

**Sauk Valley Community College
June 28, 2021**

Action Item 5.11

Topic: **Contract Approval – Professional Services**

Strategic Direction: **Goal 1, Objective 1 – Identify and remediate barriers to student access**

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Presentation:

The Impact Program App will be developed by ChopDawg Studios, Inc. of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania with coordination of SVCC staff for a total contract amount of \$87,500. Illinois Public Community College Act (110 ILCS 805) and SVCC Board Purchasing Policy (305.01) exempt contracts for the purchase of software from public bid/solicitation requirements. The College contacted three references provided by ChopDawg and received positive feedback on its completed projects.

The purchase will be funded through a \$60,000 contribution from the Sauk Valley College Foundation and restricted debt certificate proceeds.

Recommendation:

The administration recommends the Board approve the professional services contract for the development of the Impact Program App to ChopDawg Studios, Inc. of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania for \$87,500 to be funded with a \$60,000 contribution from the Sauk Valley College Foundation and \$27,500 of restricted debt certificate proceeds.