

Advance Notice
6-23-10

CONSENT AGENDA

Interlocal Agreement – U. S. Communities – Kuper/Maybee

Action to be taken: I move the board adopt Resolution No. 973, authorizing the Superintendent to enter into a Master Interlocal Cooperative Purchasing Agreement with U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance for purchase of goods and services.

After a competitive solicitation and selection process by Lead Public Agencies, a number of suppliers have entered into Master Agreements with Lead Public Agencies to provide a variety of goods and services based on national volumes. Master agreements are made available by Lead Public Agencies through U.S. Communities to Participating Public Agencies whom may purchase goods and services on the same terms, conditions and pricing as the Lead Public Agencies. Participating public agencies save millions of dollars annually by “pooling” their purchases, conserve resources, reduce procurement costs and improve efficiencies through the use of Master Agreements.

Participation in U.S. Communities does not cost the Issaquah School District any fees and does not preclude the District from contracting independently for the purchase of any particular class of goods or services.

Jake Kuper and Sue Maybee will be present to respond to any questions.