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TO: Board Members

FROM: Bobby A. Smith, CPA
Chief Financial Officer

VIA: Angela D. Pringle, Ed.D.
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DATE: June 25, 2018

SUBJECT: Speech and Language Pathology Services and
American Sign Language Interpreters
RFP #18-813

We received bids from twenty companies for speech services. Some vendors only provide Speech & Language Pathology(SLP) services and some only provide Sign Language Interpreter(SLI) services. Proposals were evaluated by our Special Education Department on a rubric scale that would best meet the needs of our students. Evaluation tally is attached.

Administration recommends that the following vendors be awarded the contract to provide Speech and Language Pathology Services to Richmond County for the 2018-2019 school Year:

VENDOR	LOCATION
Cobb Pediatric Speech Services LLC dba Cobb Pediatric Therapy Services	Kennesaw, Georgia
Comprehensive Therapy Consultants	Atlanta, Georgia
Health Pro Heritage, LLC	Greenville, South Carolina
Maxim Healthcare Services, Inc.	Columbia, Maryland
Progressus Therapy	Tampa, Florida
Soliant Health, Inc.	Tucker, Georgia
Speech Rehab Services, LLC	Boca Raton, Florida
Sunbelt Staffing, LLC	Oldsmar, Florida

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Administration recommends that the following vendors be awarded the contract to provide Sign Language Interpreter Services to Richmond County for the 2018-2019 school Year:

VENDOR	LOCATION
3 Chords Incorporated dba Therapy Travelers, LLC	Long Beach, California
Cobb Pediatric Speech Services LLC dba Cobb Pediatric Therapy Services	Kennesaw, Georgia
Health Pro Heritage, LLC	Greenville, South Carolina
ProCare Therapy, Inc.	Tucker, Georgia
Sunbelt Staffing, LLC	Oldsmar, Florida

The service will be used on an as needed basis. We are asking that the Board approve the highlighted vendors and their hourly rates. The contract for these awards will be effective July 18, 2018 thru June 30, 2019.

SPEECH LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY SERVICES and
AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETERS
RFP #18-813
JUNE 25, 2018

SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT
FY 19 GENERAL FUND
PURCHASE AS NEEDED

Company/Evaluation Criteria	Capabilities	Business Stability	Organization and Completeness of Proposal	Pricing	TOTAL POINTS	Hourly Rate SLP	SLP Hourly Rate W/ PCE-CFP	Bilingual SLP Rate	Bilingual PCE-CFP Rate	Hourly Rate SLI
	50	35	10	5	100					
3 Chords Inc. DBA Therapy Travelers, Therapy Traverlers LLC. 355 Redondo Ave Long Beach, CA 90814	40	35	10	5	90	$62.00 -$68.00	$60.00	$65.00 -$70.00	$62.00	$55.00
360 Degree Customer, Inc 473 Sapena Ct., Suite 7 Santa Clara, CA 95054	40	30	10	3	83	$ 72.00	$68.00	$74.00	$69.00	
Advanced Medical Personnel Services, Inc. 11001 West 120th Ave.,Suite 310 Broomfield, CO 80021	40	33	10	2	85	$65.00 -$70.00	$63.00	$68.00 -$73.00	$68.00	
Bromberg & Associates, LLC 3141 Caniff Street Hamtramck, MI 48212	35	30	10	2	77					$117.00
Cobb Pediatric Speech Services dba Cobb Pediatric Therapy Services 1925 Vaughn Road, Suite 200 Kennesaw, GA 30144	45	30	10	5	90	$ 57.10	$56.10	$60.10	$59.10	$57.10
Community Rehab Associates, Inc. 3950 3rd Street North, Suite D St. Petersburg, FL 33703	30	25	10	5	70	$57.00	$55.00	$59.00	$57.00	$57.00
CompHealth Medical Staffing 2900 Charlevoix Drive, Suite 200 Grand Rapids, MI 49546	35	35	10	3	83		$71.00	$76.00		
Comprehensive Therapy Consultants P.O. Box 310686 Atlanta, GA 31131	45	30	10	5	90	$55.00	$51.00	$57.00	$57.00	

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EDU Healthcare 7930 W. Kenton Circle Huntersville, NC 28078	40	30	8	4	82	$62.00	$62.00	$68.00	$68.00	$57.00
HealthPRO Heritage, LLC 536 Old Howell Road Greenville, SC 29615	45	35	8	5	93	$57.00	$55.00	$60.00	$58.00	$53.00
Maxim Healthcare Services, Inc. 7227 Lee Deforest Drive Columbia, Maryland 21046	50	35	10	2	97	$65.00 -$69.00	$63.00 - $67.00	$67.00 - $72.00	$65.00 -$69.00	
Pediatric Developmental Services 115 Sudbrook Lane, Suite A Pikesville, MD 21208	40	30	8	2	80	$69.00	$67.00	$72.00	$72.00	
Procare Therapy, Inc. 1979 Lakeside Parkway, Suite 800 Tucker, GA 30084	45	33	9	3	90	$68.00	$66.00	$70.00	$68.00	$55.00
Progressus Therapy 2701 N. Rocky Point Drive, Suite 650 Tampa, FL 33607	50	35	10	5	100	$55.00	$55.00	$55.00	$55.00	
Soliant Health, Inc. 1979 Lakeside Parkway, Suite 800 Tucker, GA 30084	45	30	10	5	90	$58.73	$56.92	$60.73	$57.92	$58.25
Speech Buddies 3150 18th Street, Suite 340 San Francisco, CA 94110	40	20	10	3	73	$60.00	$58.00	$62.00	$60.00	
Speech Rehab Services, LLC 551 NW 77th Street, Suite 111 Boca Raton, FL 33487	45	35	10	5	95	$58.00	$58.00	$60.00	$60.00	

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Sunbelt Staffing LLC 3687 Tampa Road, Suite 200 Oldsmar, FL 34677	45	35	10	4	94	$59.64	$59.64	$64.69	$64.69	$52.00 - $58.35
The Execu/Search Group. LLC 675 Third Avenue, 5th Floor New York, NY 10017	45	30	9	5	89	$53.50	$53.50	$57.75	$57.75	
Therapia Staffing LLC 7451 Wiles Road, Suite 107 Coral Springs, FL 33067	40	35	10	4	89	$62.00	$58.00	$67.00	$58.00	

All proposals were evaluated by Mrs. Talithia Newsome, Director of Special Education