

Livonia Public Schools

District Services

Date: October 13, 2025

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent

From: William Green, Assistant Superintendent of Operations and District Services

Re: Purchase of SHS Bleachers – Practice Field

I would like to discuss the purchase of the Stevenson High School practice field bleachers at the next Committee of the Whole meeting on October 13, 2025.

Background and Next Steps

As part of the ongoing development of Stevenson's athletic facilities, the new practice field requires bleachers to accommodate spectators during practices and competitive events. Currently, the field lacks any seating infrastructure. To support the installation, a concrete pad will be poured and engineered to bear the structural load of the bleachers. The proposed purchase includes two sets of bleachers, with each set seating up to 60 occupants, providing a total capacity of 120. This addition will significantly improve the spectator experience and support the school's athletic programming.

Recommendation

We recommend awarding the purchase to Southern Bleacher Company of Graham, Texas. The pricing is available through BuyBoard, a government purchasing program that meets the Board's bidding requirements. The total cost for the two sets of bleachers is \$35,850, which includes delivery and installation. Funding will be provided through the General Fund.

Please contact me if you have questions. Thank you.

Attachments

WG/AS

c: Board of Education