

**RATIFY ENTERING INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON,
WISCONSIN CENTER FOR EDUCATION RESEARCH FOR CONSULTING SERVICES**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

By entering into an agreement with the University of Wisconsin-Madison, Wisconsin Center for Education

Research (WCER) for consulting services for the Chief Instructional Office at a cost to the Board not to exceed \$328,803. Vendor was selected on a non-competitive basis: the sole-source request was presented to

OUTCOMES: Cross-district services will result in the Board having a better understanding of the patterns

of academic growth among CPS students at various levels of analysis. This understanding will be valuable

in identifying schools, classrooms, and networks with average, above-average, or below-average levels of

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