



# Livonia Public Schools

*Academic Services*

Date: May 31, 2022  
To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent  
From: Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer  
Subject: Pear Deck Recommendation

I would like to request to be placed on the Curriculum Committee agenda for the June 6, 2022, Board of Education Committee of the Whole meeting. I would like to share a recommendation to purchase a three-year subscription of the Google Extension platform Pear Deck by GoGuardian for \$132,600.00.

Pear Deck is a digital tool that allows teachers more in-depth and graphic control when using Google Slides and creating formative assessments for use in our Google Classrooms.

Beginning in the spring of 2020, we allowed teachers to utilize the extensions and platforms they were already familiar with as they taught virtually for the first time. We would like to streamline that process and support teachers by utilizing the same platform, Pear Deck, across the district.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.