## **Action Sheet**

## **MEETING DATE**:

September 15, 2021

AGENDA ITEM:

Discuss and Consider Contract Awards for Professional Development for teachers to the Vendors presented for 36 months starting October 1, 2021, with the option to renew for two additional one year periods, not to exceed \$1.5 million (UNDER SEPARATE COVER)

Several grants that GISD has received require extensive professional development for teachers and administrators. This overall professional development will require multiple consultants in various fields of knowledge.

CSRFP 2021-22-002 Professional Development Services Request for Proposal was published September 1, 2021. The purpose of this RFP is to obtain multiple firms or individuals to provide leadership, coaching, and facilitation of professional development programs for teachers and staff. Consultant qualifications, purpose, scope of services, minimum qualifying standards, evaluation of proposals, proposal format and contract terms and conditions are detailed in the RFP.

Administration proposes to award contracts for these services to the individuals/firms listed under separate cover. The period of the contracts will be thirty-six months starting October 1, 2021 with the option to renew for two additional one year periods, based upon available funding and upon mutual agreement between the parties. The funding sources will be the MSAP grant, Title grants and ESSER grants. Administration requests that the Board approve the contract awards to the vendors and give the Superintendent the ability to negotiate and sign the contracts.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

I move that the Board of Trustees approve the award of professional development contracts with vendors (under separate cover) for thirtysix months starting October 1, 2021, with an option to renew for two additional one-year periods, not to exceed \$1.5M from grant funds, and give the Superintendent the authority to negotiate and sign the contracts, as presented.

Sor

Dr. Jerry Gibson Superintendent

Dr. Annette Scott Assistant Superintendent for

**Student Support**