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

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PROFESSIONAL TECHNOLOGY TRAINING PROGRAM
ALL COLLEGES AND DISTRICT OFFICE

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REPORTS

that there is a need to utilize training grant funds to provide technology training to the IT Deans and their staff based on the specific technology needs at each campus and that the proposed training program will run from January 15, 2002 through June 30, 2002; and

that College staff received proposals from four firms with expertise in technology training, New Horizons, Chicago, Absolute Solutions, Chicago, Productivity Point, Chicago and MicroHead, Oakbrook; and that additionally New Horizons offers an online technical library of the latest reference books; and

that staff has reviewed and recommends acceptance of the proposal from New Horizons for training vouchers at the rate of \$270.00 per voucher for a total cost of \$37,800.00 to provide one hundred and forty (140) training vouchers for the college IT staff for the period of January 15, 2002 through June 30, 2002; and to provide one year online access for the college IT deans to New Horizons' technical libraries at a cost of \$1,000.00 per college.

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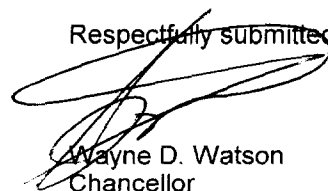
RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of a purchase order in the total amount of \$44,800.00 to New Horizons Computer Training Center, Chicago Illinois, for one hundred and forty (140) technology training vouchers and seven (7) online access accounts to New Horizons' technical libraries

FINANCIAL

\$44,800.00 – Initiative to Improve Faculty and Staff

Respectfully submitted:



Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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