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**ADOPTED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
JULY 13, 2021**

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS**

**PURCHASE
WILLIAMS CROW INC DBA AIDEX CORPORATION
ADVANCED MANUFACTURING
Wilbur Wright College**

THE CHANCELLOR RECOMMENDS:

That the Board of Trustees approves the issuance of a purchase order to Williams Crow Inc DBA Aidex to provide Er-4i Robotic Training Cell from 7/13/2021 through 7/12/2022 at a total cost not to exceed \$74,000.

**VENDOR: Williams Crow Inc DBA Aidex
58 East South Street
PO Box 388
Rossville, IN 46065**

USER: Wilbur Wright College

TERM:

The term of the purchase shall begin on 7/13/2021 and shall end on 7/12/2022.

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

William Crow Inc D/B/A Aidex Certified Education Training programs and products to provide LR Mate 200iD/4S robot with educational tooling package and MH CERT Program.

The CERT training platform and instructor certification training provides students and instructors with curriculum and instructional guides. The FANUC CERT program and educational products can only be purchased and distributed solely from AIDEX and is only offered to educational institutions

BENEFIT TO CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO:

The LR Mate 200 iD/4S robot, CERT training platform and instructor certification training provides students and instructors with curriculum and instructional guides. As the Engineering and Computer Science Center of Excellence, the tooling package move engineering and advanced manufacturing concepts from theory to practice.

VENDOR SELECTION CRITERIA:

In accordance with sole source policy procedures, this service is exempt from the District's competitive bidding process.

MBE/WBE COMPLIANCE:

The Office of Procurement Services has reviewed the proposed agreement and recommends a waiver of the Board Approved Participation Plan due to the nature of the service ("robotics training and certification program") and lack of 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: \$74,000

Charge to: Wilbur Wright College

Sources of Funds: Workforce Equity Initiative FY21

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Respectfully submitted,

**Juan Salgado
Chancellor**

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