

Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: December 15, 2022 TOPIC: QuaverEd, Inc. Music Program PREPARED BY: Dominick Lupo

Recommended for:

☑ Action

☑ Discussion

☑ Information

Purpose/Background:

QuaverEd, Inc. Music is a technology-based music curriculum that will give our music teachers across the district an excellent resource to build lessons, customize lessons, and to build activities that create excitement and engagement for our students. This resource is completely web-based, and offers curriculum and lesson planning tools in an engaging platform that is compatible with our students' individual devices, and the lessons are also compatible with our new BenQ boards. The lessons and tools are designed with engagement in mind, and once our teachers become even more familiar with all of the tools available, students will begin to not only engage with music topics and standards, but they will also find themselves creating music using notes on scales and interactive instruments. Currently, our music teachers are using a free version of this program, and they are excited about the opportunity to unlock the full capabilities of the program with an official subscription.

District Legal Counsel reviewed the Terms and Conditions and presented an amendment that the QuaverEd, Inc. integrations manager, Jeffrey Bond, agreed to and signed.

Counsel also offered an opinion and document related to the National Data Privacy Agreement (IL-NDPA) necessitated by the Student Online Personal Protection Act (SOPPA). QuaverEd Inc. agreed to our requests and also signed the provided NDPA.

Fiscal Impact:

\$840 per music teacher in our district. We have three total general music teachers, leading to a final cost of \$2,520 for three, 12-month subscriptions.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to accept this quote from QuaverEd, Inc. in the amount of \$2,520 for a one-year subscription from January 16, 2023 to January 16, 2024.