

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH
QUANTUM CROSSING, INC. FOR CONSULTING SERVICES**

THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS

Quantum Crossing, Inc. ("Quantum") is a man... into an agreement with...
the Office of Telephony Services to conduct telecommunication...
communication management and moves, adds and changes ("MACs") Request for Proposals for telecom

...manage the operational and strategic planning aspects of Chicago Public Schools, including the Central Service Center (CSC), regional offices, and all school facilities. Responsibilities include:

...also provide consulting services of the telecommunications functions for the

- Management of day-to-day telecommunications department operations for all voice systems and services district-wide for a minimum of 600 locations, 16,500 Centrex lines, 3000 dial-up lines, 2000 pagers, 150 cellular telephones, and all new construction.

...all Wide Area Network (WAN) data lines on an ongoing basis

...including applications, including

- Implementation, maintenance and support of automated out-call

...systems and technology infrastructure in the Central Office which

- Overall management of voice system
- currently processes over 1,000,000 c
- Strategic recommendations

...in conjunction with information technology services.

...CPS with the following:

DELIVERABLES: ...will provide

...The report will outline gaps in services that telecommunication management and IMC contracts are not currently being performed and recommend

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

105 ILCS 5/34-13.1 - the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to investigate certain individuals and entities. The Board and its personnel shall have access to information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Confidential - The agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the