



**Hidalgo County Head Start Program
Policy Council Agenda Request Form**

DATE: September 16, 2009

SUBJECT: Discussion/Approval On Request To Purchase Playground Equipment And Classroom Supplies Through The Hidalgo County's Membership/Participation With Texas Association Of School Board (TASB) Program Awarded Vendors, ExerPlay, Inc., Kaplan Early Learning Company And National Educational Systems, Inc. Not To Exceed \$340,371.00

RATIONALE/NEED: This would allow the purchasing of the best pre-bided prices on playground and classroom supplies under the Texas Association School Board (TASB).

RECOMMENDATION: Administration recommends approval.

COST: \$340,371.00

RELATED INFORMATION INCLUDED: Participant Info

INITIATED BY: Ambrosio Tovar, Procurement Director *at*

REVIEWED BY: Mr. Edmundo Garcia, Assistant Director *EG*

PROGRAM DIRECTOR'S APPROVAL: *Jean Flores*

Buy Board Current Vendors

Vendor	Address1	City	State	Zip	Effective	Expiration	Commodity
Exer Play, Inc.	PO Box 1160	Cedar Crest	NM	870081160	10/1/2007	9/30/2010	Parks & Recreation Supplies & Equipment
Kaplan Early Learning Company	1310 Lewisville-Clemmons Rd.	Lewisville	NC	27023	6/1/2008	5/31/2011	Library Books. Supplies & Equipment
National Educational Systems	6333 De Zavala Road Suite 106	San Antonio	TX	78249	6/1/2008	5/31/2011	Library Books. Supplies & Equipment