MINUTES BOARD OF EDUCATION Livonia Public Schools Virtual Special Meeting August 3, 2020

President Johnson convened the virtual special meeting at 6:01 p.m.

Members Present:

Tammy Bonifield, Karen Bradford, Colleen Burton, Dan Centers,

Crystal Frank, Liz Jarvis, Mark Johnson

Members Absent:

None

Audience Communications Communications were received from many individuals regarding the District's *Return to Learn* plan and were read aloud by

administrators during the virtual meeting.

LPS Return to Learn Plan President Johnson relayed that although the Board of Education was originally planning to vote on the *Return to Learn* plan this evening, due to the Governor's partial rollback on some restrictions related to COVID-19 and the Board's desire to review the additional information the District and Board have received, the vote will be delayed until August 10, 2020.

Superintendent Oquist and her administrative team relayed information regarding results from the second round of parent and staff surveys; summarized other feedback that was received from parents and staff; and shared information regarding the District's *Return to Learn* plan.

The Board asked Superintendent Oquist to revise the *Return to Learn* plans so that the month of September would be online only for all students. They requested that there still be two options – Option 1: Remote Learning in September followed by In-Person Learning and Option 2: Livonia Virtual (100% long-term remote learning). The Board asked that the updated *Return to Learn* plan be presented during the August 17 Board meeting, so that the Board could vote on the plan the same evening.

Approval of Act 18 Technology Purchase It was moved by Mrs. Frank and supported by Mr. Centers that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District approve the Act 18 technology purchase from CDW-G and Apple Inc. in the amount of \$102,247.15.

Ayes: Bonifield, Bradford, Burton, Centers, Crystal, Jarvis, Johnson

Navs: None

Adjournment

Mr. Johnson adjourned the meeting at 8:55 p.m.

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