



MEMORANDUM
Office of the Chief Information Officer

To: Dr. Ponce and the Board of Trustees

From: Caleb Hogue

Date: October 20, 2025

Re: Consideration for approving a proposal for a Philips Video Wall from Howard Technology Solutions through the TIPS Cooperative

Staff Recommendation: Approval

The Board is asked to approve a proposal for a Philips Video Wall for \$182,380.00 from Howard Technology Solutions through the TIPS Cooperative.



Proposal Approval

Description: Consideration for approving a proposal for a Philips Video Wall from Howard Technology Solutions through the TIPS Cooperative

Recommendation: The Board is asked to approve a proposal for a Philips Video Wall for \$182,380.00 from Howard Technology Solutions through the TIPS Cooperative.

This proposal recommends the purchase and installation of a Philips Video Wall system for the entrance to the conference center in Temple Main. A video wall will serve as a dynamic tool for impactful presentations, immersive experiences, and content for student and public engagement, helping students to feel welcomed, informed, and inspired from their first visit to our campus.

The video wall will be customized for the events and seasons, promoting student club activities, student achievements, and emergency alerts, providing for a memorable and modern first impression for incoming students and their families.

This solution will be made of 180 individual panels that can be adjusted, repaired, or replaced to ensure the extended life of the video wall.

Howard Technology Solutions was selected as the vendor of choice because of the existing relationship with the college, design expertise, and their direct relationship with the manufacturer.

The Board of Trustees is asked to approve a purchase to Howard Technology Solutions for \$182,380.00. The contract is offered through the TIPS Interlocal Purchasing System Cooperative Agreement, contract 230105. This cooperative meets the College's requirements for competitive solicitations found in Texas Education Code 44. The Board of Trustees is also asked to grant authority to the Vice President of Administration to approve the contract and to approve any change orders up to the amount allowed by the Texas Education Code 44.0411.

Funds Available:

____ Budgeted
____ Fund Balance
☒ X Other: Fund 62 (Bond Projects)

Approved:

Christina Ponce
President

Date