

To: Board of Education

From: Jerri Kemble, assistant superintendent, educational programs & technology, ext. 2755  
Keith Wilson, principal, Lawrence Virtual School, ext. 4889

Re: Purchase of FLVS Global School Curriculum – Lawrence Virtual School

Date: June 9, 2016

Background:

Lawrence Virtual School's Kdg-12<sup>th</sup> grade curriculum is provided via a menu of vendors in accordance with strength of content and delivery, parent/student need and cost/return on investment. As we seek to strengthen our portfolio of options for families and maximize resources, LVS is requesting approval to continue its agreement with FLVS Global to enhance our course offerings and service to our families.

Rationale:

The district has sponsored the Lawrence Virtual School for more than twelve years. Support, involvement and growth are at all-time highs. The rigor and quality of our model and the curriculum we very strategically embrace provides continued interest in LVS. LVS began using FLVS Global curriculum in the 2015-16 school year with great success. LVS realized curriculum cost savings by introducing FLVS Global into our curriculum options, and families noted the same rigor using this curriculum as with our other vendor. LVS will be increasing curriculum options through FLVS Global this year which will increase our curriculum savings in the coming school year.

Recommendation:

Administration recommends board approval for the purchase of 500 Hosted General Seats, 200 Hosted EDL Course Seats, and 100 Hosted Per Enrollment General Seats for the 2016-17 school year for a total cost of \$131,800.

Account: 1810000035-56530 Virtual School-Instructional Software

Motion:

"I move the Board of Education approve the purchase of curriculum from FLVS Global School at a total cost of \$131,800."