

## **Action Item - 19**

**Title:** Amendment of Contracts with Various Vendors for Heavy Duty Equipment Rental (\$400,000)

**Board of Education Meeting Date:** 3/27/2025

### **Action Under Consideration**

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

**With:**

Herc Rentals, Inc.  
Eastern Lift Truck Co.  
United Rentals

**Purpose:**

To contract with heavy duty equipment rental contractors for the rental and repair of heavy-duty equipment

**Originally Authorized Start date:** 4/21/2023

**Originally Authorized End date:** 6/30/2026

**Amended Authorized End Date:** 6/30/2027

**Currently Authorized Compensation:** \$160,000

**Additional Compensation by Contractor:**

\$400,000

**Total New Compensation:** All entities will be paid out of the new total aggregate amount not to exceed \$560,000

**Location:**

All Schools

**Renewal Option(s):**

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

**Maximum Compensation authorized per option period, per contractor:**

All vendors will be paid out of an aggregate amount not to exceed \$400,000 per option period.

**Description:****Why is this contract needed?**

The Office of Facilities Management and Services has identified a need to extend this contract for another year with additional funding to support the cost of emergency repairs and unforeseen circumstances at District facilities. This contract is necessary for the rental of heavy-duty equipment to perform repairs, preventive maintenance, and yearly certifications of District facilities. These items include but are not limited to the following:

- Scissor Lifts- 15'-70'
- Articulating Boom Lifts- 40' to 85" Warehouse Forklifts
- Skid Steer Loaders- Small, Large
- Track Loaders- Small, Large
- Ride-on Double Smooth-drum Vibratory Roller
- Hydraulic Ground Level Equipment Trailer
- Portable/temporary lighting

Heavy-duty equipment rentals are necessary for efficiently addressing many of our larger projects that require high reach, grading, and the movement of equipment and supplies. The use of heavy-duty equipment is essential for the safety of our students, staff, and community.

**How will the success of this contract be measured?**

The contractor was selected through a competitive quote process and will be assigned work by the Office of Facilities Management and Services. The department will monitor the work for quality and completeness.

**If this is the continuation of a contract, how has success been measured in the past, and what specific information do we have to show that it was successful?**

The success has been measured by the ability of the contractor to provide the requested equipment in a timely manner and within cost estimations.

**Related resolution(s)/action item(s)**

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**Funding Source(s)**

FY24-25 Operating

FY25-26 Operating

FY26-27 Operating

**Office Originating Request:**

Operations - Facilities