

MEETING DATE: March 21, 2022

AGENDA ITEM: Purchase of Instructional Materials for McAnally Middle School

PRESENTER: Earl Husfeld, Chief Financial Officer

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Per Board Policy CH (Local), any single, budgeted purchase of goods or services that costs \$50,000 or more, regardless of whether the goods or services are competitively purchased, shall require Board approval before a transaction may take place.
- As you are aware, construction of McAnally Middle School (MMS) was included within the District's 2019 Bond Program. Included within these bond project costs were funds allocated for the purchase of materials and equipment to outfit this building to the same standard as the Aledo Middle School campus.
- For the past several weeks, the District's Math, Science, Social Studies, and English Language Arts Instructional Specialists, as well as teachers in these subject areas, have undertaken the process of determining the instructional materials and equipment needed for the opening of MMS that will be used to equip teachers with implementing the reading language arts, math, science, and social studies standards.
- The District is in the process of finalizing material lists and quotes for items such as teacher edition textbooks, classroom libraries, math manipulatives, calculators, and science lab equipment necessary to ensure that students at both middle school campuses have access to similar resources.
- This item will be presented to the Board of Trustees for consideration/action at the April 2022 regular board meeting.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

The cost of these instructional materials purchases will be paid from 2019 Bond Program funds allocated for McAnally Middle School.

ATTACHMENTS:

None

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

None – Informational Report