

**AUTHORIZE AGREEMENT EXTENSIONS WITH PUBLIC CONSULTING GROUP, INC. AND  
PARADIGM HEALTHCARE SERVICES, LLC FOR MEDICAID AND OTHER GOVERNMENT  
REIMBURSEMENT CLAIMS**

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

Authorize agreement extensions with Public Consulting Group, Inc ("PCG") and Paradigm Healthcare Services, LLC ("Paradigm"; and together with PCG, each a "Vendor" and collectively, the "Vendors") for services related to the state and federal reimbursement program. Services will be provided to the Finance Department at a cost for the extension period not to exceed \$600,000. A written document exercising this extension is currently being negotiated for each Vendor. No payment shall be made to any Vendor during the extension period prior to execution of the written document. 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 the extension is stated below.

Specification Number: 00-250049

Contract Administrator : Seanior, Miss Pamela Dorcas / 773-553-2280

**VENDOR:**

- 1) Vendor # 27249  
PUBLIC CONSULTING GROUP, INC.  
33 NORTH DEARBORN., STE 3  
CHICAGO, IL 60602  
Stephen Skinner, Principal  
312 253-3742
- 2) Vendor # 11356  
PARADIGM HEALTHCARE SERVICES,

(authorized by Board Report 12-1219-PR13) in the aggregate amount of \$1,500,000, each with a term commencing February 1, 2013 and ending January 31, 2014 with the Board having zero (0) options to renew remaining; all renewal options have been exercised. The original agreements were awarded on a competitive basis pursuant to Board Rule 7-2.

**EXTENSION PERIOD:**

The term of this agreement is being extended for a term commencing February 1, 2014 and ending July 31, 2014.

**OPTION PERIODS REMAINING:**

There are no option periods remaining.

**SCOPE OF SERVICES:**

PCG shall continue to provide a valid claims filing system to maximize the reimbursement available for the provision of health and social services to eligible students and to reduce vendor costs. Program funding includes but is not limited to Medicaid and SCHIP, Temporary Assistance to Needy Families, Poverty Grant and SNAP Administrative grant. Paradigm shall provide secondary collection services for Medicaid claiming.

**DELIVERABLES:**

expertise and auditing support; assist with Medicaid fee-for-service claiming; develop and implement a TANE claims management plan that addresses submission of TANE and MCF claims for services

Public Consulting Group, Inc. has identified the following:

Total MBE - 25%

Marion Edward Associates, Inc.

4415 W. Harrison Street, Suite 444  
Hillside, IL 60162  
Contact: Edward Thurman

Total WBE - 5%

BPS Staffing, Inc.

700 N. LaSalle Street, Suite 1000

Paradigm Healthcare Services, LLC

The Waiver Review Committee recommends full waiver of the MBE participation goals be granted

Approved for Consideration:



SÉBASTIEN de LONGEAUX  
Chief Procurement Officer

Approved:



BARBARA BYRD-BENNETT  
Chief Executive Officer

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General Counsel