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Discussion of Service Provider Contracts

Each year, the administration makes recommendations to the Board of Education regarding our major contracts. These contracts include:

Transportation with First Student Cleaning with GCA Food Service with Just A Dash Catering Audit Services with Miller, Cooper et al.

Transportation

First Student was awarded the transportation contract in 2008. Though the contract was for three years, the District was able to extend the contract on a year by year basis. The administration recommends that the contract be extended for next school year 2017-2018. The rates for 2017-2018 will be available by May 2017.

Cleaning

The administration recommends continuing with the same cleaning service for 2017-2018. We will know the 2017-2018 rates by May 2017. GCA has provided excellent service at competitive rates for 18 years.

Food Service

The District went out to bid for Food Service last year. Just A Dash Catering was the only bidder and was awarded the bid for 2016-2017 albeit that the company was not able to provide a Bid Bond. Per the Illinois State Board of Education, the District will have to go out to bid for its Food Service for 2017-2018.

Auditing Services

For the last 3 years we have used the auditing services of Miller Cooper. Based on the cost of their services and the high quality of their work, the administration recommends that the District continue with Miller, Cooper, et al. for the 2017-2018 school year. As in the past two years, the increase will be \$500, bringing the costs of the auditing services to \$23,000.

Mission

Ensure that each student is a passionate learner empowered with the Academic and social skills to responsibly choose and excel in life pursuits.