



## SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

**Board Meeting Date:** 13-Jan-15      **Superintendent:** David Holmes

**Administrator/Staff:** Dennis Misner

**Type of Item:**       *Informational*       *Action*

**Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?**

We would like to apply for a small grant (\$5,000-\$7,500) to create a wireless environment in our business lab. We would also like to purchase a class set of Chromebooks. We are seeking permission to approach the Rotary about funding this request from left over monies from the Duck Derby.

**Provide history/background information on your proposal:**

Our new business teacher has been making connections with the Rotary and Lions Club to help with our Interact Club and FBLA. Two members of the Rotary group encouraged her to present a proposal to fund her immediate needs for the advancement of the program.

**List the advantages of your proposal:**

A wireless classroom would enable students to use a full range of school supplied and personal computing devices. The Chromebooks would be a tremendous asset to students who are also Interact and FBLA members. Building business partnerships with local employers is helpful for all of our students.

**List possible disadvantages of your proposal:**

We will not be able to move forward with improvements to our business program this year. The wireless hub for this classroom will become a budgeted item for NVHS in 2015-16.

**List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?**

None

**Superintendent's recommendation(s):**

**Approve:**    Yes     No

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