



Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: March 24, 2022

TOPIC: 2022-2023 Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) Renewal

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Recommended for:

- ☒ Action
- ☒ Discussion
- ☒ Information

Purpose/Background:

The Board of Education approves all contracts over \$10,000.

Northwest Evaluation Association (NWEA) provides the Measures of Academic Progress (MAP) testing program. The District has used this assessment to measure student growth and achievement, set individual student goals, and recommend students for District programming over the past several years. Given the unique application of this product in the District, use of another vendor's product was not considered at this time.

The District's Legal Counsel reviewed the Master Subscription Agreement and found the renewal to be acceptable. Counsel noted the Master Subscription Agreement is identical to the current Agreement and it contains all of the custom changes the District previously requested. Therefore, Counsel suggested the following language continue to be incorporated into the documentation:

This Schedule A is subject to the Custom Master Subscription Agreement between the parties effective May 7, 2020 (the "Agreement"). By signing this Schedule A you agree you have read, understand, and agree to the terms of the Agreement.

Counsel went on to note that the Privacy and Security for PII page contains the necessary information to comply with the Student Online Personal Protection Act (SOPPA), including the disclosure of the types of student information that is potentially being collected, their use and disclosure practices, security practices, and parent access.

Fiscal Impact:

The annual subscription rate is \$15,687. For the 2021-2022 school year, the rate was \$14,525. The District intends to include this subscription fee in the budget for the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) III grant.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to renew the Contract with NWEA for MAP testing services in the amount of \$15,687 for the 2022-23 school year.