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Superintendent of Schools

To: RIMSD 41 Board of Education
From: Dr. Sharon Williams
Cabinet Champion: Annaka Whiting, CFO
Date: April 8, 2025
Re: Illinois High School Association Compliance

Starting in the 2026-2027 school year, the Illinois High School Association (IHSA) will require a 35-second shot clock for all varsity basketball games. This change will apply to all varsity games, including overtime periods. To ensure we are fully prepared for this transition, it is critical that we install the necessary shot clocks in both the Fieldhouse and Small Gym during the upcoming summer months. Installing the shot clocks ahead of time will allow us to properly train staff and test the operation of the clocks during non-conference games to ensure everything functions smoothly.

The proposed shot clock installations are as follows:

- **Fieldhouse Shot Clock:** \$13,243.00 from Sievert Electric, plus an additional \$1,530.00 for a new controller.
- **Small Gym Shot Clock:** \$9,250.15 from Correct Digital Displays, Inc.

Both of these vendors are included in the Sourcewell approved co-op, which ensures we are purchasing through reputable sources offering competitive pricing.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve purchase of shot clocks from Sievert Electric in the amount of \$14,773.00 and Correct Digital Displays, Inc in the amount of \$9,250.15.

Investment Period: N/A
Total Investment: \$24,023.15
Funding Source: Athletic Department District Funds