

April 27, 2016

AMEND BOARD REPORT 15-0527-EX28
AMEND BOARD REPORT 14-0924-EX3

AUTHORIZE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF EXCEL ACADEMY OF WOODLAWN (NOW KNOWN AS EXCEL ACADEMY OF SOUTH SHORE) AND ENTERING INTO A SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND PERFORMANCE AGREEMENT WITH CAMELOT ALT ED-ILLINOIS, LLC, AN ILLINOIS LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY

THE INTERIM CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize the establishment of Excel Academy of Woodlawn at 6145 South Ingleside, and approve entering into a School Management and Performance Agreement with Camelot Alt Ed-Illinois, LLC, an Illinois limited liability company, for the operation of Excel Academy of Woodlawn. A written School Management and Performance Agreement is currently being negotiated. The authority granted herein

DESCRIPTION:

School Designation: Pursuant to 105 ILCS 5/34-1.1, 105 ILCS 5/34-18(30) and the contingent authority

granted by the Board on June 26, 2013 in Board Report 13-0626-EX3, Excel Academy of Woodlawn will

designates the Excel Academy of Woodlawn as a Contract School pursuant to 105 ILCS 5/34-2.4b.

which was the identification of a school site. The CEO determined that Camelot Alt Ed-Illinois, LLC met that contingency.

Enrollment: Excel Academy of Woodlawn will be a citywide school that will enroll students in grades 9-12

risk of dropping out. Students will be admitted on an ongoing basis provided that seats are available. If there are more applicants than seats available, applicants will be placed on a waiting list and a random

for the Excel Academy of Woodlawn. The use of the funding will be outlined by the Office of Innovation and Incubation.

FINANCIAL: The financial implications will be addressed during the development of the 2015¹⁶-2016¹⁷ fiscal year budget. Since the School Code of Illinois prohibits the incurring of any liability unless an appropriation has been previously made, expenditures beyond FY45¹⁶ are deemed to be contingent liabilities only, subject to appropriation in subsequent fiscal year budgets.

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: As a contract school, Excel Academy of Woodlawn will employ its own

principal, teachers and staff.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General – Each Party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

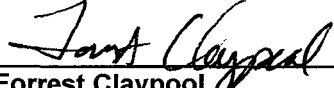
Conflicts – The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the Provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of, or the letting of contracts to former

Approved for Consideration:

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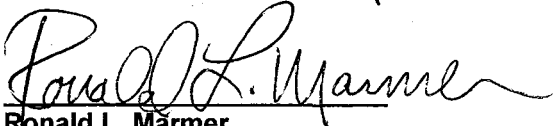


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