

Executive Summary

Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting

November 16, 2021

WiFi Connectivity For Buses Using The Federal Emergency Connectivity Fund

Board Goal:

Teaching and Learning

- Foster continuous improvement in teaching, learning, technology and leadership
- Foster and support an advanced digital learning environment

Growth & Management

- Foster and support an advanced digital learning environment
- Provide leadership and/or oversight to ensure District meets all fiscal, legal and regulatory requirements

Purpose of Report

The purpose of this report is to inform the Board of Trustees of District efforts to take advantage of the Emergency Connectivity Fund to equip the District bus fleet with WiFi.

Objectives

The objective of this initiative is to provide WiFi on District buses using federal ECF funds resulting in a net zero cost to the District.

Operational Impact

This initiative will have a net zero fiscal impact for the District for this fiscal year.

Results

This initiative will provide WiFi service on every active bus in the District fleet and enable students to maximize their utilization of the devices provided in the District's one-to-one initiative by providing them a fully filtered internet connection on their daily bus rides as well as bus rides to events.

Other Options