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COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

District #111 mchs.net

*Mission: Strengthen **M**astery, **C**ollaboration, **H**igh Expectations, and **S**uccess for All Students.*

Date: 12.12.2025

To: Board of Education
Dr. Robert Schiffbauer

Re: Vivi Wireless Presenting

To the Board of Education,

MCHS is currently implementing **Vivi** wireless presentation devices across five classrooms to trial over the next 30 days. This strategic initiative is designed to enhance both instructional flexibility and school safety by allowing teachers and students to wirelessly display content from any device, thereby minimizing technical issues and increasing mobility during lessons.

The Vivi presentation system offers significant advantages across three key areas: Enhanced Safety and Emergency Alerts, Improved Communication, and Instructional Flexibility.

- **Enhanced Safety:** Vivi automatically displays urgent notifications—including Hold, Secure, Lockdown, and Evacuate alerts—over any active classroom presentation. This ensures clear and instant instructions that significantly improve emergency response time. They have also partnered with Rival5 to incorporate R-Lock via API to automate our emergency messages to all displays.
- **Improved Communication:** To foster better general communication, the system replaces the traditional idle "blue screen" by showing the same announcements displayed on hallway monitors. This turns the projector into an additional tool for school events, reminders, and updates.
- **Instructional Flexibility:** The system introduces new levels of flexibility through features such as wireless screen sharing from multiple devices, quick switching between teacher and student presenters, and fewer technical interruptions due to the elimination of HDMI cables.

The ongoing financial commitment is structured to minimize immediate budgetary impact. For the remainder of the current year, the yearly cost for 130 devices (one per classroom) is being prorated to \$1,625, representing a substantial 90% discount. For the subsequent 5 years, the consistent annual cost for the 130 devices will be \$16,250. Crucially, this expense will not affect the current fiscal year budget and will not require an increase to any accounts in next year's budget. Additionally, the investment is protected as each device is fully covered under the Vivi warranty, and should a newer model be released during any school year, Vivi will provide the replacements at no additional cost. We respectfully request your review to move forward with this critical investment in our district's presentation and safety tool for approval in January. **Below is also a list of other districts that are implementing Vivi in their districts:**

District-Wide (Every Classroom)

- Argo Community High School District 217
- Unity Christian Academy
- Intrinsic Schools
- Lyons Township High School District 204
- Bourbonnais 53 District
- Brookfield-LaGrange Park School District 95
- Plainfield School District 202
- Elmwood Park Community Unit School District
- North Palos SD 117
- Woodridge School District 68
- St. Charles Community Unit School District 303

Significant Purchases (High Adoption, Not Fully District-Wide)

- Highland Community School District 5
- Bensenville SD #2
- Elgin Math & Science Academy
- Central School District 104
- Lisle CUSD 202
- Hinckley-Big Rock CUSD #429
- Hoover-Schrum Memorial SD 157
- Burbank School District