EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

FOR THE SHOREWOOD SCHOOL BOARD

Topic: Vehicle Purchase

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Date: 09 December 2014

Recommended action:		Information only
		Presentation/discussion
		Discussion/action by committee
	X	Discussion/action by board of education
		Presentation/action next meeting

Recommendation(s):

The recommendation is for the Board to authorize the purchase of a replacement vehicle not to exceed \$15,000.

Purpose:

The purpose of the recommendation is to approve the purchase of a used truck to be used as a maintenance vehicle and a snow plow in the district.

Background:

Earlier this fall, the 1998 Dodge Ram pickup used by the School District of Shorewood as a maintenance vehicle and snow plow experienced engine failure. This truck was inspected by the mechanic that regularly services our district vehicles and it was determined that the engine failure combined with the deterioration of the vehicle made it necessary to take the vehicle out of service and schedule replacement. Tony Seidita and I feel that a suitable vehicle can be purchased and outfitted with our plow for a cost not to exceed \$15,000. These funds are in the budget for vehicle replacement.

Attachment(s): NONE