



Sharon Williams, Ed.D.  
*Superintendent of Schools*

To: RIMSD 41 Board of Education  
From: Dr. Sharon Williams  
Cabinet Champion: Annaka Whiting, CFO  
Date: March 11, 2025  
Re: 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Instrument Purchase

The Business Office received a request from Mr. Carlin, Band Director, to purchase ten (10) new instruments for the 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade band program. Three quotes were obtained from various suppliers, and after evaluation, staff recommended purchasing the instruments from Kidder Music.

**It is recommended that the Board of Education approve Kidder Music, 7728 N Crestline Drive, Peoria, IL 61615, to purchase instruments for the 6<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> grade band program for \$14,315.00**

**Investment Period: N/A**  
**Total Investment: \$14,315**  
**Funding Source: District Funds**