

## PUBLIC NOTICE

OAKLAND BOARD OF EDUCATION, OAKLAND, NEW JERSEY, Notice of Award Professional Services. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Oakland Board of Education took action at its Board of Education Meeting on May 12, 2026 and awarded the following contracts for professional Services in accordance with the N.J.S.A. 18A:18A5a(1). The resolution of award and contracts listed below are available for public inspection at the Office the Board Secretary located at 315 Ramapo Valley Road, Oakland, New Jersey, 07436 during regular business hours.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Services</b>	<b>Contract Amount</b>
* Fogarty, Hara, LaPira & Cherry, LLC.	Legal Firm	Partner: \$ 185/hr Associate: \$ 165/hr Estimated Annual: \$95,000
*Methfessel & Werbel, P.C.	Legal Firm	Partner: \$ 190/hr Associate: \$ 165/hr Estimated Annual: \$20,000
*Parette Somjen Architects L.L.C. (“PSA”)	Architect Services	Partner \$ 186/hr Director/Senior Assoc. \$ 182/hr Senior Architect \$ 175/hr Project Architect \$ 152/hr Contract Administrator \$ 132/hr Estimated Annual: \$25,000 **
* Wielkocz & Company, LLC	Audit Firm	Annual Fee: \$30,500 Audit Fiscal Year Ending 2026
CBIZ Insurance Services	Insurance Services	NESBIG rate
* Brown & Brown	Health Insurance Broker of Record	Commission Based

- \* 1. The fee structure is most advantageous to the Board, price and other factors considered.
- 2. Experience, staff and resources necessary to perform the service as demonstrated by their prior performance with the Board.
- 3. Reputation and responsibility of professional contractors based upon prior performance with the Board.
- \*\* In addition to purchase orders rolled over from the 2025-2026 school year.