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Memo

To: Board of Education
From: GARY YEE, EdD, ACTING SUPERINTENDENT; By: MARIA SANTOS, Deputy Superintendent
Board Meeting Date: 12/11/2013
Subject: Professional Service Contract
Contractor: Yari Sandel of Lafayette, CA
Services for: 211-MONTERA

Board Action Requested and Recommendation: Ratification by the Board of Education of a Professional Services Contract between the District and Yari Sandel, Lafayette, CA, for the latter to provide: 166 hours of service. As an OUSD Peer RJ Coordinator, the consultant will provide services at Montera Middle School - under the direction of the Program Manager for Restorative Justice and in coordination with the site administrators. The Peer RJ Coordinators will recruit, train and oversee a representative group of students reflective of the racial, ethnic, and academic diversity of the school. The Consultant will serve in the capacity of Peer RJ Coordinator for the period of 08/13/2013 through 06/30/2014 in an amount not to exceed \$4,980.00.

Background:
 (A one paragraph explanation of why the consultant's services are needed.)

The Consultant will provide direct on-site services for the Montera Middle School peer RJ program by collaborating with site staff to identify and recruit 5-10 peer RJ youth leaders (11-14 years old) that reflect the racial, ethnic, and academic diversity of the school. The Consultant will organize, create, and design training materials that teach conflict resolution, effective communication, problem solving, and restorative practices, and expect to share them with other Peer RJ coordinators. Peer RJ leaders will work in pairs to help peers involved in a dispute to resolve their differences and repair their relationship. The Consultant will coach the peer RJ leaders to conduct an average of 20-35 restorative circles to respond to harm or conflict and support the school site in creating a safe, healthy and supportive school environment.

Discussion:
 (QUANTIFY what is being purchased.)

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Fiscal Impact: Funding resources below not to exceed \$4,980.00
\$5,000.00 General Purpose-Unrestricted

Attachments: Professional Services Contract including Scope of Work
Waiver Summary
Resume / Statement of Qualifications
EPLS Search Results Page
Insurance Certification (if no Waiver was granted)

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PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT 2013-2014

This Agreement is entered into between Yari Sandel
(CONTRACTOR) and Oakland Unified School District (OUSD). OUSD is authorized by Government Code Section 53060 to contract for the furnishing of special services and advice in financial, economic, accounting, engineering, legal, and administrative matters with persons specially trained, experienced, and competent to perform such services. CONTRACTOR warrants it is specially trained, experienced, and competent to provide such services. The parties agree as follows:

1. **Services:** CONTRACTOR shall provide the ("Services" or "Work") as described in **Exhibit "A,"** attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.
2. **Terms:** CONTRACTOR shall commence work on 08/13/2013, or the day immediately following approval by the Superintendent if the aggregate amount CONTRACTOR has contracted with the District is below \$83,400.00 in the current fiscal year; or, approval by the Board of Education if the total contract(s) exceed \$83,400.00, whichever is later. The work shall be completed no later than 06/30/2014.
3. **Compensation:** OUSD agrees to pay CONTRACTOR for services satisfactorily rendered pursuant to this Agreement. The compensation under this Contract shall not exceed Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$4,980.00) [per fiscal year], at an hourly billing rate not to exceed \$30.00 per hour. This sum shall be for full performance of this Agreement and includes all fees, costs, and expenses incurred by Contractor including, but not limited to, labor, materials, taxes, profit, overhead, travel, insurance, subcontractor costs, and other costs.

If CONTRACTOR will be compensated hourly for services provided under this Contract, CONTRACTOR shall describe in Exhibit "A," attached hereto, the specific scope of services to be delivered on an hourly basis to OUSD.

OUSD shall not be liable to CONTRACTOR for any costs or expenses paid or incurred by CONTRACTOR in performing services for OUSD, except as follows: No Reimbursements

Payment for Work shall be made for all undisputed amounts in monthly installment payments within forty-five (45) days after CONTRACTOR submits an invoice to OUSD for Work actually completed and after OUSD's written approval of the Work, or the portion of the Work for which payment is to be made.

The granting of any payment by OUSD, or the receipt thereof by CONTRACTOR, shall in no way lessen the liability of CONTRACTOR to correct unsatisfactory work, although the unsatisfactory character of that work may not have been apparent or detected at the time a payment was made. Work, which does not conform to the requirements of this Agreement, may be rejected by the District and in that case must be replaced by CONTRACTOR without delay.

4. **Equipment and Materials:** CONTRACTOR shall provide all equipment, materials, and supplies necessary for the performance of this Agreement *except:* NONE which shall not exceed a total cost of \$0.00.
5. **CONTRACTOR Qualifications / Performance of Services:**
CONTRACTOR Qualifications: CONTRACTOR warrants it is specially trained, experienced, competent and fully licensed to provide the Services required by this Agreement in conformity with the laws and regulations of the State of California, the United States of America, and all local laws, ordinances and/or regulations, as they may apply.
Standard of Care: CONTRACTOR warrants that CONTRACTOR has the qualifications and ability to perform the Services in a professional manner, without the advice, control, or supervision of OUSD. CONTRACTOR's services will be performed, findings obtained, reports and recommendations prepared in accordance with generally and currently accepted principles and practices of its profession for services to California school districts.
6. **Invoicing:** Invoices furnished by CONTRACTOR under this Agreement must be in a form acceptable to OUSD. All amounts paid by OUSD shall be subject to audit by OUSD. Invoices shall include, but not be limited to: Contractor name, Contractor address, invoice date, invoice number, purchase order number, name of school or department service was provided to, period of service, name of the person performing the service, date service was rendered, brief description of services provided, number of hours of service, hourly rate, total payment requested.
7. **Notices:** All notices and invoices provided for under this Agreement shall be in writing and either personally delivered during normal business hours or sent by U.S. Mail (certified, return receipt requested) with postage prepaid to the other party at the address set forth below:

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OUSD Representative:

Name: TINA TRANZOR
Site /Dept.: 211-MONTERA
Address: 5555 Ascot Drive
Oakland, CA 94611
Phone: 510-531-6070

CONTRACTOR:

Name: Yari Sandel
Title: Owner
Address: 3520 brook street apt 18
Lafayette, CA 94549
Phone: 5123637363

Notice shall be effective when received if personally served or, if mailed, three days after mailing. Either party must give written notice of a change of address.

8. **Status of Contractor:** This is not an employment contract. CONTRACTOR, in the performance of this Agreement, shall be and act as an independent contractor. CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that it and all of its employees shall not be considered officers, employees, agents, partner, or joint venture of OUSD, and are not entitled to benefits of any kind or nature normally provided employees of OUSD and/or to which OUSD's employees are normally entitled, including, but not limited to, State Unemployment Compensation or Worker's Compensation. CONTRACTOR shall assume full responsibility for payment of all Federal, State, and local taxes or contributions, including unemployment insurance, social security and income taxes with respect to CONTRACTOR's employees. In the performance of the work herein contemplated, CONTRACTOR is an independent contractor or business entity, with the sole authority for controlling and directing the performance of the details of the work, OUSD being interested only in the results obtained.

9. **Insurance:**

1. Unless specifically waived by OUSD, the following insurance is required:

i. If CONTRACTOR employs any person to perform work in connection with this Agreement, CONTRACTOR shall procure and maintain at all times during the performance of such work, Workers' Compensation Insurance in conformance with the laws of the State of California and Federal laws when applicable. Employers' Liability Insurance shall not be less than One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per accident or disease.

Check one of the boxes below:

CONTRACTOR is aware of the provisions of Section 3700 of the Labor Code which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and will comply with such provisions before commencing the performance of the Work of this Contract.

CONTRACTOR does not employ anyone in the manner subject to the workers' compensation laws of California.

ii. CONTRACTOR shall maintain Commercial General Liability insurance, including automobile coverage with limits of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence for bodily injury and property damage. The coverage shall be primary as to OUSD and shall name OUSD as an additional insured. Evidence of insurance must be attached. Endorsement of OUSD as an additional insured shall not affect OUSD's rights to any claim, demand, suit or judgment made, brought or recovered against CONTRACTOR. The policy shall protect CONTRACTOR and OUSD in the same manner as though each were separately issued. Nothing in said policy shall operate to increase the Insurer's liability as set forth in the policy beyond the amount or amounts shown or to which the Insurer would have been liable if only one interest were named as an insured.

iii. If CONTRACTOR is offering OUSD professional advice under this Contract, CONTRACTOR shall maintain Errors and Omissions insurance or Professional Liability insurance with coverage limits of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per claim.

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iv. CONTRACTOR is not required to maintain any insurance under this agreement. (Completed and approved Waiver of Insurance Form is required.) Waiver of insurance does not release CONTRACTOR from responsibility for any claim or demand.

10. **Licenses and Permits:** CONTRACTOR shall obtain and keep in force all licenses, permits, and certificates necessary for the performance of this Agreement.

11. **Assignment:** The obligations of CONTRACTOR under this Agreement shall not be assigned by CONTRACTOR without the express prior written consent of OUSD.

12. **Non-Discrimination:** It is the policy of OUSD that in connection with all work performed under Contracts there be no discrimination because of race, color, ancestry, national origin, religious creed, physical disability, medical condition, marital status, sexual orientation, gender, or age; therefore, CONTRACTOR agrees to comply with applicable Federal and California laws including, but not limited to, the California Fair Employment and Housing Act beginning with Government Code Section 12900 and Labor Code Section 1735 and OUSD policy. In addition, CONTRACTOR agrees to require like compliance by all its subcontractor(s). CONTRACTOR shall not engage in unlawful discrimination in employment on the basis of actual or perceived; race, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, veteran status, gender, sex or sexual orientation.

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access to student data only where permissible under state and federal law and only after executing OUSD's Confidentiality Agreement Regarding Student Data.

- 23. Conflict of Interest: CONTRACTOR shall abide by and be subject to all applicable OUSD policies, regulations, statutes or other laws regarding conflict of interest. CONTRACTOR shall not hire any officer or employee of OUSD to perform any service by this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR affirms to the best of his/her/its knowledge, there exists no actual or potential conflict of interest between CONTRACTOR's family, business or financial interest and the services provided under this Agreement, and in the event of change in either private interest or services under this Agreement, any question regarding possible conflict of interest which may arise as a result of such change will be brought to OUSD's attention in writing.

Through its execution of this Agreement, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that it is familiar with the provisions of section 1090 et seq. and section 87100 et seq. of the Government Code of the State of California, and certifies that it does not know of any facts which constitute a violation of said provisions. In the event CONTRACTOR receives any information subsequent to execution of this Agreement which might constitute a violation of said provisions, CONTRACTOR agrees it shall notify OUSD in writing.

- 24. Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion: CONTRACTOR certifies to the best of his/her/its knowledge and belief, that it and its principals: Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any Federal department or agency according to Federal Acquisition Regulation Subpart 9.4, and by signing this contract, certifies that this vendor does not appear on the Excluded Parties List. (https://www.epls.gov/eplis/search.do)
25. Litigation: This Agreement shall be performed in Oakland, California and is governed by the laws of the State of California. The Alameda County Superior Court shall have jurisdiction over any state court litigation initiated to enforce or interpret this Agreement. If litigation is initiated, the prevailing party shall be entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs.
26. Incorporation of Recitals and Exhibits: The Recitals and each exhibit attached hereto are hereby incorporated herein by reference.
27. Integration/Entire Agreement of Parties: This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes all prior discussions, negotiations, and agreements, whether oral or written. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by a written instrument executed by both Parties.
28. Counterparts: This Agreement and all amendments and supplements to it may be executed in counterparts, and all counterparts together shall be construed as one document.
29. Signature Authority: Each party has the full power and authority to enter into and perform this Agreement, and the person signing this Agreement on behalf of each Party has been given the proper authority and empowered to enter into this Agreement.
30. Contract Contingent on Governing Board Approval: OUSD shall not be bound by the terms of this Agreement until it has been formally approved by OUSD's Governing Board, and no payment shall be owed or made to CONTRACTOR absent formal approval. This Agreement shall be deemed to be approved when it has been signed by the Board of Education, and/or the Superintendent as its designee.

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CONTRACTOR

MARIA SANTOS 10/10/2013
[] President, Board of Education
[X] Superintendent or Designee
Secretary, Board of Education Date 12/21/13

Yari Sandel 11/11/2013
Contractor eSignature Date
Yari Sandel, Owner
Print Name, Title

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By: [Signature]

2. **Specific Outcomes:** What are the expected outcomes from the services of this Contract? Be specific. For example, as a result of the service(s): 1) How many more Oakland children are graduating from high school? 2) How many more Oakland children are attending school 95% or more? 3) How many more students have meaningful internships and/or paying jobs? 4) How many more Oakland children have access to, and use, the health services they need? Provide details of program participation (Students will...) and measurable outcomes (Participants will be able to...). NOT THE GOALS OF THE SITE OR DEPARTMENT.

* The Consultant will provide support to 40-70 youth who are experiencing barriers to learning due to conflict and connect them to restorative justice services. In previous years, almost 100% of these students have graduated from high school. The Peer RJ program augments other efforts within OUSD to reduce truancy and foster academic achievement.

* 5-10 Youth RJ Leaders in the program will learn how to: be a peer leader, practice effective communication skills, express personal feelings and needs, listen without taking sides, problem-solve, improve school climate, and gain experience in civic participation within their school community. These efforts support students in the program to be prepared for success in college and future careers.

* Restorative Justice and Conflict Resolution education is part of the District's overall violence prevention strategy. This program will increase the feeling of safety and support in participating schools and aid in raising attendance and graduation rates.

3. **Alignment with District Strategic Plan:** Indicate the goals and visions supported by the services of this contract: (Check all that apply.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure a high quality instructional core | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Prepare students for success in college and careers |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Develop social, emotional and physical health | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safe, healthy and supportive schools |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Create equitable opportunities for learning | <input type="checkbox"/> Accountable for quality |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High quality and effective instruction | <input type="checkbox"/> Full service community district |

4. **Alignment with Community School Strategic Site Plan – CSSSP (required if using State or Federal Funds):**

Please select:

Action Item included in Board Approved CSSSP: (no additional documentation required)

– Item Number(s): Not Applicable
No Restricted Funds

Action Item added as modification to Board Approved CSSSP – Submit the following documents to the Resource Manager either electronically via email of scanned documents, fax or drop off.

1. Relevant page of CSSSP with action item highlighted. Page must include header with the word "Modified", modification date, school site name, both principal and school site council chair initials and date.
2. Meeting announcement for meeting in which the CSSSP modification was approved.
3. Minutes for meeting in which the CSSSP modification was approved indicating approval of the modification.
4. Sign-in sheet for meeting in which the CSSSP modification was approved.



ContractsOnline: Contract Waiver Summary

Site Number-Name: 211-MONTERA

Principal / Department Head: TINA TRANZOR

Contractor Name: Yari Sandel

Business Name: Yari Sandel

Contract Type: Standard

Anticipated Start Date: 08/13/2013

Contract End Date: 06/30/2014

Rate Type: HOURLY

Contract Amount: \$4,980.00

Applicable Waivers

Approved by Risk Management

Insurance-Reduction Waiver Status: NA

Waiver-Reduction Type: \$1,000,000 Required

Other Reduction Amount: NA

Approval Date:

Approved by Deputy Superintendent

Billing Waiver Status: NA

Approval Date:

Fingerprint Waiver Status: NA

Approval Date:

TB Test Waiver Status: NA

Approval Date:

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B.A. Peace and Conflict Studies
University of California, Berkeley

May, 2011
GPA 3.8, Honors

Community & Workplace Mediation
Taught by Marvin Schwartz

June 2011
Freemont, CA

Multi-Cultural Mediation

Taught by Edith Ng, UC Berkeley Peace & Conflict Department

May 2011
Berkeley, CA

Circle Process

*Taught by Sujatha Baliga, Restorative Justice Committee,
UC Berkeley Law School*

March 2011
Berkeley, CA

Public Officer Safety Training (POST)
Riverside County Sheriff's Department

November, 2003
Riverside, CA

Berkeley Human Rights Review (peer reviewed)

Spring 2011

Consultant and Volunteer

SEEDS Community Resolution Center

Fall 2010-Present
Berkeley, CA

Extern for "A Sweeter Music" Fundraising Project

American Friends Service Committee

Winter 2009

San Francisco, CA

Senate Chair & Election Commissioner

Student Government Association of Austin Community College

Spring 2008-Spring 2009
Austin, TX

Volunteer Emergency Dispatcher

211 Emergency Services

Hurricane Ike, 2009
Austin, TX

Service Member: College & Career Counselor

AmeriCorps College For All Texans

Fall 2008 to Spring 2009
Austin, TX

Intern at State Capitol

Senator Judith Zaffirini

Spring 2009
Austin, TX

Conversational English Tutor

LifeWorks

Fall 2008 to Spring 2009
Austin, TX

Volunteer & Service Member

Phi Theta Kappa Honors Society

Fall 2006-Spring 2009
Austin, TX

Volunteer Gift Wrapper

Blue Santa, Austin Police Department

Winter 2006, 2008
Austin, TX

Public Safety Communications Officer

Riverside County Sheriff's Department

February 2003-October 2005
Riverside, CA

The UC Berkeley Leadership Award
The President's Volunteer Service Award
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