



Livonia Public Schools

District Services

Date: September 12, 2024

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent

From: Phillip Francis, Assistant Superintendent of District Services

Re: Purchase of Tractors – 2021 Bond

I would like to request adding an agenda item to the September 16, 2024 Committee of the Whole Meeting to discuss an order to purchase 8 John Deere tractors and 8 front blades for plowing from Deere & Company, Cary, North Carolina for a cost of \$71,611.76 using funds from the 2021 Bond. As you recall, a portion of the Bond was designated for replacing maintenance equipment. This new purchase will replace the current 2013 models at Central Office, Buchanan, Coolidge, Hoover, Niji-Iro, Roosevelt, Frost, and LECC. We will auction most of the 2013 units and save two or three as back ups for any buildings whose tractor may be temporarily out of service for repair in the future.

Pricing for this purchase comes from the Agricultural, Grounds, & Maintenance Equipment contract via the Michigan Department of Technology, Management, & Budget. This satisfies the requirement to bid.

Please include this item on the agenda. Thank you.

Attachments

c: Board of Education

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