

AGENDA ITEM

Subject: Discuss and approve E-rate WAN Network Bids

Rationale: Donald Gordon has been collecting bids for a 10 year contract for a fiber-based Wide Area Network (WAN) for our District. This is an allowable expense that will be submitted for E-rate which if approved will pay for 80% of our costs. Attached are the submitted bids. Donald will review the submitted bids as well as the benefits and disadvantages of the various types of fiber.

Recommendation: Approve Wide Area Network dark fiber bid from LightStream.