

STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND OCCUPATIONAL EDUCATION

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TOPIC: Colorado Community College System Spending Authority - Emergency Alert System Contract with Rave Mobile Safety, Inc.

PRESENTED BY:

Angela Gramse, General Counsel
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RELATIONSHIP TO THE STRATEGIC PLAN:

Transform the Student Experience; Transform our Own Workforce Experience; Redefine our Value Proposition

EXPLANATION:

CCCS is committed to ensuring all college campus communities and the System office receive timely, accurate, and useful information in the event of an emergency situation, on site or in the local area, that poses a risk to the health and safety of CCCS community members. In addition, institutions of higher education that participate in federal Title IV student financial assistance programs must issue campus timely warnings and emergency notifications in accordance with the Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Crime Statistics Act.

A “Request for Proposal” (RFP) process was completed to identify an emergency alert notification (EAN) system, with a focus on ease of use and strong vendor support. After a thorough evaluation, the RFP committee was unanimous in its selection to move forward with Rave Mobile Safety, Inc., and their AppArmor Alert system. The System’s last EAN contract was with CutCom for AppArmor, which has been bought by Rave. By the System continuing with the same EAN system, it will save the System significant time and resources from having to onboard a brand-new EAS.

The System’s contract with Rave Mobile Safety, Inc., will be \$260,000.00 for the initial contract year, with the option to renew for six (6) additional 1-year terms at the same rate of \$260,000.00 per year, for a total maximum of \$1,820,000.00.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the Board approve CCCS to enter into contract with Rave Mobile Safety, Inc. Staff also recommends that the Board delegate to the Vice Chancellor for Finance and Administration the authority to sign all related contract documents on the condition that all Board and State processes are followed.

ATTACHMENT(S):

None