

Purchase Order # 232000



Mt. Diablo Unified School District  
1936 Carlotta Drive  
Concord, CA 94519

Amendment No. 02 to

- Independent Service Contract
- Master Contract

This Amendment is entered into between the Mt. Diablo Unified School District (MDUSD) and Ascend Rehab Services, Inc (CONTRACTOR). MDUSD entered into an Agreement with CONTRACTOR for professional services on September 30, 2022 and the parties agree to amend that Agreement as follows.

1. **Services:** (Check and complete ONE of the options below).
- CONTRACTOR agrees to provide the following amended services. (Provide full description of expected final results, such as services, materials, products, and/or reports; attach additional pages as necessary).
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

The scope of work is attached as Exhibit A (incorporated by reference to the extent that it is subordinate to and not inconsistent with this Agreement).

The scope of work is unchanged.

2. **Terms:** (Check and complete ONE of the options below).

The contract term is extended by an additional \_\_\_\_\_ (days/weeks/months), and the amended expiration date is \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

The contract term is unchanged.

3. **Compensation:** (Check and complete ONE of the options below. This provision may only be changed if there is also a change to the above Services OR Terms of the Contract).

The rate is amended by an  increase of  decrease of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ type of service

The contract amount is amended by an  increase of  decrease of \$ 75,000.00 to original contract amount.

The amended contract  amount  rate is now \$ 2,725,000.00

4. **Remaining Provisions:** All other provisions of the Agreement, and prior Amendment(s) if any, shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect as originally stated.

5. **Amendment History:** This contract has previously been amended as follows:

No.	Date	General Description of Reason for Amendment	Amount of Increase/Decrease
01	3/10/23	Increase for continued service per board docket 15 19 3-8-23	\$ 600,000.00
			\$
			\$

6. **Approval:** This Agreement is not effective and no payment shall be made to Contractor until it is approved. Approval requires signature by the Superintendent (or his designee).

Mt. Diablo USD  
By: [Signature]  
Budget Administrator/Principal  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Mt. Diablo USD  
By: [Signature]  
Superintendent or Designee  
Date: 6/30/23

Contractor  
By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: Swati Shah

Board Approval (if needed)  
Docket Number: 15.43  
Agenda Item Number: 6-28-23  
Date: June 1, 2023

# Mt. Diablo Unified School District Governing Board

## AGENDA ITEM

**Meeting Date:** 6/28/2023 - 6:00 PM

**Category:** Special Education and Student Services

**Type:** Action





**Subject:** 15.43 Review and Potential Approval of 2022-2023 Contract Amendment between Mt. Diablo Unified School District and Ascend Rehab Services

**LCAP (Local Control Accountability Plan) Goal:** Goal 1:  
All students will receive a high quality education in a safe and welcoming environment with equitable and high expectations, access to technology, and instruction in the California State Standards that prepare them for college and/or career.

**Policy:**

**Enclosure:** Master Contract, Insurance, Amendment 1 and 2.

**File Attachment:**

-  Ascend - Insurance 2024-03-04.pdf
-  Ascend - 2022-23 Master Contract - Final.pdf
-  Ascend - Contract Amendment #2 - Signed.pdf
-  Ascend - Contract Amendment #1 - vendor signature.pdf

**Summary:** Ascend Rehab Services is a non-public agency (NPA) that provides speech and language pathologist, occupational therapists, and paraprofessionals for school-based services that are identified on Individual Education Plans (IEP's) and 504 Plans. When Mt. Diablo Unified School District is not able to fill all open positions with district employees, the use of contract agencies is necessary to ensure that we are in compliance with state and federal law that governs special education. Ascend Rehab Services is a company that is utilized to provide these services to ensure that all of our needed services are covered for the 2022-2023 school year. Mt. Diablo Unified School District Human Resources, Student Services and Special Education continues to recruit and hire district employees.

**Funding:** Funding: P 31220 Part B Local Assistance

**Fiscal Impact:** The increase of \$75,000.00, brings the total contract \$2,725,000.00.

**Recommendation** Move to approve the contract increase of \$75,000.00 between Mt. Diablo Unified School District Ascend Rehab Services for classroom and student support, as well as, related service providers.

**Approvals:** **Recommended By:**

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Amy Sudrta - Special Education Administrator

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Wendi Aghily - Chief, Pupil Services and Special Education

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Elizabeth McClanahan - Director of Purchasing and Warehouse

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Nancy Chen - Chief Accountant

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Cesar Alvarado - General Counsel

**Signed By:** *Signature*  
Dr. Adam Clark - Superintendent

**Vote Results:**

**Original Motion**

Member **Linda Mayo** Moved, Member **Keisha Nzewi** seconded to approve the **Original** motion 'Move to approve the contract increase of \$75,000.00 between Mt. Diablo Unified School District Ascend Rehab Services for classroom and student support, as well as, related service providers.'. Upon a Roll-Call Vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: **4** Nay: **0**.  
The motion **Carried** 4 - 0

Erin McFerrin	Yes
Debra Mason	Yes
Linda Mayo	Yes
Keisha Nzewi	Yes