



Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: December 15, 2022

TOPIC: Everyday Speech Subscription Renewal

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Recommended for:

- Action
- Discussion
- Information

Purpose/Background:

Everyday Speech is a program that is used in speech/social work groups to work with students on social skills/social communication skills. The curriculum uses evidence based practices and provides video modeling, worksheets/activities, and addresses a wide variety of topics. This program was used over the past year, and the Speech/Language Pathologists have found this program to be very effective.

District Legal Counsel reviewed the Terms and Conditions and Privacy Policy and found them to be acceptable.

Counsel also offered an opinion related to the National Data Privacy Agreement (IL-NDPA) necessitated by the Student Online Personal Protection Act (SOPPA). Counsel said that vendors create an original NDPA document covering all the pertinent data and terms for their product, and then the first district signs the original document. Then, other districts that use the same product would be able to sign an Exhibit E from that original NDPA agreement without having to create and revise a new standalone NDPA document. Counsel reviewed the IL-NDPA from Deerfield Public Schools #109 provided by the vendor, found the document to be acceptable, and indicated the District could sign off on Exhibit E, if the request was approved. For example, the NDPA terms

specify Illinois law and Illinois state or federal courts. In this particular case, our technology department already has Exhibit E signed and on file, therefore, District Counsel stated that we are covered and would be approved to move forward with the contract and program.

Fiscal Impact:

This will result in a fiscal impact of \$1,343.96 for the 12-month subscriptions.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to accept this quote from Everyday Speech in the amount of \$1,343.96 for a one-year subscription from January 15, 2023 to January 16, 2024.