

CHRONOLOGY OF THE AGENDA ITEM

Board Agenda Item Title:

RFQ 26-725 K-12 Social Studies Instructional Resources Adoption and Purchase
(not to exceed \$15,000,000)

Background/Details

It is requested that the Board of Education approve the **RFQ 26-725 K-12 Social Studies Instructional Resources** adoption and purchase of **Cengage Learning Inc, Gallopade International, Bedford, Freeman & Worth, Pearson Inc, McGraw-Hill LLC, W.W. Norton, Houghton Mifflin Harcourt (HMH), and Oxford University Press**. These vendors represent the most responsive and responsible bidders to provide social studies instructional resources in print and/or digital formats for teachers and students for more than **\$100,000.00** per vendor but not to exceed a total contracted amount of **\$15,000,000.00**.

Per the instructional materials adoption cycle calendar, DCSD entered the procurement process for science instructional materials beginning in November 2025. Through this process vendor responded and submitted appropriate documents and materials.

A committee of teachers were selected to review and score materials. From this process the vendors were selected and sent to the BOE for adoption and purchase approval.

Contract Term

TBD- Contract Negotiations and Invoicing pending BOE adoption of resources and approval of contracts for purchase Legal Affairs.

Scope

Each company will provide a print and/or digital materials, professional learning, and resource implementation support as recommended by the committee and adopted by the BOE.