

**154.47-030 Board's authority to contract.**

- (1) The board shall have the authority to contract for the provision of any function or service with private firms or public institutions if those contracts meet the following conditions:
  - (a) They are based on competitive requests for proposals;
  - (b) They incorporate strict performance standards and accountability criteria;
  - (c) They require periodic audit;
  - (d) They are subject to regular rebidding; and
  - (e) Where appropriate, they leverage other private and public funds.
- (2) Wherever feasible, the cabinet shall contract for the provision of functions and services rather than establishing new governmental structures.

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