

# THE CONNECTION

*A monthly summary of the Delaware County Intermediate Unit's  
meeting of the Board of Directors*

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING AUGUST 7, 2024

### **Approval to support consultation, training, resources, and professional learning opportunities for District and IU staff:**

Approved contracts with the following to provide annual subscriptions to digital products for Delaware County districts at consortium rates:

- BrainPOP LLC from July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025
- Kami from June 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025.

### **Approval of contracts with School Districts and other partners for programs and services:**

Approved a contract with Radnor Township School District for DCIU to provide up to 30 hours of mandated suicide and risk assessment training from August 25, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved a contract with Garnet Valley School District for DCIU to provide up to 20 hours of threat assessment trainings from August 25, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved a contract with Wallingford-Swarthmore School District for DCIU to provide Business Office support from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved a contract with Penncrest School District for managed security services from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved the following contracts with the County of Delaware:

- Office of Early Intervention to continue providing services from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.
- Office of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities to continue providing services from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

### **Approval to enhance student learning and work experience and support future educators:**

Approved an agreement with Neumann University for DCIU to provide field experience and student teaching from August 1, 2024 to July 31, 2027.

### **Approval of other grants, contracts, leases, purchases, appointments, and services:**

Approved the appointment of Ms. Debra Williams, Upper Darby School District, to the DCIU Board of Directors to fulfill the term July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2027, to replace exiting Director Ms. Rachel Mitchell.

Approved an agreement with the Delaware County Department of Health for DCIU to support an increase in assistive technology used for children in Delaware County from September 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved a service agreement with Delaware County Workforce Development Board Temporary Assistance for Needy Families to award DCIU a grant to provide a youth training program from July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025.

Approved a service agreement with Delaware County Workforce Development Board (DCWDB) Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) to award DCIU a grant to implement and provide a program for out-of-school youth from July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025.

Approved contracts with the Borough of Darby for DCIU to provide cybersecurity testing and remediation services from August 7, 2024 to October 15, 2024 and IT Security Assessment services from August 7, 2024 to December 1, 2024.

**THE NEXT DCIU BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING IS WEDNESDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 4, 2024, AT 6:45 P.M.**

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