

## **Contracts awarded for furniture and related items**

New contracts for furniture and related items were awarded at the January 2018 board meeting of Harris County Department of Education and are accessible through HCDE Choice Partners cooperative. Governmental entities that have signed an interlocal contract with HCDE may access these legally procured contracts.

Newly awarded contracts include

**Furniture and Related Items:** Carroll's Discount Office Furniture; Indiana Furniture Industries, Inc. d/b/a Indiana Furniture; J.R., Inc.; Kimball Office Inc.; Stylex; and Velocity Office Products, LLC d/b/a Velocity Business Products for the contract period 01/24/2018 through 01/23/2019.

Other contracts that were renewed and are effective immediately through Choice Partners include

**IDIQ Roofing, Waterproofing & Moisture Control with the following vendors:** Atlas Universal, D & G Quality Roofing, Inc., for the period 02/25/2018 through 02/24/2019;

**Janitorial Services with the following vendors:** Ambassador Services, LLC; Hospitality Cleaning Solutions and Metroclean Commercial Building Services for the period 02/24/2018 through 02/23/2019;

**Indoor Outdoor LED Lighting with the following vendors:** Eco Induction Systems, LLC dba ESI Lighting; Summit Electric Supply Co., Inc.; Unified Sunergy Systems, LLC and XtraLight Manufacturing, Ltd from 02/23/2018 through 02/22/2019;

**Early Childhood Supplies and Related Items with the following vendors:** Complete Book and Media Supply, LLC; Express Booksellers, LLC d/b/a Express Booksellers; Kaplan Early Learning Company; Learning Resources d/b/a Educational Insights; National Educational Systems; S&S Worldwide, Inc.; and Varsity Brands Holding Company, Inc, BSN Sports LLC d/b/a US Games from 02/23/2018 through 02/22/2019;

**Technology Products & Services with the following vendors:** Barnes & Noble Booksellers, Inc.; Double M Laser Products Inc. dba Enhanced Laser Products (ELP); Houston Information Team, LLC (HIT); Insource Technology Direct, LLC; iTech Enterprises dba iTech Solutions, LyncVerse Technologies, Inc.; Netsync Network Solutions; NWN Corporation; Phonoscope Enterprises Group, LLC dba Phonoscope Cable, PS LightWave, Inc.; Rugged Protection, LLC; Set Solutions, Inc., SHI/Government Solutions and True North Consulting Group, LLC for the period 02/24/2018 through 02/23/2019;

**Moving, Storage and Related Items with the following vendors:** A-Rocket Moving & Delivery, Inc. d/b/a A-Rocket Moving & Storage, Inc. and Roadrunner, Ltd d/b/a Roadrunner Moving & Storage for the period 02/28/2018 through 02/27/2019;

**Academic programs for QZAB Projects with the following vendors:** Action Potential Learning, LLC; Cengage Learning, Inc.; Education Galaxy, LLC; KAMICO Instructional Media, Inc.; McGraw-Hill Education, Inc. d/b/a McGraw-Hill School Education, LLC; W. Oscar Neuhaus Memorial Foundation d/b/a Neuhaus Education Center; Sirius Education Solutions, LLC d/b/a Sirius Education Solutions and 1Studentnest, Inc. for the period 02/28/2018 through 02/27/2019;

### **New Members**

Organizations and governmental entities that became members when contracts were approved by the HCDE board of trustees on Nov. 17 include **Red Lick ISD**, Texarkana, Texas and **Rockwall County**, Rockwall, Texas.

Additional out-of-state members include **Buffalo Public Schools**, Buffalo, N.Y.; **Carlsbad Municipal Schools**, Carlsbad, N.M.; **Cochise County Community College**, Sierra Vista, Ariz.; **Grand Forks Cities Area Transit**, Grand Forks, N.D.; **Maine-Endwell Central School District**, Endwell, N.Y.; city of **Palm Bay**, Fla; **Queen Creek Unified School District**, Queen Creek, Ariz.; **Santa Rosa County School**, Milton, Fla.; **city of Sierra Vista**, Ariz.; and **University of Mary Washington**, Fredericksburg, Va.

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