

Consider approval of the purchase of aircraft materials from AviationNation, Inc.

1. Background:

Southwest High School began the build of their first plane in 2018 and it was unveiled in the Spring of 2024. Southwest High School students are currently building the second plane which is a VANS RV-12. The remaining components of the build are the Fuselage Kit, Power Plant Kit, and the Prop Kit. There has been an extensive investment of time and resources from the community with a local experimental aircraft association working in collaboration with our CTE students as volunteers.

2. Process:

This purchase was procured through RFP 2223-120 Instructional Materials and Assessment/Test Prep Materials.

3. Fiscal Impact:

The total cost of the materials will not exceed \$130,000. CTE grant funds will be used for this purchase.

4. Recommendation:

That the Board approve the purchase from AviationNation, Inc.

5. Required:

Board action.