

**RATIFY AN AGREEMENT WITH DR. SONIA WHITE SOLTERO
FOR CONSULTANT SERVICES**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Ratify an agreement with Dr. Sonia White Soltero to provide consulting services to the Office of Language, Cultural, and Early Childhood Education at a cost not to exceed \$14,400. These services were obtained without prior Board approval. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis because of her expertise and

experience in the field of Dual Language. Dr. Soltero is currently employed as the Director of the

the Andersen Community Academy and has previously served as the coordinator for the Dual Language program.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: M/WBE participation for Independent Contractors is determined on an aggregated basis and reported in the M/WBE Monthly Report. M/WBE participation: 0% Black, 100% Hispanic, 0% Asian, 0% WBE and 0% Non-minority.

ISC REVIEW: Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

FINANCIAL: Charge to Office of Language and Culture (Citywide): \$14,400 Fiscal Year: 2001
Budget Classification: 0930-268-552-7932-5410
Source of Funds: Office of Language and Cultural Education - Citywide

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General. Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS