Denton Independent School District

Istation Reading Purchase

June 21, 2022

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval of the quote from Istation Reading in the amount of \$210,000.00 for teacher instructional resources.

BOARD GOAL:

Growth & Management - Demonstrate effective and efficient management of district resources

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

The Board approved the Instructional Materials Allotment adoption for teacher instructional resources on June 8th, 2021.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Curriculum Department requested a quote for the renewal of Istation Reading for 2nd through 5th grade to access literacy progress for our elementary students. The quote was reviewed by the requesting content areas within the Curriculum Department to ensure items quoted maintained the current District curriculum standard along with item pricing. The quote from Istation totals \$210,000.00.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

The teacher instructional resource will provide curriculum items within the content area of reading. These resources will be purchased through the Denton ISD RFP #2011-18. This purchase is being brought for approval in accordance with the District's CH (local) policy.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

The cost will be borne through the ESSER grant funds.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

The approval of this purchase will allow the district to continue the use of this program which will provide continuity of growth and understanding with our students and teachers. The data gathered from Istation is shared with the School Board to provide insight for future needs. The approval of this purchase will allow for the District to secure online access to Istation Reading and arrange for delivery in time to be ready for the 2022-2023 school year.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the quote from Istation in the amount of \$210,000.00 for the purchase of Istation Reading be approved.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Mike Mattingly, Associate Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction Vicki Garcia, Executive Director of Financial Operations Sandy Brown, Director of Elementary Curriculum & Instruction Cindy Willis, Director of Purchasing

ATTACHMENTS:

None

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:

Signature of Superintendent: