

Resolution 2017-18: 106

Amendment #1 to SEI Design Group Agreement – Dr. Walter Cooper Academy School 10 (Phase 2c)

By Board Member Benincasa

WHEREAS, the Rochester School Facilities Modernization Program Act (the “Act”) established the Rochester Joint Schools Construction Board (“RJSCB” or “Board”), a seven voting member board consisting of equal representation by the City of Rochester (“City”) and the Rochester City School District (“District”), as well as a member jointly selected by the City and the District; and

WHEREAS, under the Act, the RJSCB has certain enumerated powers to act as agent for the District, the City, or both; and

WHEREAS, the authorizing legislation for Phase 2 of the Rochester Schools Modernization Program (“RSMP”) was signed into law by the Governor of the State of New York on December 17, 2014; and

WHEREAS, the amended Act authorized up to 26 projects in Phase 2 of the RSMP including a District Wide Technology (“DWT”) program, which involves technology upgrades and infrastructure work at several of the possible projects; and

WHEREAS, for Phase 2 of the RSMP, the RJSCB intends to undertake 14 projects for the design, reconstruction, or rehabilitation of existing school buildings for their continued use by the District (collectively, the “Phase 2 Projects”), which have been further defined as Phase 2a, Phase 2b, Phase 2c and Phase 2d, plus a DWT project at each of the Phase 2 school buildings; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Walter Cooper Academy School 10 (“School 10”) is one of the projects included in Phase 2c of the RSMP as provided in the Phase 2 Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, on February 6, 2017, the RJSCB issued a request for proposals for architectural services for Phase 2c Schools (Resolution 2016-17: 136); and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB approved the selection of SEI Design Group (“SEI” or “Architect”) as the Architect for the School 10 project (Resolution 2016-17: 151); and

WHEREAS, the RJSCB entered into an agreement with SEI, dated March 6, 2017, entitled Agreement Between Board and Architect (the “Agreement”); and

WHEREAS, subsequent to the execution of the Agreement, the Program Manager requested, and cost proposals were obtained and reviewed, for additional scopes of design services for swing space design at Marshall High School to accommodate Schools 2 and 10; and

WHEREAS, the Program Manager recommended to the M/WBE and Services Procurement Committee (the “Committee”) that SEI’s Agreement should be amended to add these additional scope items in the total amount of \$25,000.00 to Exhibit I of the Agreement and that this amount shall be treated as a not-to-exceed allowance under section 11.1.1 of the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Committee considered and discussed the Program Manager’s recommendation at its December 7, 2017, and after due deliberation, the Committee approved the request to amend the Agreement.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The proposed amendment to the SEI Agreement between Board and Architect dated March 6, 2017, as set forth above is hereby approved, increasing the total amount of the Agreement by the sum of \$25,000.00; and
2. The RJSCB's Chair is hereby authorized, in the name and on behalf of the RJSCB, to execute an amendment to the SEI Agreement that is consistent with this approval and in an acceptable form to the Chair upon the advice of the RJSCB's general counsel.

Second by Board Member Brown

Approved 5-0 with Members Cruz and Richards away