

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO A TEACHER REFERRAL AND SUPPORT AGREEMENT  
WITH GOLDEN APPLE FOUNDATION**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Approve entering into a teacher referral and support agreement with Golden Apple Foundation to provide 55 provisionally-certified teachers to Chicago Public Schools at a cost not to exceed \$497,500.00. Provider was selected on a non-competitive basis due to their expertise in recruiting and assisting individuals to obtain alternative certificates. A written teacher referral agreement is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to the Provider prior to the execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written agreement is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this agreement is stated below.

**PROVIDER:** Golden Apple Foundation  
GATE Program  
8 South Michigan Avenue, Suite 700  
Chicago, IL 60603  
Contact: Dominic Belmonte  
(312) 407-0006

**USER:** Alternative Certification Programs  
Department of Human Resources  
125 South Clark Street 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor  
773-553-1070  
Contact: [Redacted]

**TERM:** The term of this agreement shall commence on August 1, 2003 and shall end July 30, 2004.

number of teacher candidates who received Chicago Public Schools teaching positions and deductions for teacher candidates who dropped out or withdrew from their Chicago Public Schools teaching position during the 2002-2004

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school year.

**REIMBURSABLE EXPENSES:** None.

**AUTHORIZATION:** Authorization the Council General to include other relevant terms and conditions in the written

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