

TO: David Meadows  
FROM: Nancy Williams McReynolds  
RE: Single Source Purchases  
DATE: September 13, 2011

Please request approval from the Board for the following single source purchases for the month of September, 2011.

**SS1208 APPLE COMPUTER INC** Teacher Laptops  
Amount \$14,805.00 Fund: District Funds

Linda Pannell wishes to purchase fifteen Apple Teacher Laptops to replace lost and/or damaged teacher computers. Apple Computer Inc. is the sole creator, manufacturer, and distributor of these Apple computers. They are recognized as sole source by the Apple Express Products List with the State of Mississippi.

**SS1209 LEARNING A-Z** Renewal & New software for K-6 sites  
Amount \$17,513.55 Fund: Federal Funds

Dale Warriner wishes to purchase a subscription renewal for six websites for kindergarten through 6<sup>th</sup> grade for the period of September 2011 through September 14, 2012. This will align all six Learning A-Z programs so that all will expire on September 14, 2012, including RAZ KIDS on a purchase order last Board meeting. Learning A-Z is the sole creator, publisher, manufacturer, and distributor for Reading A-Z, Vocabulary A-Z, Writing A-Z, Science A-Z, Reading Tutors and RAZ Kids and also all associated professional development and training.

**SS1210 SUNBURST VISUAL MEDIA** LEARN 360 Software Licenses - District  
Amount \$7,085.00 Fund: Title 1 Funds

Diana Ezell and Dale Warriner wish to purchase LEARN 360 Software Licenses for thirteen sites. The term of this agreement will be July 1, 2011 through and including July 31, 2012. Sunburst Visual Media, a division of AIM Education, Inc. is the sole source provider of the media-on-demand service, Learn360.

**SS1211 APPLE COMPUTER INC. IPADS FOR K-2 SITES/DISTRICT**

Qty 63	Site: Thomas St. School	Amount \$30,177	Fund: Federal Funds
Qty 60	Site: Carver School	Amount \$28,740	Fund: Federal Funds
Qty 24	Site: King ECEC	Amount \$11,496	Fund: Federal Funds
Qty 60	Site: Parkway School	Amount \$28,740	Fund: Federal Funds
Qty 60	Site: Joyner School	Amount \$28,740	Fund: Federal Funds
Qty 3	Site: District	Amount \$1,437	Fund: District Funds

Dale Warriner wishes to purchase iPad 2 devices for pre-kindergarten through 2nd grade schools. These iPADS will provide learning centers for

the children and actively engage them while integrating technology into the classrooms at an early age. Apple Computer Inc. is the sole creator, manufacturer, and distributor of these Apple computers. They are recognized as sole source by the Apple Express Products List with the State of Mississippi.