

5. CONSENT AGENDA 3. PURCHASING

5.3.3. TESTING SOFTWARE FOR ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL) INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

Lead Staff: Tasha Shell, Dean, Adult Education and English as a Second Language

Funding Source: FY26 budget, Adult Education and Family Literacy Grant, Integrated English Literacy and Civics Education Grant

| Vendor | Amount |
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| CASAS | \$48,810.00 |

Explanation of Purchase: This purchase is for pre- and post-testing individuals for proper level placement and is required by the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB).

Pursuant to 110 ILCS 805/3-27.1 (f), purchases and contracts for the use, purchase, delivery, movement or installation of data processing equipment, software or services and telecommunications and inter-connect equipment, software and services are exempt from the competitive bidding process.

Recommendation: Approve a purchase with CASAS of San Diego, CA in a not-to-exceed amount of \$48,810.00.