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August 19, 2014

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable School Board Members

FROM: Nicole Westmoreland, Purchasing Agent *NW*

SUBJECT: Request Permission to Negotiate: Pharmacy Benefit Management Services

Since November 2011, the District has contracted with Envision Pharmaceutical Services (Envision) for provision of pharmacy benefit management services to District employees. The third year of three-year contract will expire on December 31, 2014.

The Office for Human Resources and Educator Quality is requesting assistance in negotiating with two (2) companies: Envision, and Welldyne Rx (Welldyne), a local pharmacy benefit management provider. Please see the attached memo from Ms. Christine Pejot, Director, for detailed information. The District is permitted to negotiate for provision of these types of services by Florida Administrative Rule 6A-1.012(15).

A final contract outlining benefits, terms, conditions and pricing will be brought back to the Board for approval. Please contact Ms. Pejot or me if you have any questions or concerns.

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Attachment

Date/Time: August 13, 2014 08:53:00




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DATE: August 19, 2014
TO: Nicole Westmoreland, Purchasing Agent
FROM: Christine E. Pejot, Esq., Director 
RE: 2015 Renewal - Request to Negotiate Pharmacy

On November 1, 2011, the Board gave approval for a contract with Envision Pharmaceutical Services (Envision) to provide pharmacy benefit management services for Pasco School Board employees. This was a three (3) year contract that will expire on December 31, 2014. The contract is on file in Purchasing Services.

The District is permitted to negotiate for provision of these types of services by Florida Administrative Rule 6A-1.012(15). Accordingly, Envision was contacted to determine if they could continue to provide these services; however, the District recently became aware of Welldyne Rx (Welldyne), a local pharmacy benefit management provider. Welldyne offers pharmacy benefit management services comparable to Envision. Therefore the District would like to extend an invitation to negotiate to Welldyne for pharmacy benefit management services.

At this time, I am requesting your assistance in obtaining the Board's approval to negotiate with Envision and Welldyne for pharmacy benefit management services effective January 1, 2015. If you have questions or need any additional information, please call me. As always, I appreciate the assistance that we have received from you and your staff during this process.