



AGENDA ITEM

Meeting Date:	6/18/2024 - 5:30 PM
Category:	TRANSPORTATION
Type:	Action
Subject:	21.5 AMENDMENT 5 to Transportation RFB 6834 for the 2023-2024 Athletics with the options to extend for the 2025 School Year and RFB 6834-A (Supplemental Transportation services for Athletics, McKinney Vento, Special Education)
District Goals:	Goal 4 Support Student Needs Establish inclusive learning communities that support students with diverse social and emotional needs for equitable student growth and development.
Enclosure:	Last Approved Resolution 21.2 for RFB 6834 BOCS Worksheet - Academy, VP Buses, First Student, Global
File Attachment:	 Approved 041724 - Amendment 4 - RFB 6834.pdf  BOCS Worksheet - Academy, VP Buses.pdf
Rationale:	<p>As required by the Yonkers Public Schools Board of Education, this is a request to amend approved resolution, dated as follows:</p> <p>WHEREAS, on September 21, 2022, the administration awarded ATHLETICS Transportation contracts for the 2022-2023 school year with the option to extend for the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years as per RFB-6834 to Academy Bus (2023-381) and VP Bus (2023-382); and</p> <p>WHEREAS, on November 16, 2022, the administration renewed the ATHLETICS Transportation contracts for the 2022-2023 school year with the option to extend for the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years as per RFB-6834-A to First Student (2023-449) and Global Transportation (2023-452); and</p> <p>WHEREAS, on June 21, 2023, the administration renewed the ATHLETICS Transportation contracts for the 2023-2024 school year as per RFB-6834-A with a CPI of 3.5%; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, on July 19, 2023, the administration renewed the ATHLETICS Transportation contracts for the 2023-2024 school year as per RFB-6834 in the amount of \$1,500,000; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, on February 28, 2024, the administration decreased First Student (2023-449) by \$250,000 and Global Transportation (2023-452) by \$623,900; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, on April 17, 2024, the administration rescinded Global Transportation amendment from February 28, 2024 and increased Academy Bus (2023-381) by \$600,000 and VP Bus (2023-382) by \$250,000; and</p>

WHEREAS, the administration is seeking further increases in the amount of \$350,000 as follows:

Academy Bus (2023-381) increase of \$200,000 bringing contract to a total of \$1,400,000.00 for the 2023-2024 school year.

VP Bus (2023-382) increase of \$150,000 bringing contract to a total of \$1,300,000.00 for the 2023-2024 school year.

Funding:

450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000381
450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000382

Sponsored By:

Dr. Fenix Arias & Andrew Geldmacher

Resolution

WHEREAS, the Yonkers Public Schools Board of Education wishes to increase the existing contracts due to the nationwide driver and vehicle shortage to the following awarded RFB 6834 vendors: Academy Bus Company, Contract 2023-0381; VP Buses LLC, Contract 2023-0382; Academy Bus Company, increase existing contract up to, \$200,000.00; VP Buses LLC, increase existing contract up to, \$150,000.00; increase existing contracts up a combined \$350,000.00. As the mentioned vendors on resolution to provide Athletics transportation services for the 2023-24 SY with the option to extend to 2025.

WHEREAS, the following is contingent upon the Yonkers Public Schools' actual utilization of the aforementioned line items and transportation services; and WHEREAS the district administration has designed in conjunction with Academy Bus Company, VP Buses LLC, First Student and Global Transportation.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Yonkers Board of Education authorizes the Superintendent of Schools to enter into transportation contract negotiations and agreements for the 2023-2024 school year.

It is acknowledged and agree that pursuant to the terms of that certain inter municipal agreement by and between the City of Yonkers Board of Education ("BOE") and the City of Yonkers (the "City") as filed in the Office of the City Clerk on JUNE 16, 2014 the terms of this agreement are subject to review and revision by the Corporation Counsel, as well as approval by the City's Board of Contracts and Supply. Furthermore, this agreement shall not be enforceable until signed by all parties and approved by the Corporation Counsel's Office.

Approvals:

Recommended By:

Signed By:



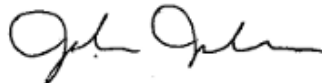
Andrew Geldmacher - Director of Transportation

Signed By:



Dr. Fenix Arias - Manager of Administration

Signed By:



Finance Department - Finance Reviewer

Signed By:



Tom Collich - Purchasing Director


Signed By:



Elizabeth Janocha - Deputy Commissioner

Signed By: 

John Liszewski - Commissioner

Signed By: 

Matthew Gallagher - Corporation Counsel

Signed By: 

Anibal Soler, Jr. - Superintendent of Schools

Vote Results:

Original Motion

Member **Felix Rios** Moved, Member **Sheila Greenwald** seconded to approve the **Original** motion 'WHEREAS, the Yonkers Public Schools Board of Education wishes to increase the existing contracts due to the nationwide driver and vehicle shortage to the following awarded RFB 6834 vendors: Academy Bus Company, Contract 2023-0381; VP Buses LLC. Contract 2023-0382; Academy Bus Company, increase existing contract up to, \$200,000.00; VP Buses LLC, increase existing contract up to, \$150,000.00; increase existing contracts up a combined \$350,000.00. As the mentioned vendors on resolution to provide Athletics transportation services for the 2023-24 SY with the option to extend to 2025.

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The motion **Carried 6 - 0**

Kevin Cacace	Yes
Dr. Rosalba Corrado Del Vecchio	Yes
Gail Burns	Yes
Sheila Greenwald	Yes
Rosemarie Linton	Yes
Felix Rios	Yes

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEW CONTRACTS</u>	
Vendor Name:	
Term/Duration of Contract:	
Amount of Contract:	
Account: (general fund, grant, capital)	
Scope/Services:	
Form of Procurement Undertaken: (GML 103-competitive sealed bidding; GML 104b-not subject to competitive sealed bidding)	
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTRACT AMENDMENTS</u>	
Contract No. / Vendor Name:	2023-00000381 - Academy Bus Company, Inc.
Original Term of Contract:	2022 - 2023 Academic Year
Original Contract Amount & Date of BOE/BOCS Approval:	\$100,000 - BOE 9/21/2022, BOCS 9/29/2022
Scope:	Provide transportation for athletics for the 2023- 2024 school year
Details of Previous Amendments:	Amendment 1, BOE 2/15/2023, BOCS 3/2/2023: increased the aggregate by \$900,000. Amendment 2, BOE 7/19/2023, BOCS 8/1/2023: increased the aggregate by \$600,000. Amendment 3, BOE 04/17/2024, BOCS 05/07/2024: increased the aggregate by \$600,000, bringing contract to a total of \$1,200,000.00 for the 2023-2024 school year.
Details of New Amendment:	Increase the aggregate by \$200,000
Account:(general fund, grant, capital)	450.5142.100000.2900.B2307
Form of procurement:(GML 103-GML 104b)	GML 103
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	Dr. Fenix N. Arias

<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NEW CONTRACTS</u>	
Vendor Name:	
Term/Duration of Contract:	
Amount of Contract:	
Account: (general fund, grant, capital)	
Scope/Services:	
Form of Procurement Undertaken: (GML 103-competitive sealed bidding; GML 104b-not subject to competitive sealed bidding)	
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTRACT AMENDMENTS</u>	
Contract No. / Vendor Name:	2023-00000382 - VP Buses LLC
Original Term of Contract:	2022 - 2023 Academic Year
Original Contract Amount & Date of BOE/BOCS Approval:	\$400,000 - BOE 9/21/2022, BOCS 9/29/2022
Scope:	Provide transportation for athletics for the 2022- 2023 school year
Details of Previous Amendments:	Amendment 1, BOE 2/15/2023, BOCS 3/2/2023: increased the aggregate by \$600,000. Amendment 2, BOE 7/19/2023, BOCS 8/1/2023: increased the aggregate by \$900,000. Amendment 3, BOE 04/17/2024, BOCS 05/07/2024: \$250,000.00 for VP Buses LLC, bringing contract 2023-0382 to total of \$1,150,000.00 for the SY23-24
Details of New Amendment:	Increase the aggregate by \$150,000
Account:(general fund, grant, capital)	450.5142.100000.2900.B2307
Form of procurement:(GML 103-GML 104b)	GML 103
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	Dr. Fenix N. Arias

AGENDA ITEM

Meeting Date:	4/17/2024 - 5:30 PM
Category:	TRANSPORTATION
Type:	Action
Subject:	21.2 AMENDMENT 3 to Transportation RFB 6834 for the 2023-2024 Athletics with the options to extend for the 2025 School Year and RFB 6834-A (Supplemental Transportation services for Athletics, McKinney Vento, Special Education)
District Goals:	Goal 4 Support Student Needs Establish inclusive learning communities that support students with diverse social and emotional needs for equitable student growth and development.
Enclosure:	Original and Amended BOE/BOCS Approved Resolutions BOCS - Academy, VP Buses, Global Transportation
File Attachment:	 Resolution 20.2 - Amendment 1, 2 - Athletics - RFB 6834.pdf  BOCS Worksheet - Academy, VP Buses, First Student, Global - TCollich Correction - 2.pdf
Rationale:	<p>As required by the Yonkers Public Schools Board of Education, this is a request to amend approved resolution, dated as follows:</p> <p>09/21/22 - Awarded SY22-23 in the original contractual amount of \$500,000.00; (Academy \$100,000, VP Buses LLC \$400,000.00)</p> <p>02/15/23 - Amendment 1 - Increase award for SY22-23 in the contractual amount of \$1,500,000.00. (Academy \$900,000, VP Buses LLC \$600,000.00)</p> <p>07/19/23 - Amendment 2 - Awarded for SY23-24 contracts in the amount of \$1,500,000.00. (Academy \$600,000, VP Buses LLC \$900,000.00)</p> <p>Currently requesting an increase to the SY23-24 award in the amount of \$850,000.00 (Academy \$600,000, VP Buses LLC \$250,000.00), adjusting the current contract totals to \$2,350,000.00.</p> <p>- \$600,000 for Academy Bus Company, bringing contract 2023-0381 to a total of \$1,200,000.00 for the SY23-24. Total of contract in its entirety is \$2,200,000.00 (BOCS Approval 02/17/23 - Resolution #20.2 - Amendment 1; 09/28/23 - Resolution #20.3 - Awarded);</p> <p>- \$250,000.00 for VP Buses LLC, bringing contract 2023-0382 to a total of \$1,150,000.00 for the SY23-24. Total of contract in its entirety is \$2,150,000.00. (BOCS Approval 02/17/23 - Resolution #20.2 - Amendment 1; 09/28/23 - Resolution #20.3 - Awarded);</p> <p>- Rescinding approved 02/28/24 resolution - Global Transportation - (BOCS Approval 02/28/24 - Resolution #19.2 - Amendment 1; 06/21/23 - Resolution #22.6 - Awarded)</p>
Funding:	450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000381 450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000382

450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000449
450.5142.100000.2900.B2307; Contract 2023-00000452
And various grants.

Sponsored By:

Dr. Fenix Arias

Resolution

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Academy Bus Company, increase existing contract up to, \$600,000.00; VP Buses LLC, increase existing contract up to, \$250,000.00; Rescinding approved Global Transportation resolution dated 02/28/2024, increase existing contracts up a combined \$850,000.00.

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Approvals:

Recommended By:

Signed By:



Dr. Fenix Arias - Manager of Administration

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Finance Department - Finance Reviewer

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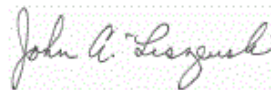
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The motion **Carried 8 - 0**

Lawrence Sykes	Yes
Rosemarie Linton	Yes
Gail Burns	Yes
Sheila Greenwald	Yes
Dr. John Castanaro	Yes
Dr. Rosalba Corrado Del Vecchio	Yes
Rev. Steve Lopez	Yes
Kevin Cacace	Yes

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Manager and Department Requesting Services:	
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTRACT AMENDMENTS</u>	
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Original Term of Contract:	2022 - 2023 Academic Year
Original Contract Amount & Date of BOE/BOCS Approval:	\$100,000 - BOE 9/21/2022, BOCS 9/29/2022
Scope:	Provide transportation for athletics for the 2022- 2023 school year
Details of Previous Amendments:	Amendment 1, BOE 2/15/2023, BOCS 3/2/2023: increased the aggregate by \$900,000. Amendment 2, BOE 7/19/2023, BOCS 8/1/2023: increased the aggregate by \$600,000 and exercised the option to renew and extended the term to 6/30/2024.
Details of New Amendment:	Increase the aggregate by \$600,000
Account:(general fund, grant, capital)	450.5142.100000.2900.B2307
Form of procurement:(GML 103-GML 104b)	GML 103
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	Dr. Fenix N. Arias

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Form of Procurement Undertaken: (GML 103-competitive sealed bidding; GML 104b-not subject to competitive sealed bidding)	
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTRACT AMENDMENTS</u>	
Contract No. / Vendor Name:	2023-00000382 - VP Buses LLC
Original Term of Contract:	2022 - 2023 Academic Year
Original Contract Amount & Date of BOE/BOCS Approval:	\$400,000 - BOE 9/21/2022, BOCS 9/29/2022
Scope:	Provide transportation for athletics for the 2022- 2023 school year
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Details of New Amendment:	Increase the aggregate by \$250,000
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Form of procurement:(GML 103-GML 104b)	GML 103
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	Dr. Fenix N. Arias

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Scope/Services:	
Form of Procurement Undertaken: (GML 103-competitive sealed bidding; GML 104b-not subject to competitive sealed bidding)	
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	
<u>RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CONTRACT AMENDMENTS</u>	
Contract No. / Vendor Name:	2023-00000452 - Global Transportation
Original Term of Contract:	2022 - 2023 Academic Year
Original Contract Amount & Date of BOE/BOCS Approval:	\$1,215,000.00 - BOE 11/16/2022, BOCS 11/23/2022
Scope:	Provide transportation for athletics for the 2022- 2023 school year
Details of Previous Amendments:	Amendment 1, BOE 06/21/2023, BOCS 07/06/2023: increased the aggregate by \$900,000 and exercised the option to renew and extended the term to 6/30/2024.
Details of New Amendment:	
Account:(general fund, grant, capital)	450.5142.100000.2900.B2307
Form of procurement:(GML 103-GML 104b)	GML 103
Manager and Department Requesting Services:	Dr. Fenix N. Arias