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

FURNITURE UPHOLSTERY  
TRUMAN COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that there is a need to have 400 older chairs and couches at Truman College upholstered to extend their useful life; and

that specifications were prepared by District Office staff for the material and labor to the furniture upholstery and the following responsive bids were received:

Firm	Total Cost
OEC Business Interiors, Inc. Elmhurst, IL	\$46,840.00
Burchell Upholstery Chicago, IL	\$47,240.00

that college staff has reviewed the bid results and has determined that the low bid from OEC Business Interiors meets the specifications; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced bid opportunity and has determined that OEC Business Interiors, Inc. is in compliance with the Board approved Contract Participation Plan based on it submitting a formal written request for a waiver from complying with our MBE and WBE goals and having demonstrated good faith efforts in identifying MBE and WBE subcontractors.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approve the issuance of a purchase order to OEC Business Interiors, Inc., Elmhurst, IL in the total amount of \$46,840.00 to complete the furniture upholstery at Truman College, in accordance with the specifications dated March 22, 2005.

FINANCIAL

\$46,840.00 – Educational Fund

Respectfully Submitted:

Wayne D. Watson  
Chancellor

May 5, 2005