



Westchester Community College

State University of New York

OnBase 80271

Date: October 15, 2020

To: Board of Acquisition and Contract

From: Dr. Belinda S. Miles
President

Re: Resolution authorizing the County of Westchester, acting by and through Westchester Community College, to consent to the assignment of the agreement with Summit Security Services, Inc. for the provision of uniformed security services for Westchester Community College to Universal Protection Service, LLC doing business as Allied Universal Security Services effective on or about November 15, 2020.

By a Resolution approved on July 20, 2017, your Honorable Board authorized the County of Westchester, acting by and through Westchester Community College (the "College") to enter into a contract with Summit Security Services, Inc. ("Summit") for uniformed security services for the College for the period July 24, 2017 through August 31, 2018, with the College having the option to extend the contract for four (4) additional one-year periods. The contract was subsequently executed. On June 18, 2020, your Honorable Board authorized the College to exercise the third of its one-year extension options for the period September 1, 2020 through August 31, 2021, in an amount not to exceed \$2,651,851.70.

By letter dated September 17, 2020 the College was notified that Universal Protection Service, LLC doing business as Allied Universal Security Services ("Universal") had acquired Summit. The agreement with Summit requires the County's consent to any assignment of the contract. Accordingly, authority is requested to consent to the assignment of the contract for Security Services for the College from Summit to Universal effective on or about November 15, 2020.

The College has conducted its due diligence by contacting a number of Universal's current customers, two of which are Westchester based universities.

The goal and objective of this contract is to protect the safety of students and property by providing security services for the College. The performance of Universal will be monitored by College staff to ensure that contractual obligations are met by Universal.

Accordingly, approval of the attached resolution is respectfully requested.

APPROVED BOARD OF ACQUISITION & CONTRACT - 11/12/2020 - LISA MARIJA SECRETARY

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