

Action Item - 16

Title: Contract for Professional Structural Engineering Design Services with Various Vendors - IDIQ (\$8,000,000)

Board of Education Meeting Date: 5/29/2025

Action Under Consideration:

The Administration recommends that the Board of Education authorize The School District of Philadelphia, through the Superintendent or his designee, to execute and perform a contract, subject to funding, as follows:

With:

Gannett Fleming, Inc.
Remington & Vernick Engineers
DCI Engineers
Pennoni Associates, Inc.

Purpose:

For professional structural engineering design services on an as-needed basis

Start date: 5/30/2025

End Date: 5/30/2028

Compensation not to exceed:

\$8,000,000

Separate Compensation by Contractor:

All entities will be paid out of the aggregate amount, not to exceed \$8,000,000

Location:

All Schools

Renewal Option:

Number of options: 2; Duration of each option: 1 year

Maximum Compensation authorized per option period:

Each option is for an extension of time to complete the contract at no additional compensation.

Description:

Why is this contract needed?

The Office of Capital Programs has determined the need to engage professional structural engineering design firms to complete design documentation and permitting

for projects outlined in the Capital Improvement Plan (CIP). Utilizing a pool of qualified firms offers the most efficient approach for the District to carry out design work and meet critical project deadlines.

Note: IDIQ is an abbreviation of the term indefinite delivery/indefinite quantity. This is a type of contract that provides for an indefinite quantity of supplies or services during a fixed period of time.

How will the success of this contract be measured?

The services of the approved firms will be evaluated based on their ability to meet project milestones and remain within the approved budget.

Which Goal and/or Guardrail does this Action Item support?

Has this investment been discussed during a progress monitoring session?

Which session?

Guardrail 1 - Every school will be a safe, welcoming, and healthy place where our students, staff, and community want to be and learn each day. This means that our schools will be: 1) environmentally safe and clean; and 2) spaces with inclusive climates that provide students with access to robust social, emotional, and mental health supports.

Does this Action Item support a specific strategy/intervention identified in the Strategic Plan?

N/A

Related resolution(s)/action item(s)

N/A

Funding Source(s)

FY25 to FY28 Capital Funds

Office Originating Request:

Operations - Capital Programs