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Board Agenda Item Overview

Meeting Type	Regular - Business	Meeting Date	11/17/25
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Policy Reference:	EHBA Local
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Related Board Goal: <small>Select a Goal(s) or type in specific Goals</small>	Goal 1 - CCMR
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Recommendation:	Approve as Submitted
Justification:	Consideration and Possible Approval for EGT Institute, Inc. to evaluate the Next Generation GEAR UP grant from the U.S. Department of Education. With 26+ years of experience in federal program evaluation, EGT will use systematic research methods to assess implementation, fidelity, outcomes, and outputs.

Funding	Cost:	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>	\$110,000.00
	Funding Source:		287-21-6299-UP-871-99-0-00
	Currently Budgeted		YES

Vendor	Evaluation Grants & Training Institute, Inc.
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Does this item require a Competitive Bid?	N/A <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Purchasing Mechanism	EGT Grant
Contract Term	October 1, 2025-September 30, 2026
Finance Department Review By:	N/A <input type="checkbox"/>
Purchasing Manager:	Michel G. Smith <small>Digitally signed by Michel G. Smith Date: 2025.10.31 07:16:50 -05'00'</small>
Comptroller Signature:	Bessye Adams <small>Digitally signed by Bessye Adams Date: 2025.10.31 13:37:02 -05'00'</small>

Name	Anita Perry	Title	Executive Director of CCMR
Department	Teaching & Learning	Phone#	972-223-6666

Legal Review	N/A	Date	10/30/25
Department Review	Stephanie McCloud <small>Digitally signed by Stephanie McCloud Date: 2025.11.13 15:19:57 -06'00'</small>		
District Approval			