

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 12.1h

Meeting Date: September 7, 2023
<u>Subject</u> : BPSB et al. v. SCUSD et al., U.S.D.C., E.D. Cal., Case No. 2:19 -cv-01768-DJC-KJN Independent Monitor Servi ces Contract.
 □ Information Item Only □ Approval on Consent Agenda □ Conference (for discussion only) □ Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated:) □ Conference/Action □ Action □ Public Hearing
<u>Division</u> : Special Education

<u>Recommendation</u>: The Academic Office recommends SCUSD governing board approve Independent Monitor Services Contract for the hiring of the role of Independent Monitor, pursuant to the Settlement Agreement executed between SCUSD and BPSB.

<u>Background/Rationale</u>: The Compromise and Release Agreement entered into between SCUSD and BPSB requires the execution of a services contract for the role of an Independent Monitor. SCUSD received a proposal from the Dr. Peters and Dr. Browne of the San Francisco Coalition of Essential Small Schools to address the key problems of: (1) segregation of students with disabilities; (2) failure to provide necessary supports and services to student with disabilities; (3) suspension of students for disability-based behaviors; and (4) bullying and harassment due to students' race and disabilities.

Financial Considerations: The Contract Price is a total of \$1,750,000.00.

LCAP Goal(s): N/A

Documents Attached:

Hardcopies of the Services Contract Agreement will be available at the Board meeting on September 7, 2023.

Estimated Time of Presentation : N/A

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