

Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: March 24, 2022

TOPIC: 2022-2023 Project Lead the Way (PLTW) Terms and Conditions

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Recommended for:

□ Discussion

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Purpose/Background:

The Board approves all District contracts.

Project Lead the Way (PLTW) is the organization that creates and maintains the curriculum for the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) programs implemented across the District. At the middle school, the program is called PLTW Gateway. The K-5 program is called PLTW Launch. PLTW requests annual agreement to a set of Terms and Conditions. PLTW supports districts with updates and new program information throughout the year. The District is assessed an annual subscription fee for each building participating.

The District's Legal Counsel reviewed the Terms and Conditions and found them to be the same as the 2021-2022 school year. Counsel determined the Terms to be acceptable. In their analysis, the Terms and Conditions document plus the Privacy Policy contain the necessary information in order to comply with the Student Online Personal Protection Act (SOPPA), including description of information collected, use of data, parent requests, etc.

Fiscal Impact:

PLTW applies a \$950 per school annual fee for developing, maintaining, and supporting the curriculum. The total amount of the fee is \$2,850. This is the same fee as the 2021-2022 school year.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concur to approve the PLTW Terms and Conditions for the 2022-2023 school year and the annual subscription fee in the amount of \$2,850.