

## 5. CONSENT AGENDA 3. PURCHASING

### 5.3.10. SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION SERVICES

**Lead Staff:** Greg Singleton, Dean, Student Affairs

**Funding Source:** FY26 budget

**Funding Request:** \$88,984.00

Vendors	Amount
Various (See below)	\$88,984.00

Sign Language Interpretation	City and State
Kristen Goebeler	Libertyville, Illinois
Randi Ralph	Vernon Hills, Illinois
Melinda Nelson	North Barrington, Illinois
5 Star Interpreting Chicago, LLC	Tinley Park, Illinois
HRI-Cart, LLC	Pinellas Park, Florida

**Explanation of Purchase:** This purchase is for sign language interpreting and communication access real-time translation (CART) services for deaf/hard-of-hearing students.

Pursuant to 110 ILCS 805/3-27.1 (a), contracts for the services of individuals possessing a high degree of professional skill where the ability or fitness of the individual plays an important part are exempt from the competitive bidding process.

**Recommendation:** Approve contracts with the vendors identified above in a total not-to-exceed amount of \$88,984.00.