



College Station Independent School District

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MEMORANDUM

To: Dr. Eddie Coulson, Superintendent

From: Glynn Walker, Deputy Superintendent

Date: October 19, 2010

Subject: U.S. Communities Purchasing Cooperative program.

Agenda Item: J-2

Board Priority/
District Goal: Priority 3, Goal 4

Background

U.S. Communities is a cooperative purchasing program that was established to identify qualified vendors of goods and services, comply with state bidding requirements and to relieve the burdens of governmental purchasing by realizing economies of scale. Membership in U.S. Communities is free and open to local governments, nonprofits and other political subdivisions of the State of Texas and United States. Membership requires the governing body to approve and sign the attached U.S. Communities Master Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement.

Recommendation

It is recommended that that the Board of Trustees of College Station Independent School District consider approval of the attached Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement and Resolution to join the U.S. Communities Cooperative Purchasing Program. This agreement shall remain in effect from date of signature by both parties until termination by either party giving thirty (30) days prior written notice.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Glynn Walker".

GLYNN WALKER
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Human Resources and Business

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Eddie Coulson". Below the signature is the date "10-14-2010".

EDDIE COULSON, Ed.D.
Superintendent of Schools