

Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: May 18, 2023

TOPIC: Renewal of Seesaw for Schools for Todd Hall for 2023-2024

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Recommended for:

□ Action

□ Discussion

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Purpose/Background:

Seesaw is a Learning Management System (LMS) that allows teachers at Todd Hall to create and share online activities and assignments with students and communicate with families. Students use creative tools to write, draw, take pictures, and record videos in order to capture their learning and receive feedback. Teachers at Todd Hall continue to use this subscription service to access features that greatly enhance collaboration and co-teaching opportunities, provide unlimited activities, and share an activities library for the entire building, whether that instruction takes place online or in person.

The District's Legal Counsel reviewed Seesaw's Terms and Conditions and Privacy Policy. Counsel has presented a new amendment to Seesaw's Terms of Service, prepared by the District's Legal Counsel. This amendment was accepted and signed by the vendor. Counsel also offered an opinion related to the National Data Privacy Agreement (IL-NDPA) and the Student Online Personal Protection Act. Currently the District has an Exhibit E on file based upon the Johnsburg CUSD #12 agreement. This agreement will expire during the school year, but will be renewed once the vendor signs a new IL-NDPA during the 23-24 school year.

Fiscal Impact:

\$3,120 The District paid Seesaw \$2,400 for the 2022-2023 school year.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to accept the Seesaw license for Seesaw for Schools for the amount of \$3,120 from August 1, 2023 through July 31, 2024.