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OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Community Schools, Thriving Students

Memo

To Board of Education

From Tony Smith, Ph.D., Superintendent
 By: Maria Santos, Deputy Superintendent, Instruction, Leadership & Equity-in-Action
 Vernon Hal, Deputy Superintendent, Business & Operations *VH*

Board Meeting Date
(To be completed by Procurement) 12-14-11

Subject Resolution - Purchase of Cyber High Course Certifications - High School Network

Action Requested Approval of Board Resolution No. 1112-0074 - Authorizing the purchase of Cyber High course certifications for students enrolled in the Oakland Unified School District, for the period September 1, 2011 through August 31, 2012, in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00.

Background and Discussion

Cyber High is an electronic, standards-based state-approved program consisting of test and course certification that enables students to make-up and/or accrue course credits to earn their high school diploma. The goal of Cyber High is to integrate educational curriculum and technology in using the power of the electronic medium to break down barriers imposed by classroom walls and provide students with experiences and resources not possible in the traditional educational setting.

Cyber High's curriculum has been used in many ways; from the traditional classroom setting to alternative educational settings. Cyber High has met the needs of many schools throughout the United States. The Cyber High curriculum is fully accredited through Fresno Unified School District, Roosevelt High School, and is aligned with California State Content Standards and Frameworks. Selected courses also meet the University of California's A-G requirements.

Cyber High offers all students new opportunities for achievement and productivity so that they can compete for the jobs of the twenty-first century in the information economy.

Recommendation Approval of Board Resolution No. 1112-0074 - Authorizing the purchase of Cyber High course certifications for students enrolled in the Oakland Unified School District, for the period September 1, 2011 through August 31, 2012, in an amount not to exceed \$250,000.00.

Fiscal Impact Funding resource name: Title I Instruction, not to exceed \$250,000.00.

Attachments

- Board Resolution No. 1112-0074

**Resolution of
BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF THE OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

RESOLUTION NO. 1112-0074

**Authorizing the Purchase of 4,166 Cyber High course certifications for students enrolled
in the Oakland Unified School District**

WHEREAS, Cyber High is a comprehensive computer based, electronic program consisting of test and course certification that is available at some District school sites;

WHEREAS, Cyber High enables students to earn credits toward graduation by receiving instruction and taking tests through the internet; and

WHEREAS, the Cyber High curriculum is aligned with the Content Standards and Frameworks of California and many of the Cyber High School courses meet the A-G requirements of the University of California and California State University Systems; and

WHEREAS, all Cyber High School is licensed, copyrighted, owned, and maintained by the Fresno Unified School District; and

WHEREAS, in the 2008-09 to 2010-11 school years, more than thirty five thousand eight hundred ninety seven (35,897) Cyber High exams were taken and since the 2008-09 school year, 4,445 District students have taken Cyber High courses;

WHEREAS, to continue to provide District students with access to Cyber High for the period September 1, 2011 through August 31, 2012, the District seeks authorization to purchase 4,166 Cyber High course certifications (the equivalent of 20,833 course units) in an amount not to exceed \$250,000;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governing Board of the Oakland Unified School District hereby authorizes and approves purchase 4,166 Cyber High course certifications in an amount not to exceed \$250,000 using Title I-Instruction funds.

Passed by the following vote:

AYES: David Kakishiba, Gary Yee, Chris Dobbins,
Vice President Jumoke Hinton Hodge, President Jody London

NOES: None

ABSTAIN: None

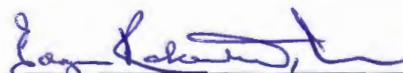
ABSENT: Noel Gallo, Alice Spearman

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a Resolution adopted, at a Regular Meeting of the Governing Board of the Oakland Unified School District held on December 14, 2011.

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Edgar Rakestraw, Jr.
Secretary, Board of Education