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Action/Discussion Item: Approve to hire Carey Moore Coms as a contract evaluation expert for visually impaired children for the remainder of the 2018-19 school year.

Applicable Statutes or Regulations: KRS 158.440 and 160.290 Powers and Duties of the Board.

Background and major Policy Implications: In the past, Floyd County School District had an employee certified to provide Orientation and Mobility evaluations to visually impaired children. That employee has since retired. When a child is visually impaired, it is required that a person certified in Orientation and Mobility to assess if they need walking aids, or services.

Fiscal Budgetary Impact: There is money set aside in the IDEA budget for testing of special needs children. Mrs. Moore charges 100 dollars an hour for her assessments. We currently have two children that require testing for Orientation and Mobility.

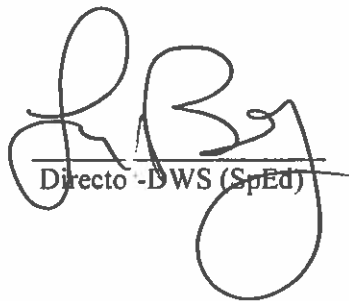
Alternatives: None proposed

Recommended Action: Approve as presented.

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