

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois

MAY 6 - 1999

COUNTY OF COOK
AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

MULTIMEDIA NETWORK SOFTWARE AND COURSEWARE
DAWSON TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
KENNEDY-KING COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that there is a need to purchase software and courseware to provide full motion video-based instructional content for the computer lab at Dawson Technical Institute; and

that Dawson staff has reviewed and recommends Starlight Software, which is produced by Starlight Networks, Mountainview, California; and that the proposed purchase includes the software, 40 user licenses, the annual StarService Standard maintenance plan for one year, Windows NT, Bergwall Multimedia Courseware, and staff training; and

that Vision Consultants Inc., Eden Prairie, Minnesota, is the exclusive distributor and installer for Starlight software in this region and has proposed to provide and install the full software package and staff training at a total cost of \$42,583.50; and that travel costs for two representatives is estimated at \$1,000.00; and

that the purchase of software is exempt from competitive bid requirements.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of a purchase order in the total amount of \$42,583.50 to Vision Consultants Inc., Eden Prairie, Minnesota, for the Starlight Software and Bergwall Courseware as described above, plus estimated travel costs of \$1,000.00.

FINANCIAL

\$43,583.50 - Advanced Technology Grant

Respectfully submitted:

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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