THE CHANCELLOR RECOMMENDS: that the Board of Trustees authorizes the Chair to amend the term of the agreement with the Illinois Department of Innovation and Technology ("DoIT") (formerly the Illinois Department of Central Management Services) in its capacity as owner and operator of the Illinois Century Network ("ICN"), to ensure continued Internet connectivity District-wide by establishing associated connectivity at Malcolm X College due to the sale of 226 W. Jackson, extending to a three year term, and to provide an additional $456,000 in spending authority, for a total cost not to exceed $566,000 for the contract term.

VENDOR: Illinois Department of Central Management Services
120 West Jefferson Street
Springfield, Illinois 62704

As Owner and Operator of:
Illinois Century Network ("ICN")
Regional Technology Center #1
James R. Thompson Center
100 West Randolph, Room 332
Chicago, Illinois 60601-3219

USER: District Wide

ORIGINAL TERM: The original term of the agreement shall commenced July 1, 2017 and ends June 30, 2018.

AMENDED TERM: The amended term of the agreement shall commence on July 1, 2017 and continue through June 30, 2021.

SCOPE OF SERVICES: Illinois Century Network provides the District with a dedicated 2,000 Megabits per second (Mbps) and up to 10,000 Mbps of Internet bandwidth speed. The increased upgrade will allow the District-wide Internet bandwidth to grow as needed up to the 10,000 Mbps over the next three years. This increased bandwidth will support general Internet usage (district-wide), an anticipated increase in student
population as well as prepare and support the OIT ecosystem for more Internet cloud based systems and applications. Additionally, this will establish the district wide Internet access connectivity at Malcom X College due to the sale of 226 W. Jackson.

**BENEFIT TO CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO:**
This solution will provide the District with affordable access to the Internet while allowing City Colleges of Chicago to meet the ever-increasing internet bandwidth demands for students, faculty and staff. Internet performance will increase as well as the quantity of Internet connections.

**VENDOR SELECTION CRITERIA:**
Pursuant to State law, the use of another governmental agency contract is exempt the District's competitive bidding requirements. The Illinois Century Network (ICN) was created in 1997 with the recommendation from the Higher Education Technology Task Force to create a single, statewide educational network. The ICN became reality in May of 1999 with the signing of legislation (20 ILCS 3921).

**MBE/WBE COMPLIANCE:**
The Office of Contract Compliance has reviewed the proposed agreement and recommends a waiver of the Board Approved Participation Plan due to the nature of the services ("internet access") and the absence of further subcontracting opportunities.

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:**
Inspector General – It shall be the duty of each party to the agreement to cooperate with the Inspector General for City Colleges of Chicago in any investigation conducted pursuant to the Inspector General’s authority under Article 2, Section 2.7.4(b) of the Board Bylaws.

Ethics – It shall be the duty of each party to the agreement to comply with the applicable Provisions of the Board’s Ethics Policy adopted January 7, 1993, and as amended by the Board.

Contingent Liability – Pursuant to Section 7-14 of the Illinois Public Community College Act, all agreements authorized herein shall contain a clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year.

**FINANCIAL:**
Total: $566,000
Charge to: Office of Information Technology
Source of Funds: Education Fund and Capital Fund
FY18: 575000-00003-0023004-80000
       575000-92015-0023004-80000

Respectfully submitted,

Juan Salgado
Chancellor

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