Extension of Proposal 120208 for Miscellaneous Data Drops

April 9, 2013

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval of the first and only extension of RFP 120208 with TFE for a term of one year.

BOARD GOAL:

VI. Growth, Change & Fiscal Responsibility... demonstrate effective and efficient management of district resources

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

The current proposal was approved on February 28, 2012.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Drops will be added district wide on an as-needed basis.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

This is the first and only extension.

TFE is requesting a price increase for the extension of this contract due to TFE's cost of overall goods. The price requested is a \$10 increase per drop, making each drop \$150, and a cost of base plus 10% for any patch panels, racks, pathways and wire management that may be needed. TFE is also requesting a per trip charge fee of \$75 for trips that are installing less than 10 drops.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

Costs will be borne by the appropriate general fund budget.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

Passage will allow for the addition of data drops when needed.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

None

ALTERNATIVES:

The alternative would be to hire one or more in-house data drop installers.

OTHER COMMENTS:

None

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the board approve the first and only extension with TFE for miscellaneous data drops for a term of one year with the requested increases.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Debbie Monschke, Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services Kathy Arrington, Purchasing Agent Alyce Hamman, Purchasing Buyer

ATTACHMENT:

None

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APPROVAL: Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:	
Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:	
Signature of Superintendent:	