

NATOMAS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Resolution No. 21-09

IN THE MATTER OF: Authorizing Contract for Furniture Pursuant to Public Contract Code Section 20118 (Piggyback Statute)

The following RESOLUTION was duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the Natomas Unified School District, at a regular meeting held on the 24th of March 2021, by the following roll call vote:

Jag Bains	_____
Erika Hardin	_____
Micah Grant	_____
Susan Heredia	_____
Lisa Kaplan	_____

Signed and approved by me after its passage:

Dr. Susan Heredia, President

Attest:

Ericka Harden, Clerk

WHEREAS, the Natomas Unified School District ("District") is in need of certain furniture and associated components ("Furniture") for use at District schools; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Contract Code section 20111, a school district is required to competitively bid the "purchase of equipment, materials, or supplies to be furnished, sold, or leased to the district" involving an expenditure of more than the bid limit, which is \$95,200 for 2020; and

WHEREAS, PCC section 20118 is an exception to that requirement, providing that:

Notwithstanding Sections 20111 and 20112, the governing board of any school district without advertising for bids, if the board has determined it to be in the best interests of the district, may authorize by contract, lease, requisition, or purchase order, any public corporation or agency, including any county, city, town, or district, to lease data-processing equipment, purchase materials, supplies, equipment, automotive vehicles, tractors, and other personal property for the district in the manner in which the public corporation or agency is authorized by law to make the leases or purchases. Upon receipt of any such personal property, provided the property complies with the specifications set forth in the contract, lease, requisition, or purchase order, the school district may draw a warrant in favor of the public corporation or agency for the amount of the approved invoice, including the reasonable costs to the public corporation or agency for furnishing the services incidental to the lease or purchase of the personal property; and

WHEREAS, the Los Rios Community College District, a political subdivision of the State of California contracted in a manner authorized by law with Jones-Campbell Co., dba Campbell Keller, and entered into that certain Contract for Districtwide Furniture and Other Related Services Bid #19017, dated August 15, 2019 (“Piggyback Contract”); and

WHEREAS, the Piggyback Contract included a provision pursuant to Public Contract Code section 20118 allowing other public agencies, including the District, to lease or purchase Classroom Furniture from Campbell Keller pursuant to the same terms and conditions of the Piggyback Contract; and

WHEREAS, District staff, after having researched the costs and terms of the Piggyback Contract, has determined that the prices of the Piggyback Contract are reasonable and that it would be in the best interests of the District to utilize the Piggyback Contract to purchase the Furniture from Campbell Keller for use at District schools consistent with and pursuant to the terms of the Piggyback Contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board hereby finds, determines, declares, orders, and resolves as follows:

1. That the foregoing recitals are true and correct.
2. That the Board hereby declares that it is in the best interests of the District to purchase the Furniture and associated components from Campbell Keller for use at District schools consistent with the terms of the Piggyback Contract.
3. That the Board hereby authorizes the District’s Superintendent, or designee, pursuant to this Resolution to take any action which is necessary to carry out, give effect to, or comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution and consistent with the Public Contract Code and District policy.