

LAGUARDIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Cooling Towers for the E Building

RESOLVED: That the Board of Trustees of The City University of New York authorize the General Counsel to execute a contract on behalf of LaGuardia Community College to purchase and install two new cooling towers in the E Building. The contract(s) shall be awarded to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder(s) after public advertisement and sealed bidding by the College pursuant to law and University Regulations. Such purchase shall not exceed a total estimated cost of \$800,000. The contract(s) shall be subject to approval as to form by the University Office of General Counsel.

EXPLANATION: LaGuardia Community College will replace the existing cooling towers with new energy- efficient and environmentally friendly units to maintain proper temperature and humidity in the building during cooling seasons. The College may purchase the towers and the installation services from one or more vendors.