



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 16-Oct-24

Agenda # _____

Staff/Administrator: Stephanie Allen-Hart

Superintendent: Dave Valenzuela

Type of Item: ☐ *Informational* ☒ *Action*

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

I am requesting approval for a staff member-Brian Fitzsimmons, Life Skills Special Education Teacher, Fleming to attend a 2 day Crisis Prevention and Intervention training in Vancouver, Washington October 22-23, 2024.

Provide history/background information on your proposal.

Brian is a CPI trainer for our district and are seeking to gain more skills in helping staff to de-escalate students. This two day training delivered by <https://www.ukerusystems.com/> will focus on verbal de-escalation skills.

List the advantages of your proposal:

We already have 1 staff trained in the district and having 2 staff trained to be trainers for Ukeru will help our staff and students stay safe and limit the need for any physical restraining. The Oregon Department of Education has offered a grant to fully pay for this training and travel and the funds need to be used within a year.

List possible disadvantages of your proposal:

There are no disadvantages

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

There are other trainings in other locations but Vancouver is the closest to Three Rivers.

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes ☐ No ☐