

August 25, 2004

**APPROVE ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH DEPAUL CENTER FOR URBAN EDUCATION**

**FOR CONSULTING SERVICES**

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

Approve entering into an agreement with DePaul Center for Urban Education to provide consulting services to

the following schools: Clemente, Gregory, Herzl, Johnson, McPherson, Mozart and Talman in the amount of \$241,500. Consultant was selected on a non-competitive basis because of the quality of its program as seen

Reading Initiative

3. Coordination of Connectors, including monitoring of on-line reporting
4. Assistance in planning school improvement
5. Connector workshops at DePaul or a Museum
6. CPDU recertification credit unit option for all workshops
7. Administrator forum once each semester
8. Ordering and orientation to teacher resources
9. On-site workshops (number varies with individual contracts) with subsequent evaluation reports

10. Ongoing reports on activities including on-line access to coaching reports
11. Semester evaluations of teacher priorities

**OUTCOMES:** On-site services shall result in (1) an increase in student achievement in core curriculum as

Charge to Mozart School: \$21,317

Fiscal Year: 2004-2005

Charge to Talman School: \$31,650  
Budget Classification: 6680-242-021-6211-5410

Fiscal Year: 2004-2005  
Source of Funds: NCLB

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

By accepting this contract, the contractor shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 49 CFR 101.11, the contractor shall be held liable for the performance of the contract.