

Buildings and Grounds Department

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Date:

February 7, 2025

To:

Dr. Robert Halverson, Superintendent of Schools East Aurora School District 131 Board of Education

From:

Steve Megazzini, Assistant Superintendent of Operations

Subject:

Air Purifier Cell Replacement

The Issue:

Overview of HVAC & Indoor Air Quality Improvements.

Justification:

To ensure the continued maintenance of our previously purchased air purifiers, the unit cells in all four types of units need to be replaced every eighteen months. We last purchased cells in the winter of 2023, using Esser dollars and fortunately, we bought double the quantity needed for our Air Surface Pros, which are our highest volume units. We now wish to purchase the replacement cells for the remaining units, ensuring we're covered through the winter of 2026.

Board Policy:

Pursuant to Board Policy 4:150 Facility Management and Building Programs, Board Policy 4:170 – Safety All District buildings and grounds shall be adequately maintained in order to provide an appropriate, safe, and energy efficient physical environment for learning and teaching.

Strategic Plan:

This recommendation supports Strategic Goal #2, Operational Excellence that states the following: *East Aurora School District 131 will align and utilize systems and resources that promote operational excellence, efficiency, and fiscal accountability.*

Supporting Data:

Attached

Recommendation:

Recommend to purchase replacement cells for air purifying units from Best America LLC. In the amount of \$61,500.

Continued recommendations to the BOE will be forthcoming.

Timeline for Decision

April 21, 2025

Quote

BestAmerica LLC Michael Jackson

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DATE	SHIPPED VIA	METHOD OF PAYMENT
3-10-2025		

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	AMOUNT
16	AP Medical cells and HEPA	325.00	5,200.00
100	AP500 annual service cells	83.00	8,300.00
100	Hydroxyl Blaster set of 4 cells	479.00	47,900.00
			61,400.00

shipping 100.00
Tax number on file

61,500.00