Purchase Request #2 Regular Board Meeting January 31, 2025 Consideration of Approval to Contract for Oracle Licenses

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION/REPORT

The District President recommends that the Board of Trustees approves the contract for the purchase of Oracle licenses from Mythics, LLC for the District.

BACKGROUND

The District has previously purchased these licenses directly from Oracle, but Oracle's DIR contract has expired and is still in the renewal process. In the interim, Oracle licenses for 2025 will be purchased through a third party. Mythics, LLC is an Oracle platinum provider.

Reference Number SCON-101211 was issued to track the contract spend for Oracle licenses from Mythics, LLC. Mythics, LLC has a contract through the E&I cooperative purchasing program to provide Oracle products and services, Contract Number CNR01474. The contract complies with the competitive procurement requirements outlined in Section 44.031 of the Texas Education Code, as permitted through Section 791.011 of the Texas Government Code.

IMPACT OF THIS ACTION

Oracle provides the database for several software programs, including Banner and CBORD. Throughout the years, Oracle has been the foundation for all the applications used at Collin College. Maintaining licensure would ensure there is no disruption of service.

BUDGET INFORMATION (INCLUDING ANY STAFFING IMPLICATIONS)

This purchasing request is for spend authorization of \$250,000, which is budgeted in the Technology Services Department's FY25 operating budget.

MONITORING AND REPORTING TIMELINE

The contract term is January 31, 2025 through August 31, 2025.

RESOURCE PERSONNEL

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