

TRAINING AND COUNSELING SERVICES  
SCHOLARSHIP & GUIDANCE ASSOCIATION  
TRUMAN MIDDLE COLLEGE

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COUNTY OF COOK  
AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that there is a need to approve the continuation of the contract with Scholarship & Guidance Association (S & GA), Chicago, IL and Truman Middle College High School (TMCHS) for the provision of individual and group counseling services to students, training to faculty and consultation with the TMCHS Principal; and

that S & GA's goals are to assist the at-risk student population to improve coping skills and improve academic performance, work with parents, network with other social service agencies and to consult with staff in maintaining a unified learning strategies/behavioral intervention approach; the proposed contract serves 190 students, from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 and includes a licensed clinical social worker and a secretary for a total of \$45,000; S & GA has provided these services for the past 15 years for TMCHS; and

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

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees authorize the Chairman to enter into an agreement with Scholarship & Guidance Association, Chicago, IL to provide the necessary counseling and training services during the period of July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2004 in the total amount of \$45,000.00.

FINANCIAL

\$40,000.00 – 300530440 – Truants' Alt. and Optional Education Program Grant  
\$5,000 – 500750440 – Youth Connection Charter Schools

Respectfully Submitted:

Wayne D. Watson  
Chancellor

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