

CHABOT-LAS POSITAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

July 16, 2019

Agenda Item: 5.4

Subject: Approval of Award of Cisco Smartnet Annual Maintenance for CLPCCD Network Infrastructure Equipment Using the State's California Multiple Award Schedules (CMAS) Contract

Background: CLPCCD's network infrastructure consists of Cisco network devices that provide wired and wireless connectivity essential for email communications, Internet, network security, and employee and student access to critical data resources. Smartnet is Cisco, Inc.'s maintenance agreement that provides 24 hours a day, 365 days per year technical support, hardware replacement, and software upgrades. With Cisco Smartnet, CLPCCD IT staff can immediately provision for hardware replacements, software upgrades, and obtain technical support as necessary.

The vehicle for this purchase is via State of California CMAS contract. AMS.NET is an approved CMAS vendor for Cisco networking products (Cisco CMAS#3-11-70-0291U, expiration 9/4/2023).

CMAS are established for information technology products and services that have been competitively assessed, negotiated, or bid, and contracts are structured to comply with California procurement codes, guidelines, and policies.

Recommended Action: That the Board of Trustees approve the award of Cisco Smartnet Annual Maintenance of \$119,501.24 to AMS.NET, Inc. of Livermore, CA. It is further recommended that the Board authorize the Acting Vice Chancellor, Business Services to execute the purchase order on behalf of the District.

Funding Source: General Fund

Submitted by: Doug Roberts/Date

Approved: Ronald P. Gerhard/Date

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