

**RATIFY AN AGREEMENT WITH MERIT SCHOOL OF MUSIC  
FOR CONSULTING SERVICES (LAFAYETTE SPECIALTY SCHOOL)**

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

Ratify an agreement with Merit School of Music to provide consulting services to Lafayette Specialty School at a cost not to exceed \$32,800.00. These services were obtained without prior Board approval. A written agreement for Consultant's services is currently being negotiated. No payment shall be made to Consultant prior to the execution of the written agreement. The authority granted herein shall automatically rescind in the event a written document is not executed within 90 days of the date of this Board Report. Information pertinent to this document is stated below:

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(312) 786-9428  
Vendor # 33278

**USER:** Lafayette Specialty School  
2714 West Augusta Boulevard

**FINANCIAL:** Charge to Lafayette Specialty School: \$32,800.00  
Budget Classification: 4400-234-703-6214-5410  
Requisition Number: 5295942

Fiscal Year: 2006  
Source of Funds: SGSA

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**

Inspector General - Each party to the agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-