

To: Board of Education

From: Jerri Kemble, assistant superintendent, leading, learning & technology
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Re: Renewal of Web Hosting Services

Date: June 7, 2018

Background:

In July 2014, the district adopted new web hosting services from SchoolWires Centricity 2, which is now operating under Blackboard Web Community Manager Essential.

Rationale:

The overall user experience with Centricity 2 has been positive and requires very little maintenance. The web hosting services contract with Blackboard (SchoolWires) Web Community Manager Essential is now up for renewal. The district has received a quote to renew services for the 2018-2019 school year in the amount of \$30,329.18.

Recommendation:

The administration recommends the Board approve the renewal of the annual Blackboard Web Community Manager Essential Service contract at the cost of \$30,329.18 to be paid out of the Administrative Technology budget (0125800000).

Motion:

"I move that the Board of Education approve the renewal of the Blackboard Web Community Manager Essential Service annual contract at a total cost of \$30,329.18 to be paid out of the Administrative Technology budget."