



Consent Item

Date: April 14, 2025

Division: Finance

Subject: Consider Approval of 2023 Bond First-Sale Technology Device Replacement: Student iPads (4th & 9th Grade) – Cooperative Contract(s) (TC01)

Background Information:

- As the LISD technology devices continue to age, there is the risk of incurring more repair costs, increased technical support needs, and technical disruptions. These devices must be replaced periodically, and the replacement budget must accommodate inflation.
- In May 2022, the District established a multiphase device evaluation process. A committee was formed and included teachers from all grade levels, multiple programs, every high school feeder pattern, and a range of curriculum areas. Committee members provided feedback to help support the need to continue with Apple devices for both students and staff. This information was provided to the LISD Board of Trustees.
- On November 7, 2023, the LISD voters approved a \$1,030,177,000 Bond Referendum. The Bond included Proposition C which provides funds to update and purchase instructional technology equipment.

Administrative Consideration:

- If approved, this recommendation will provide new devices for 4th and 9th-grade students to replace their current iPads as part of the 2023 Bond project. Each replacement device will include a rugged protective case with a built-in keyboard and trackpad, as well as three years of comprehensive AppleCare+ coverage.
- Vendors who have been awarded a cooperative contract have undergone a competitive procurement process that complies with state and federal procurement laws.
- Funds for this purchase will come from the 2023 Technology Bond Fund, IFEE, and departmental funds.
- Estimated expenditures for the replacement devices, three years Apple Care+, and rugged protective case: \$3,605,250, but will not exceed the approved budgets.
- This procurement complies with Section 44.031 of the Texas Education Code and other applicable procurement laws.

Recommendations:

- That the Lewisville ISD Board of Trustees approves the use of an LISD-eligible cooperative contract for Technology Device Replacement: Student iPads (4th & 9th Grade) – Cooperative Contract(s), the associated awarded vendor, and the estimated expenditures effective upon award.

Timeline/Report:

- Upon Approval