

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

Vehicle Purchase
Security Department
Truman College

REPORTS THE CHANCELLOR
that there is a need to purchase a hybrid vehicle for Truman College in order to provide security to students and staff at the temporary parking facilities; and

that approval is requested to purchase a 2008 hybrid gas Toyota Prius' from the City of Chicago competitively bid contract # (CN15300) awarded to Michael Roberts Enterprises, Inc. (dba Chicago Northside Toyota) in the amount of \$26,000; and

that contracts procured through another governmental agency are exempt from the District's competitive bidding process; and

that the Office of M/WBE Contract Compliance has reviewed the above referenced purchase and since the City of Chicago made two separate attempts to attract bidders to be in compliance and since there are no certified MBE or WBE dealers that handle hybrid gas and electric vehicles, therefore, a waiver from compliance with the Board approved Participation Plan is requested.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS that the Board of Trustees authorize the Chairman to issue a purchase order to Michael Roberts Enterprises, Inc. (dba Chicago Northside Toyota) for the total amount not to exceed \$26,000.00 for the purchase of a 2008 Toyota Prius' vehicle.

FINANCIAL \$26,000 – Capital Fund 92015 4070200 00073 00000 0000000 580000

Respectfully submitted:

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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