

## **Livonia Public Schools**

Academic Services

Date: September 17, 2020

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent

From: Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

Subject: Recommendation to Purchase i-Ready

**Diagnostic Assessments and Instructional Licenses** 

I would like to request to be placed on the agenda for the Committee of the Whole Meeting on September 21 to discuss the recommendation to purchase i-Ready diagnostic and instructional licenses. Since the 2016-17 school year, we have been administering i-Ready Diagnostic assessments in both reading and mathematics at the elementary level. At the middle school level, we have been giving the i-Ready diagnostic to all students and targeted instructional licenses since the 2018-19 school year. We also utilize the diagnostic in some of our ninth grade classes. We assess students three times a year, utilizing the results in order to determine how students are performing and what instructional needs they have. These assessments provide teachers with specific information about students' strengths and weaknesses with grade level standards.

This year we would like to purchase instructional licenses for all elementary students, as a part of their asynchronous learning at home. We will continue to use targeted instructional licenses for middle and high school classes.

The summary of the attached quote follows:

Product	List Price	Savings	Total
i-Ready Instructional	\$325,856.00	\$47,635	\$278,221.00
and Diagnostic			
Professional	\$32,000.00	\$8,000	\$24,000.00
Development			
Subtotal List Price	\$357,856.00		
Savings	(\$55,635.00)		
SH	\$0.00		
Total	\$302,221.00		