



# District School Board of Pasco County

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## **MEMORANDUM**

**TO:** Honorable School Board Members

**FROM:** Kendra Goodman, CPPB, Purchasing Agent

**SUBJECT:** One (1) Month Extension to Bid 06-110-MK, Speech Language Therapists and Assistants: Beth Ingram & Associates, Cobb Pediatric Speech Services, Community Rehab Associates and Independent Living Inc.

The District's current RFP for Speech Language Therapists and Assistants is due to expire on May 31, 2009. A new RFP has been solicited, and is currently being evaluated for award.

In order to ensure continuity of services to District students, Ms. Monica Verra, Director of Exceptional Student Education, has requested an extension of the existing RFP to June 30, 2009 (see attached memo). According to Ms. Janice Priolo, Audit Supervisor for the State of Florida Auditor General, this one (1)-month contract extension is authorized by Florida DOE Rule 6A-1.012(11)(a), regarding health services to students.

The vendors noted above have indicated in writing (attached) their willingness to extend the existing contract through June 30, 2009. We are therefore requesting Board approval of this extension, and permission to place purchase orders as needed to cover vendor services during this period. The estimated cost of \$70,000 will be funded through the IDEA Part B grant.

Please contact Ms. Verra or me at your earliest convenience if you have any questions or concerns.

KDG/az  
Attachments

Date/Time: May 13, 2009 10:47:00

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