BOARD OF EDUCATION OF HARFORD COUNTY

INFORMATIONAL REPORT

DECISION ON CONTRACT USE FOR EDUCATIONAL SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Board Meeting Date:	February 12, 2024
Contract Number and Title:	Omnia RFP# 23-03; Educational School Supplies, Instructional Solutions, and Related Products
Procurement Type:	Piggyback - Request for Proposal (RFP)
Term:	Current through December 31, 2026
Renewals:	Two (2) additional, one (1) year renewals
Estimated Value of Contract:	Over \$100,000
Funding Source:	Most purchases will be funded by the Operating Budget; however, when appropriate, grant, and capital funds may be used.
Department:	Various
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Description:

- This contract provides a wide range of art, school and office supplies, content area resources, and classroom storage supplies including furniture.
- The use of this contract provides percentage catalog discounts including a 35% discount on classroom supplies, a 14% discount on furniture and equipment, and free shipping with no minimum purchase.
- This contract is marketed on a national level by Omnia Partners to leverage a higher economy of scale to achieve better pricing.
- This contract is an Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity (IDIQ) contract.
- The total annual expenditure will depend on the needs of the various schools and funding availability and is expected to exceed \$100,000.
- Purchases made utilizing this contract will be within approved budget limits.

Recommended Award To:

School Specialty, Inc.	Greenville, WI
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