

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH LORAN MARKETING GROUP TO PERFORM QUALITATIVE RESEARCH ON PERFORMANCE EVALUATION WITH CPS TEACHERS**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Approve entering into an agreement with Loran Marketing Group to perform qualitative research on performance evaluation with CPS teachers at a cost not to exceed \$125,000.00. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis: the sole-source request was presented to the Non-Competitive Procurement Review Committee, and was approved by the Chief Purchasing Officer. A written agreement for Consultant's services is currently being negotiated. No services shall be provided by Consultant and no

payment shall be made to Consultant prior to the execution of the written agreement. The authority

meetings with CPS managers and analysis of teacher feedback and input. Consultant will provide

approximately 5 professional facilitators working full-time for 7-8 weeks.

**DELIVERABLES:**

Consultant will deliver (1) a comprehensive project plan encompassing CPS and Consultant

responsibilities; (2) periodic informal analyses of teacher input and feedback; and (3) a final report of teacher input and feedback.

**OUTCOMES:**

The feedback from teachers will inform the design of a new performance evaluation system.

~~Confidential~~ The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the

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