



Livonia Public Schools

Academic Services

Date: March 10, 2021

To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent

From: Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

Subject: **ESSER Fund Grant Purchase - Mobile Devices**

I am asking that a request for the purchase of additional Computers/Chromebooks for \$159,975 be placed on the Curriculum Committee agenda for the March 15, 2021 Board of Education Committee of the Whole meeting.

We have applied and received a grant to purchase computers or devices. This Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund grant (ESSER) was targeted at providing materials and services to reduce the digital divide and support students. Our grant application was approved to fill the following requested need:

To secure additional mobile devices for students who have a non-school issued device at home, but are not able to bring the device to school. These devices would be housed in the building for student use during the school day.

This grant would provide us with the additional devices to support students in our school buildings with on-line activities and learning.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.