CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

135 Berkshire Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141



March 3, 2020

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

CONTRACT AWARD:

Telecommunication Services

RECOMMENDATION:

That the School Committee award a contract to the following vendor for telecommunication services; funds to be provided from the Capital Fund. Procurement procedures for this contract have complied with Chapter 30B of the laws of the

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Contractor

Integration Partners 12 Hartwell Avenue Lexington, MA 02421 Period of Contract 3/7/20 - 3/6/21

Amount \$395,480.56

DESCRIPTION:

This contract is for the upgrade of CPS phones from analog

phone lines to the City wide standard Voice over IP (VoIP)

phones.

SUPPORTING DATA:

RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 12... "motions calling for the appropriation or expenditure of money shall require the affirmative vote of four members."

BUDGET REFERENCES:

ACCOUNT:

58502

Computer Network/Telecomm

FUND:

31200

Capital Fund

ORG:

883747

Facilities Management

PROJ:

SC20945

School Capital Upgrades

Respectfully Submitted,

Kenneth N. Salim, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools



SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION: Integration Partners

Purpose: Upgrading Cambridge Public Schools Phones from analog phone lines to the City wide standard of Voice over IP (VoIP) phones.

Amount of Contract: \$395,480.56

Description/Scope of Services:

Integration Partners (IPC), working with Cambridge Public School (CPS) Information, Communication & Technology Services (ICTS) Team and City IT, will upgrade all district analog phone lines to Voice over IP (VoIP) phone system. This will bring CPS to the city standard for phones systems. IPC will install on infrastructure needs as gateways and licenses for each location. The infrastructure piece of this is to install a gateway appliance that allows the new VoIP system to access each schools PA system for announcements.

ICTS Technical Services team and City IT will do all the programming and installation of all the phones throughout the location.

The locations that are currently on the upgrade list are: Amigos, Baldwin, Cambridgeport, Eletcher Maynard, Graham and Parks, Haggerty, Kennedy Longfellow/VLUS, Longfellow Building (Tobin), Morse, Peabody/RAUC, Russell Field (Athletic Facility)

CRLS, King/PAUS, King Open/CSUS, and Administration are already converted over to VoIP phone systems.