## Lompoc Unified School District BUSINESS SERVICES April 4, 2017

## INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR SERVICES AGREEMENT INSTRUCTIONS

NOTE: All Independent Contracts require approval before any work is performed.

<u>All contracts valued at or over \$5,000</u> must be submitted at least 45 days prior to the Board approval date. The only authority to enter into a contract for contracts valued at or over \$5,000 or over is the Lompoc Unified School District Board.

- Initiator requests a proposal of services with either a wet signature or scanned signature.
  An Independent Contractor Services Agreement packet (Form BSSV10.02 and Exhibits, as applicable) must be completed by initiator and contractor. The contractor must check and sign all applicable forms.
- II. Initiator submits contract to the Assistant Superintendent of Division (Ed Services, Human Resources or Business Services). Please include the **Approval Request for Independent Contractor Services Agreement** (Form BSSV10.01 ENG). Initiator must check the budget string(s) for accuracy and ensure the availability of funds in those budgets.
- III. If contract amount is valued at or over \$5,000, the request must be approved by the Executive Cabinet. Cabinet meets every week.
  - a. Contract requests should be provided to the appropriate representative for cabinet approval.
  - b. Cabinet forwards all approved contracts to the Purchasing Department.
- IV. If contracts are valued at or over \$5,000, Department prepares a Board Agenda Item with attached contract for Board approval.
  - a. The Board item must be submitted 45 days prior to the Board approval date.
- V. Department submits Board approved contract to the Assistant Superintendent of Business Services for his/her authorized signature.
- VI. Business Services forwards the original ("wet-ink signed") contract to Department and keeps a copy
- VII. Department/initiator submits a Requisition for a Purchase Order in Escape (add Board approval date). The signed contract must be attached.
- VIII. Business Services forwards signed original contract to contractor. A copy is kept on file.
  - a. Work can begin.

Questions: Please contact the Business Office at (805) 742-3200.