BOARD MEETING MEMORANDUM

Board Meeting Date: April 15th, 2025

From: Aimee Redding, Coordinator of Multilingual English Learners

Re: EL Resource | Continental Press Materials

Attachments: Requested materials

Agenda Location: Consideration to Approve: Action items

Rationale:

There are two additional materials that will complete the curricular needs for English Learners. Both materials are from Continental Press and are supplemental materials to meet unique needs. *Ready, Set, Go, Newcomers* is a printed curricular material that will support newcomers and provide a specific scope and sequence to guide instruction of foundational English vocabulary. Newcomers have a variety of educational backgrounds that require having a diverse set of materials to teach foundational English. The second material, *Finish Line*, is a material that will provide instruction that aligns with the WIDA ACCESS test. It explicitly practices the four language domains (Listening, Speaking, Reading, and Writing) and incorporates expectations and rubrics that match with the expectations in the WIDA English Language Development Standards.

Recommendation/Motion:

The Administration recommends that the Board approve Continental Press materials *Ready, Set, Go Newcomer* and *Finish Line* as an English Language Learners Resource at the price not to exceed \$3,924.82..