## HENRY FORD COLLEGE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT

## **CONTRACT AWARD**

**SUBJECT:** License to Use Oracle JAVA for Academics & Operations

The Vice President of Financial, Facility, IT, & Auxiliary Services requests a contract for the unlimited license usage of the Oracle JAVA software product under terms and conditions acceptable to the College. The JAVA product is used by the College in its academic teaching in computer courses (programming language) and can also be used in some College operational business processes developed by the College and by Third Party software firms.

The cost for the licensing is \$95,000 a year for four (4) years.

This Oracle JAVA agreement will permit the College to continue offering JAVA instruction in its classrooms under a secure/supported product rather than using the open-source version of JAVA which is not as secure as the licensed version.

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

The College administration recommends a contract award to Oracle for \$95,000 per year for four (4) years for a total of \$380,000 for the licensing of JAVA as requested by the Vice President of Financial, Facility, IT, & Auxiliary Services.

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