

OFFICE OF CHIEF OPERATIONS OFFICER
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
Consent Agenda
June 16, 2017

OFFICE OF CHILD NUTRITION

R. Renew competitive contracts to milk and ice cream distributors to supply and deliver products to local organizations in the State Food Purchasing Program (Seven Regions in the State)

Awarded Vendor: Prairie Farms Dairy
Kosciusko, Mississippi

Borden Dairy
Cowarts, Alabama

Scope of Project: Under the State Food Purchasing Program Miss. Code Ann. § Section 37-11-7(3) and State Board Policy Part 3, Chapter 17, Rule 17.8 – Purchasing System, Food Purchasing System for Public Schools, sealed, competitive bids were solicited for distribution of milk and ice cream products on behalf of participating organizations. The contracts were awarded to the lowest and most responsive bidders. The contracts were originally issued August 1, 2016, for one year with an optional one-year renewal period. Contractors will deliver the products to participants of the Child Nutrition programs in all seven regions of the state. Payment will be made directly to the contracted distributors by the local organizations.

- Term of Contract Renewal: August 1, 2016 – July 31, 2018
- Cost of Current Contract: No MDE funds will be expended
- Total Cost of Contract Renewal: No MDE funds will be expended
- Method of Award: Invitation for Bids
- Funding Source:

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material: None