

March 23, 2022

AUTHORIZE RATIFICATION AND EXTENSION OF AGREEMENT WITH SENTINEL TECHNOLOGIES, INC. FOR SCHOOL DATA NETWORK UPGRADE SERVICES

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize ratification and extension of the agreement with Sentinel Technologies, Inc. to provide data network upgrade services to schools District-Wide at an estimated annual cost set forth in the Compensation Section of this report. This agreement is eligible for discounts to be funded by the School and Library Division of the Universal Service Administrative Company (SLD/USAC) as part of the E-Rate program. The total amount of the agreement shall not exceed \$30,350,000, but the Board shall only be responsible for the non-discounted portion of the E-Rate eligible services and/or products and the costs of ineligible services and/or products, which shall not exceed \$23,850,000. The District seeks authorization to utilize the remaining amount of \$60,000 through this ratification and extension. Vendor agreement is being ratified and extended on a non-

Quantum Crossing, LLC
111 E Wacker Drive, Suite 990
Chicago, IL 60601
Ownership: Roger Martinez

Total WBE: 15%
Solai & Cameron
3410 W Van Buren
Chicago, IL 60624
Ownership: Mallar R Solai

LSC REVIEW:

Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report

FINANCIAL:

Fund 115, General Funds, Fund 484, Capital Funds
FY19 Capital Funds - \$12,500,000
FY20 Capital Funds - \$10,000,000
SLD/E-Rate Funds - \$6,500,000
FY19 Operating Funds - \$350,000

Facilities/School FY19/20 Capital Funds - \$1,000,000 (To cover any new school or other capital improvement work)

FY22- SLD/E-Rate Funds- \$60,000

Not to exceed \$60,000 for the one (1) year term. Future year funding is contingent upon budget appropriation and approval.

CFDA#: Not Applicable

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General - Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has 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 - The agreement shall not be 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

Contingent Liability - The agreement shall contain the clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal