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

AUTOMOTIVE TRAINING EQUIPMENT
AUTOMOTIVE PROGRAM
TRUMAN COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS that it is necessary to use Carl Perkins Grant Funds to purchase modern equipment for the training systems used in the Automotive Program at Truman College; staff recommends approval to purchase the following items: a Dis Scope and a Gas Analyzer; and that the equipment will assist the students with diagnostic procedures on distributors and solid state circuits, measuring the vehicle exhaust gases and performing up to date emission testing as required by the state; and

that bids were not solicited because Snap On Tools, is the sole manufacturer and distributor for the Dis Scope and Gas Analyzer and has submitted the required sole source documentation; the proposal price for the upgrade is \$14,576.00; and

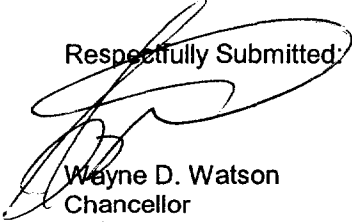
that this purchase is exempt from the District's competitive bidding requirements.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS that the Board of Trustees approve the issuance of a purchase order to Snap On Tools, Crestwood, IL in the total amount of \$14,576.00 for the purchase of a Dis Scope and Gas Analyzer for the Automotive Program at Truman College.

FINANCIAL \$14, 576.00 — TG02026 - Carl Perkins Grant Fund

Respectfully Submitted:


Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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