

**APPROVE THE RENEWAL OF THE SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT
WITH COMMUNITY SERVICES WEST, AN ILLINOIS NOT-FOR-PROFIT CORPORATION**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:

Approve the renewal of the School Management and Performance Agreement with Community Services West, an Illinois not-for-profit corporation, for the operation of the Community Services West Career Academy. The School Management and Performance Agreement with Community Services West will be renewed for an additional two year and ten month period. A new School Management and Performance

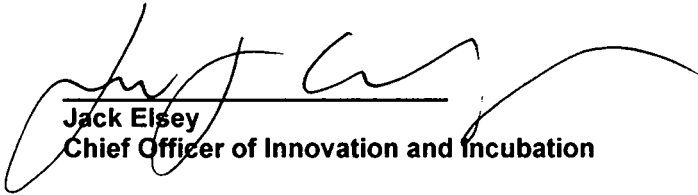
evaluated the school's student performance. The school was rated Level 3 with 15.3% of points in 2010-11 and Level 3 with 12.5% of points in 2011-2012 on the school absolute student indicators found in the framework put forth by the district for assessing contract school pupil performance, which did not accurately reflect Community Services West Career Academy's alternative school program. From 2008-2009 to 2011-2012, Community Services West Career Academy's student attendance averaged approximately 77.8%. The committee recommends that, based on the school's performance on these and

other accountability criteria, Community Services West Career Academy be authorized to continue operating as a contract school.

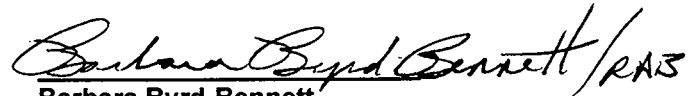
RENEWAL TERM: The term of the School Management and Performance Agreement is being extended for a two-year and ten-month term commencing September 1, 2012 and ending June 30, 2015.

Approved for Consideration:

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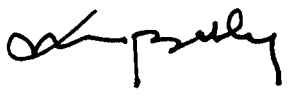


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