

**OFFICE OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**Consent Agenda**  
**June 19-20, 2014**

**OFFICE OF CHILD NUTRITION**

I. Approval to award competitive contracts to distributors to supply and deliver milk and ice cream products to local organizations in the State Food Purchasing Program

Awarded Vendors: Blue Bell Creameries  
Jackson, MS

Borden Dairy  
Cowarts, AL

LuVel Dairy  
Jackson, MS

Scope of Project: Under the State Food Purchasing Program (MS Code Section 37-11-7{3} and State Board Policy 2008), sealed, competitive bids were solicited for distribution of milk and ice cream products on behalf of participating organizations. The contracts are being awarded to the lowest and most responsive bidders. The contracts will be issued for a one-year period with an optional one-year renewal period. Contractors will deliver the produce to participants of the Child Nutrition programs in seven regions of the state. Payment will be made directly to the contracted distributors by the local organizations.

Scope of Contract:

- Term of Contract: August 1, 2014 – July 31, 2015
- Cost of Contract: No MDE funds will be expended
- Method of Award: Invitation for Bids

Funding Source: N/A

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

**ATTACHMENT 1****MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
Office of Healthy Schools and Child Nutrition  
Milk Bid Recap**

<b>Distributor</b>	<b>Region</b>	<b>Bid Amount</b>
LuVel Dairy	1	\$1,417,593.86
LuVel Dairy	2	\$695,275.98
LuVel Dairy	3	\$3,387,001.50
Borden Dairy	4	\$3,832,604.07
Borden Dairy	5	\$2,831,597.51
LuVel Dairy	6	\$3,251,858.27
Borden Dairy	7	\$1,714,297.99

**Ice Cream Bid Recap**

<b>Distributor</b>	<b>Region</b>	<b>Bid Amount</b>
Blue Bell Creameries	1	\$77,779.20
LuVel Dairy	2	\$170,691.64
Blue Bell Creameries	3	\$49,613.28
Blue Bell Creameries	4	\$130,497.12
Blue Bell Creameries	5	\$73,250.40
Blue Bell Creameries	6	\$140,237.28
LuVel Dairy	7	\$108,871.50