30,000,000 for the three (3) year term. Future year funding is contingent upon budget appropriation and approval.

First Renewal Term
FY30 - \$7,500,000
FY31 - \$10,000,000
FY32 - \$2,500,000

Not to exceed \$20,000,000 for the two (2) year First Renewal term.

Second Renewal Term
FY33 - \$7,500,000
FY34 - \$10,000,000
FY35 - \$2,500,000

Not to exceed \$20,000,000 for the two (2) year Second Renewal term.

Approved Category Code for this Board Report:
200.00000: Apparel & Uniforms

Category Codes may be modified by the Chief Procurement Officer as needed to support the Scope of Services

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

The agreement shall contain general conditions including but not limited to the following: Inspector General provision, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1; Conflicts provision, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3; Indebtedness provision, in accordance with the Board's Indebtedness Policy Section 404.2; Ethics provision, in accordance with the Board's Ethics Code as amended, and a Contingent Liability provision.

Approved for Consideration:



PATRICIA HERNANDEZ
Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:



MACQUELINE KING, Ed.D
Superintendent/Chief Executive Officer

Approved: 



ELIZABETH K. BARTON
General Counsel

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| <p>1) Vendor # 17837
ACR III LSC HOLDINGS LLC DBA HERFF JONES, LLC
4265 WEST 62ND ST
Indianapolis, IN 46268
TOM MCNAMARA
800 837-4235
Ownership: ACR III Global LSC Holdings LLC 100%</p> | <p>7) Vendor # 40582
ANNIECE FAULKNER-BROWDER DBA VAB ENTERPRISE
9121 Arbour Walk Dr.
Frankfort, IL 60423
Anniece Faulkner-Browder
773 2596814
Ownership: Anniece Faulkner-Browder 100%</p> |
| <p>2) Vendor # 24993
4IMPRINT, INC.
101 COMMERCE STREET
OSHKOSH, WI 54901
Shay Freund
800 982-8979
Ownership: 4imprint Group plc 100%</p> | <p>8) Vendor # 47447
ASB SPORTS ACQUISITION INC DBA GAME ONE
PO BOX 734933
Dallas, TX 75373
JASON BERKES
712 973-0739
Ownership: Trivest Fund V. L.P 70%</p> |
| <p>3) Vendor # 67308
ACTIVE OFFICE SOLUTION LLC
3839 WEST DEVON AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60659
CHARLIE JUNG
773 539-3333
Ownership: Charlie Jung 95%, Jun Jung 5%</p> | <p>9) Vendor # 96282
VARSITY BRANDS INC. DBA BSN SPORTS, LLC
14460 VARSITY BRANDS WAY
FARMERS BRANCH, TX 75244
CHRIS BLOOMFIELD
800 527-7510
Ownership: Varsity Brands Inc 100%</p> |
| <p>4) Vendor # 63317
ADDED INCENTIVES INC.
618 Academy Dr
Northbrook, IL 60062
Wesley Danson
847 897-5000
Ownership: Wesley Danson 100%</p> | <p>10) Vendor # 40344
BLACK DIAMOND CONSULTING, INC.
3921 W. Dickens Ave
Chicago, IL 60647
Christine Kupfer
312 2731833
Ownership: Christine Kupfer 51%, Michael Kupfer 49%</p> |
| <p>5) Vendor # 95319
AMERICAN ENLIGHTENMENT LLC DBA LUCKYPRINTS
2643 W. Chicago Ave
CHICAGO, IL 60622
CURTIS HUPE
773 687-8996
Ownership: Wesley Danson 100%</p> | <p>11) Vendor # 28869
CR PROMOTIONS, INC.
1212 S. NAPER BLVD., STE 119-140
NAPERVILLE, IL 60540
Christopher Riehs
630 470-9059
Ownership: Christopher Riehs 100%</p> |
| <p>6) Vendor # 47991
Anisha And Sons
11150 Glenbrook Lane
La Grange, IL 60525
Anisha Joshi
773 8955983
Ownership: Anisha Joshi 100%</p> | |

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| <p>12) Vendor # 41312
DAI CREATIVE INC
1655 South Blue Island Avenue
Chicago, IL 60608
LINDA PAPILLON
773 4332362
Ownership: Pierre M. Papillon 51%, Linda D. Papillon 49%</p> | <p>18) Vendor # 39605
FIDELITY PRINT COMMUNICATIONS, LLC
125 Wall Street
Glendale Heights, IL 60139
BERNARD WILLIAMS
708 343-6833
Ownership: Bernard Williams 50%, Norman Williams 50%</p> |
| <p>13) Vendor # 43365
DeShawn Murry dba ChiBoys LLC
1110 W. 15th St.
Chicago, IL 60608
DeShawn Murry
312 823-8073
Ownership: DeShawn Murry 100%</p> | <p>19) Vendor # 42652
FOREVER GRACE LLC
407 Indiana St.
Park Forest, IL 60466
Takina De Lacy
773 7446746
Ownership: Takina De Lacy 100%</p> |
| <p>14) Vendor # 28174
DICK POND ATHLETICS, INC.
26 W. 515 ST CHARLES ROAD
CAROL STREAM, IL 60188
MOLLY MOLOKIE
630 665-3316
Ownership: SHEILA POND 100%</p> | <p>20) Vendor # 37761
GARVEY'S OFFICE PRODUCTS INC
7500 NORTH CALDWELL AVE.
NILES, IL 60714-3808
Sean Caster
847 588-1690
Ownership: Atlas Holdings, LLC 100</p> |
| <p>15) Vendor # 17061
DLV PRINTING SERVICE, INC.
5825 W Corcoran
Chicago, IL 60644
Vernita Johnson
773 626-1661
Ownership: Vernita Johnson 100%</p> | <p>21) Vendor # 95372
GETZSTITCHING LLC DBA ALL SEASONS
SCREEN PRINTING AND EMBROIDERY
6925 W Oakview Court
Mequon, WI 53092
Kathryn Getz
773 736-1213
Ownership: Katie Gets 100%</p> |
| <p>16) Vendor # 377609
DPE, INC.
7647 S Kedzie Ave.
Chicago, IL 60652
Jose Marquez
773 865-2928
Ownership: Jose Marquez 50%, Jose Fajardo 50%</p> | <p>22) Vendor # 90358
HIGHEST HILL CORP. DBA PR STORE
2205 West 95th Street
CHICAGO, IL 60643
Toni Hill
773 253-7005
Ownership: Toni Hill 100%</p> |
| <p>17) Vendor # 91503
ESSENTIAL CREATIONS CHICAGO
2112 West 95th Street
Chicago, IL 60643
Sandtricia Andrews Strickland
773 238-1700
Ownership: Sandtricia Andrews Strickland 100%</p> | <p>23) Vendor # 43229
HORIZON SCREEN PRINTING, INC
4156-58 W. 54TH STREET
CHICAGO, IL 60632
THOMAS SIWINSKI
773 582-6501
Ownership: Michael Puccini 40%, Thomas Siwinski 40%, Jerome Mascorro 20%</p> |

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| <p>24) Vendor # 62275
IMPRESSIVE PROMOTIONAL PRODUCTS, LLC
645 NORTH ROCHESTER RD.
CLAWSON, MI 48017
Shoeb Ali
248 589-3595
Ownership: Shoeb Ali 50%, Munira Ali 50%</p> | <p>30) Vendor # 16986
PRO BIZ PRODUCTS LLC
350 N. ORLEANS
CHICAGO, IL 60654
Richard Smith
312 945-6703
Ownership: Richard Smith 51%, David Lewandowski 49%</p> |
| <p>25) Vendor # 36158
JERRY R JOHNSON DBA BLUE STAR EMBROIDERY PROGRAM INC
6445 W Dakin
Chicago, IL 60634
Jerry Johnson
773 4254494
Ownership: Jerry Johnson 100%</p> | <p>31) Vendor # 41169
PRO-AM TEAM SPORTS LLC
PO Box 1804
Evanston, IL 60204-1804
Mary Dolan
773 7209978
Ownership: Mary Dolan 100%</p> |
| <p>26) Vendor # 23375
JOSTENS, INC.
7760 FRANCE AVE S, SUITE 400
MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55435
Kathy Berger
952 830-3300
Ownership: Champ Acquisition Corporation. 100%</p> | <p>32) Vendor # 12269
RAYMOND MAZZOLA DBA RAYS T-SHIRTS
6134 S. PULASKI
CHICAGO, IL 60629
Raymond Mazzola
773 767-7779
Ownership: Raymond Mazzola 100%</p> |
| <p>27) Vendor # 47007
L2 Promotions, LLC (d/b/a Fully Promoted)
13230 SW 132ND AVE
Miami, FL 33186
Lamar Lynch
786 3103119
Ownership: Lamar Lynch 100%</p> | <p>33) Vendor # 43486
RBS Activewear Inc.
310 S. STATE ST.
ARGYLE, WI 53504
Nicole Pfeifer
608 5433564
Ownership: Keith Ritschard 30%, Tina Ritschard 30%, Melissa Rufener 20%, Elizabeth Halvorsen 20%</p> |
| <p>28) Vendor # 22994
LANSING SPORT SHOP, INC.
3265 RIDGE RD
LANSING, IL 60438
Sherry Larmon
708 474-2471
Ownership: Philip Rosati Sr 100%</p> | <p>34) Vendor # 32131
ROSATI ENTERPRISES, INC.
3259 RIDGE ROAD
LANSING, IL 60438
Sherry Larmon
708 418-3584
Ownership: Philip Rosati 41.7%, Anthony Rosati 33.3%, Philip Rosati, Jr. 15%</p> |
| <p>29) Vendor # 22751
PRINTABLES CORPORATION DBA PRINTABLE PROMOTIONS
11 E HUBBARD ST. SUITE 700
CHICAGO, IL 60611
Samantha Vajgert
312 284-8119
Ownership: Mitch Silver 50%, Scott Silver</p> | <p>35) Vendor # 35165
SILK SCREEN EXPRESS, INC.
7611 WEST 185TH STREET
TINLEY PARK, IL 60477
Dawn Coleman
800 366-5071
Ownership: Dawn Coleman 100%</p> |

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| <p>36) Vendor # 43287
Sports Connection Gear, LLC
4044 North Lincoln Avenue
Chicago, IL 60618
Ronnie Minc
872 8174327
Ownership: Ronnie Minc 50%, August Schupp 50%</p> | <p>42) Vendor # 43811
VARSITY BRANDS, INC DBA VARSITY SPIRIT FASHIONS AND SUPPLIES,LLC
711 N. Front St.
Memphis, TN 38107
Taylor Hays
800 533-8022
Ownership: Varsity Brands, Inc. 100%</p> |
| <p>37) Vendor # 96802
STITCH ME LLC
329 W.18TH STREET 308
CHICAGO, IL 60616
BRENDA NELSON
312 498-7428
Ownership: Brenda Nelson 100%</p> | <p>43) Vendor # 41072
VERSA PRINTING, INC.
2631 BRENNER DRIVE
DALLAS, TX 75220
Sergio Godinez
972 243-5353
Ownership: Sergio Godinez 33.34%, Gonzalo Godinez 33.33%, Alfredo Aviles 33.33%</p> |
| <p>38) Vendor # 36262
THE PRINT LOUNGE, INC.
1325 W. 18th Street
Chicago, IL 60608
Imanuel Basley
773 454-8089
Ownership: Imanuel Basley 100%</p> | <p>44) Vendor # 21993
VINCENT BROWDER DBA CHICAGO BALFOUR
18333 BURNHAM AVE.
LANSING, IL 60438
Vincent Browder
708 418-8400
Ownership: Vincent Browder 100%</p> |
| <p>39) Vendor # 40462
The Stevens Group, L.L.C.
188 Industrial Drive
Elmhurst, IL 60126
Jim Fitzgerald
331 209-2100
Ownership: Christopher Gorski 100%</p> | |
| <p>40) Vendor # 22509
TONY DIBILK DBA FANTASTIC LETTERING, INC.
5644 W. LAWRENCE AVE.
CHICAGO, IL 60630
Anthony Diblik
773 631-6868
Ownership: Tony Diblik 100%</p> | |
| <p>41) Vendor # 96081
UNIFORMS TODAY LLC
34-24 HUNTERS POINT AVE
LONG ISLAND CITY, NY 11101
Dan Berkowitz
718 784-1166
Ownership: Jeff Reisner 50%, Harrison Wills 50%</p> | |