

## **MOA – SELECTING SUPPORTIVE SUPPLIERS - 2017-19**

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The Minneapolis Public Schools (District) and the Minneapolis Federation of Teachers (MFT) share a common goal of strengthening public schools, a goal that is threatened by the Koch Brothers Industries.

**WHEREAS**, the District and MFT are committed to the success of public schools and believe any attempt to undermine is a threat to public education; and

**WHEREAS**, the Koch Brothers have consistently used profits to support and fund anti-public education and anti-union initiatives and like-minded candidates for political office.

**WHEREAS**, the District and MFT currently purchase products produced by Koch Industries,

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the District and MFT hereby agree that neither party will purchase or approve to be purchased products made by any company under the Koch Industries banner or within the Koch Brothers portfolio or install dispensers and appliances bearing the tags or logos of such brands for use within buildings or facilities to the fullest extent possible:

- American Greetings
- Angel Soft
- Angel Soft Ultra
- Brawny paper towels
- Dixie products
- Insulair cups
- Mardis Gras napkins
- Perfect Touch cups, paper products
- Quilted Northern
- Sparkle paper towels
- Vanity Fair napkins & paper towels
- Zee Napkins
- Georgia-Pacific Office products
- Spectrum paper
- Georgia-Pacific's enMotion paper towel dispenser
- Georgia-Pacific's engineered lumber

**FURTHERMORE**, both parties also agree to cease purchasing or using any of the following chemical, fabric, or fiber products by all departments, including maintenance, bearing any of the following brands to the fullest extent possible:

### **INVISTA Brands**

- INVISTA PET polymer for oxygen-sensitive food & beverage packaging
- ADI-PURE® Adipic Acid
- ANTRON® Carpet Fiber
- C12™ Intermediates
- COMFOREL® Fiber
- COOLMAX® Fabric
- CORDURA® Fabric
- DACRON® Fiberfill
- DYTEK® Idea Intermediates
- FLEXISOLV® Solvent Solutions
- LYCRA® Fiber
- LYCRA HyFit® Fiber
- OXYCLEAR® Barrier Resin

- POLYCLEAR® PET
- POLYSHIELD® Resin
- SENZAA™ Additive
- STAINMASTER® Carpet
- SUPPLEX® Fabric
- SUPRIVA™ Fiber
- TACTEL® Fiber
- TECGEN® Garments
- TERATE® Polyols
- TERATHANE® Polyether Glycol
- TERRIN™ Polyols
- THERMOLITE® Fabric
- TORZEN® PA66 Resin

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that to the extent this MOA is a deviation from the terms of the collective bargaining agreement between the District and the MFT, it will not form the basis for any grievance.

**For the District:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**For the Union:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_