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MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable School Board Members

FROM: Kendra Goodman, CPPB, Purchasing Agent

SUBJECT: Statement of Work: The Princeton Review

Student Progress Monitoring Tool

On September 5, 2006, official action (attached) was taken to approve the first year's Statement of Work for a pilot program with The Princeton Review (TPR) for a student progress monitoring tool. This contract was a result of an Invitation to Negotiate, #06-091-AZ.

TPR provides online formative benchmark assessments through its proprietary system, Homeroom Assessment Center, to monitor student achievement throughout the year. Please refer to the attached memo from Ms. Sandy Ramos, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction, and Dr. Dave Scanga, Executive Director for Elementary Schools, for detailed information regarding the first year's pilot program, and plans for the second year's expansion.

Funding for this program expansion will be paid out of the Title I budget for participating elementary schools, and Title II funds for participating middle schools, Oakstead Elementary School (not a Title I school) will receive TPR services free of charge.

We are asking for Board approval of the attached negotiated Statement of Work, and permission to place a purchase order in the amount of \$406,075. Work has been continuing under the previously-approved first year Statement of Work, and will continue into this next phase immediately upon Board approval. Please feel free to call Ms. Ramos, Dr. Scanga, or me if you have any questions or concerns.

KDG/az Attachments

Date/Time: August 15, 2007 10:24:00