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**ADOPTED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES**  
**COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508**  
**May 4, 2023**

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

**RESOLUTION**  
**INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH CHICAGO**  
**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO UTILIZE THE GREENCORPS PROGRAM**  
**TO MAINTAIN CAMPUS GROUNDS AND PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES**  
**THE OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE AND PROCUREMENT SERVICES**  
**DISTRICT WIDE**

**WHEREAS**, the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act, 5 ILCS 220 et seq., as amended, authorizes public agencies to enter into agreements and contracts to perform any governmental service, activity, or undertaking authorized by law upon approval of their respective governing bodies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chicago Department of Transportation (CDOT) is responsible for the maintenance of public way infrastructure including plantings and green infrastructure, and Greencorps Chicago (Greencorps) is CDOT's green job training program for individuals with barriers to employment. Greencorps program trainees are provided diverse learning opportunities and hands on training experiences in careers like landscaping, tree care, ecological restoration, and brownfield remediation; and

**WHEREAS**, the Greencorps program has provided services to maintain District grounds since 2017 and the District has determined that it is advantageous to continue to utilize Greencorps to provide landscape maintenance services and promote sustainable practices to bring about long-term benefits to campus grounds; and

**WHEREAS**, CDOT and Greencorps will coordinate annually with the colleges to develop and the scope of work, establishing schedule and work priorities.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook and State of Illinois hereby authorizes the Chair, upon final approval of the General Counsel as to the legal form of such an agreement, to execute an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Chicago Department of Transportation for the utilization of the Greencorps program to maintain campus grounds and promote sustainable practices throughout the District on an ongoing basis for the period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2026 at a total cost not to exceed \$900,000. The agreement shall include one (1) option to renew for an additional two (2) year period.

**May 4, 2023 – The Office of Administrative and Procurement Services**