



TO: Roger Breed, Ed.D.
Commissioner of Education

FROM: Sharon Katt, Administrator, Adult Program Services; Vicki Bauer, Director, Adult Education

SUBJECT: Approval of Adult Education Grant Awards in Omaha

Proposed Board Action:

Grant the Commissioner the authority to approve funding recommendations for the federally funded Adult Education program in the area previously served by Omaha Public Schools.

Background Information:

After 45+ years, Omaha Public Schools ceased sponsoring the Adult Education (AE) program on June 30, 2012. In order to serve those current and future adults in the area where the Omaha Public Schools AE program provided ABE/GED/ESL classes, an open competition for the funds was held. Metropolitan Community College was the only entity that submitted proposals for both the regular Adult Education and EL/Civics programs. Upon review by the proposal review committee, the Adult Education section recommends up to the following amounts to be granted to Metropolitan Community College:
Regular Adult Education: \$230,000 EL/Civics: \$24,000

Estimated Cost:

The maximum cost of these projects is estimated to be \$254,000.

Supporting Documentation Included:

NA

For Additional Information on this item:

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