

February 21, 2023

Tyisha Walker-Myers President, Board of Aldermen City of New Haven 165 Church St, 2nd Floor New Haven, CT 06520

Re: Curriculum Associates, LLC - Professional Development

Dear Ms. Walker-Meyers,

I respectfully submit the enclosed submission requesting the approval of the Board of Alders for the approved Agreement Between the New Haven Board of Education and Curriculum Associates, from December 15, 2022 – June 30, 2023. As this is a contract for an amount over \$99,999, the approval of the Board of Alders is required.

The Board of Education contracted with this vendor last year for the newly implemented K-5 curriculum. Professional Development in i-Ready Classroom as well as the i-Ready Mathematics Tailored support sessions for teachers and administrators is crucial for the successful implementation of the curriculum.

The Agreement covers December 15, 2022 through June 30, 2023 for a total of \$157,500.

The Board of Education believes this is a fair contract; and it was approved by the Full Board of Education at its December 12, 2022 meeting. Thank you for your consideration of this agreement which provides professional development and support for our teachers and staff while remaining fiscally responsible to the District Budget and City tax payers. I look forward to the Alders' prompt approval of the Agreement.

Thank you again for your time and attention.

Sincerely,

Monica C. Joyner Supervisor of Mathematics