

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

LIEBERT UPS MAINTENANCE SERVICES
OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
DISTRICT OFFICE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that in Board Report 27075, dated December 8, 2005, the Board approved a maintenance agreement for the Liebert Uninterruptible Power System (UPS) located at the District Office; and

that the Liebert UPS system provides uninterruptible electric power to all the critical equipment in the main computer room including the PeopleSoft production servers, the main connection to the internet for all sites and routing equipment between the colleges and District Office; and

that the UPS system was manufactured by Liebert; that Liebert Global Services (LGS) is the sole-source service provider and proposes to provide maintenance on the UPS at a cost of \$10,941.00 from February 18, 2007 through February 17, 2008; and

that OIT staff has determined that the proposal from Liebert Global Services is reasonable and acceptable, and recommends approval of the maintenance service agreement for the period indicated above; and

that this sole-source maintenance service is exempt from the District's competitive bidding requirements; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced uninterruptible electric power maintenance opportunity and since the manufacturing of the UPS system is exclusive and sole source to Liebert Global Services and there are no MBE or WBE vendors with the requested capabilities, it is recommended that a waiver from compliance with the Board approved Participation Plan.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approve an agreement in an amount not to exceed \$10,941.00 with Liebert Global Services to provide maintenance services for the Liebert UPS system from February 18, 2007 through February 17, 2008, and authorize the Chairman to execute the agreement.

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\$10,941.00– Educational Fund- 00003-0023001-80000-00000-0000000-530000

Respectfully submitted:

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