

Office of the Superintendent of Schools
MONTGOMERY COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Rockville, Maryland

July 16, 2026

MEMORANDUM

To: Members of the Board of Education

From: Thomas W. Taylor, Superintendent of Schools

Subject: Contract Approval for Bid No. 9103.12, Groceries, Staples & Spices—Extension

☐ Information ☒ Action

Superintendent Recommendation:

The superintendent recommends that the Board of Education approve the extension of Bid No. 9103.12, Groceries, Staples & Spices, under the Annotated Code of Maryland, Education Article §5-112 and Montgomery County Public Schools Regulation DJA-RA, *Procurement of Equipment, Supplies, and Services*.

This is a request to exercise the first extension of the third, two-year term for Bid No. 9103.12, for the purchase of groceries, staples, and spices, used in schools by the Department of Food and Nutrition Services (DFNS). It is recommended that the Board of Education approve this contract extension for one year through July 31, 2027.

DFNS is an enterprise fund, which means that it is designed to be self-sustaining, relying on the revenue generated from the sale of school meals and other food items to cover its operational costs. Thus, no funds from the Montgomery County Public Schools operating budget are used to make these purchases.

All food purchased and served to students meets or exceeds the following federal and state requirements:

- 7 CFR 210.10 Meal requirements for lunch
- 7 CFR 220.8 Meal requirements for breakfast
- 7 CFR 210.11 Competitive food service standards, including Smart Snack standards
- Maryland Nutrition Standards for All Foods Sold in School

WHEREAS, Funds have been budgeted in the amount of \$1,330,065 for the purchase of menu items under Bid No. 9103.12; now therefore be it

Resolved, That having been duly advertised, the following contracts be extended to the awarded bidders, meeting specifications as follows:

Division of District Operations

Bid Name: Groceries, Staples & Spices—Extension
9103.12 **Responsible Department:** Department of Food and Nutrition Services.

Awardees:

FoodPRO Corporation, Frederick, Maryland
General Mills, Inc., Minneapolis, Minnesota
Gold Star Foods, Inc., Ontario, California
LA Foods, dba LA Foods LLC, Agoura Hills, California
Lowry Martin Enterprises, dba Smarty Snacks,
Triangle, Virginia
MIK Industries Inc., dba Foodco USA,
Laurel, Maryland *[DBE Owned]*
Performance Food Group Inc., Richmond, Virginia
WK Kellogg NA Holding Co. dba WK Kellogg Sales LLC,
Battle Creek, Michigan

Total *[Invoice amounts will be based on individual requirements]* **\$1,330,065**

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