

CHRONOLOGY OF THE AGENDA ITEM
Contract – Cooperative Agreement
Georgia Power as Authorized Dealer through Cooper Lighting -
Sourcewell Cooperative Contract # 041123-CPL

Scope:

Cooperative Agreement between DeKalb County School District (“DCSD”) and Georgia **Power Company (an authorized dealer for Cooper Lighting)** and **Sourcewell Cooperative Contract # 041123-CPL** to provide upgraded LED lights through the Georgia Power Sports Lighting Package program.

Contract Term:

The contract effective date between **Sourcewell** and **Cooper Lighting** is August 15, 2023. There is an initial four (4) year agreement from effective date of the contract through June 16, 2027, with the option to renew for three (3) additional one (1) year periods.

DCSD requests approval to use the cooperative agreement, between **Sourcewell and Cooper Lighting with Georgia Power as an Authorized Dealer**, with the initial contract period of one (1) year and subsequent renewals approved by the Board on an annual basis.

Solicitation Process

On February 21, 2023, **Sourcewell RFP # 041123** was issued for Sports Lighting Solutions with Related Technology, Equipment, and Services from which the Supplier – Cooper Lighting was awarded a contract based on their proposal to the RFP (Request for Proposal).

- Georgia Power is an Authorized Dealer through Cooper Lighting’s awarded contract.
- (<https://www.sourcewell-mn.gov/cooperative-purchasing/041123-cpl>)

Award Process

Pursuant to Board Policy DJE (Purchasing), Paragraph III -D(3)(d), Exceptions to Competitive Selection are allowed when the purchase is made through contracts formally solicited and obtained by the State of Georgia, the Federal Government, or some other government agency. The Purchasing Department shall be authorized to make purchases through inter-governmental and educational cooperative, alliances, and consortiums to achieve cost savings and administrative efficiencies based on economics of scale.

This agenda item requests approval of this recommendation from the Board of Education for the Sport Lighting Package program with Georgia Power to upgrade the lighting at the Adam, Hallford and Godfrey Stadiums.