## **Livonia Public Schools**

## **Director of Operations**

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent

From: Phillip Francis, Director of Operations

Date: April 25, 2018

Re: Boiler Replacements - Sinking Fund

Last fall the District replaced several traditional boilers at Frost Middle School with three high efficiency boilers. At that time, we called this the Frost Boiler Pilot and took the opportunity to evaluate the success of the new boiler system. At that time, we left in place the traditional boilers to be used as back up, in case the new boilers failed. After this winter, our maintenance team has concluded the new, high efficiency boilers will be successful, but we would like to fully replace all traditional boilers at Frost and run one more winter prior to proceeding with boiler replacements at other school buildings. To that end, we have put out for bid a fourth and final boiler for Frost. Additionally, we have bid out pool boiler replacements for Stevenson and Franklin High Schools. Churchill has recently had its pool boiler replaced.

The bids for both sinking fund projects were opened on the afternoon of April 25, 2018. Our team needs time to review the bids and conduct post-bid interviews. I will bring details of the bid results, along with a recommendation, to the Committee of the Whole meeting on Monday, April 30, 2018. Please add this item to the agenda. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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