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**Elizabeth Janowiak**  
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To: Donna Oberg  
From: Elizabeth Janowiak  
Date: March 3, 2014  
Re: Tech Plan Purchase

Please submit this purchase information to the BOE for the March 10, 2014 meeting.

The Technology Staff are continuing to implement the components of the Technology Capital Outlay Plan previously approved by the Board of Education. As was outlined to the BOE, several of the district computers are aging to the point that they are no longer effective. In addition, these older computers are not capable of being upgraded to Windows 7 and therefore will no longer be supported through Microsoft updates come April 2014.

As was communicated to the BOE at the February 10<sup>th</sup> meeting, the technology staff has been working together with teachers and principals to determine the best models to purchase for replacement of these older computers. At this time, we are requesting consent to purchase portable computers to be used by students in classrooms and team centers in place of the older desktop computers. These portables will fulfill a critical need for upgraded student computers at GMSN, GMSS, HES, HSS, and WAS.

These portable computers will be purchased using the IL State Contract pricing and takes advantage of the Microsoft Shape the Future discount. This purchase will be made through our HP partner, Heartland Business Systems.

QTY	Model	Cost
245	HP 250 G2 Notebook	\$ 137,000