# **Executive Summary**

# Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting April 27, 2021

## **Denton ISD Utility Management Report**

#### **Board Goal:**

VI. Growth & Change ... In pursuit of excellence, the district will:

Be environmentally responsible and aggressively pursue energy efficiency and conservation principles in building design, transportation alternatives and operating procedures.

#### Purpose of Report

The Purpose of this Report is to inform the Board of Trustees of utility management processes in all Denton ISD's facilities from July 2020 – December 2020. This report includes the following:

- 1) Total consumption and cost comparison.
- 2) Analysis by utility type.
- 3) Percentage change of energy use.

#### **Objectives**

- Provide the District with a means to monitor all utilities on a real time basis and adjust schedules as needed for a more efficient use of resources.
- Integrate high performance or green technologies within existing District facilities.
- Continue to address and meet state mandated goals for energy reduction.
- Provide safe learning environments for students, staff and public.

### **Operational Impact**

- Continue to tightly manage building operation through the use of information and the EMS/Control System
  - Over 6,000 Pieces of HVAC Equipment
  - Over ~ 1000 Individual Points / Zones of Irrigation Control
- Potential Opportunities
  - Evaluation of VRF (Variable Refrigerant Flow) at Woodrow Wilson & Strickland
  - Controls system upgrades from INET to TRIDIUM (2018 Bond)
  - Additional Equipment changeout (2018 Bond)

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• Clockworks pilot program at RHS (energy oversight software)

#### Results

This information is provided to the Board of Trustees to ensure they are kept abreast of the District's energy consumption. This also provides a comprehensive plan for more energy reductions in the future. We will continue to monitor all public resources in order to offer safe and secure learning environments for students, staff and public.

### **Other Options**

No other options are available at this time