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Committee on Contracts 02/24/22

The Department of Education (“DOE”) Chancellor's Committee on Contracts has been asked for their recommendation to award contracts to following organization(s) for the services described below. Other organizations interested in providing these services to the DOE are invited to indicate their ability to do so in writing to Alicia Saleh at 65 Court Street, Room 1201; Brooklyn, NY 11201, or by email to COCInterestedVendor@schools.nyc.gov. Responses should be received no later than 9:00 AM, February 24, 2022. Any COC recommendation will be contingent upon no expressions of interest in performing services by other parties.

Item(s) for Consideration:

(1) Service(s): The Office of Post-Secondary Readiness (“OPSR”) seeks to enter into a negotiated services agreement to provide Learning to Work (“LTW”) services to over-age, under-credited students who need additional academic and personal support to earn a high school diploma and develop the competencies needed for college and career success.

Circumstances for use: Best Interest of the DOE

Vendor(s): Directions for Our Youth, Inc.

(2) Service(s): The Division of Human Capital (“DHC”) is requesting a contract extension with TNTP, Inc. for the provision of the Teaching Fellows recruitment and candidate tracking platform.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s): TNTP, Inc.

(3) Service(s): The Division of Enterprise Purchasing (“DEP”) is requesting a contract extension with the below vendors for the provisioning of trade book materials to participating public and non-public schools.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s):

- Conn Education Inc. DBA Classroom Library Company
- GL Group DBA Booksource
- Lectorum Publications Inc.
- Perfection Learning Corporation
- Steps To Literacy

(4) Service(s): The Division of Enterprise Purchasing (“DEP”) is requesting a contract extension with the below vendors for the provisioning of pre-bound library books & processing to participating public and non-public schools.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s):

- Bound to Stay Bound Books Inc.
- Mackin Book Company DBA Mackin Educational

(5) Service(s): The Office of the First Deputy Chancellor (“OFDC”) is requesting a contract extension for services that support the DOE’s new Strong Schools and Strong Communities structure as an Affinity Group Organization (“AGO”) partner.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s): City University of New York – CUNY

(6) Service(s): The Office of the First Deputy Chancellor (“OFDC”) is requesting to extend the contract with the vendors below for services that support the NYC DOE’s new Strong Schools and Strong Communities structure as an Affinity Group Organization (“AGO”) partner.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s):

- The Urban Assembly Inc.
- Community Studies, Inc.
- Internationals Network for Public Schools Inc.

(7) Service(s): The Office of the First Deputy Chancellor (“OFDC”) is requesting to extend and amend the contract with the vendor below for services that support the NYC DOE’s new Strong Schools and Strong Communities structure as an Affinity Group Organization (“AGO”) partner.

Circumstances for use: Contract Extension

Vendor(s): New York City Outward Bound Center, Inc.