

Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: January 20, 2022

TOPIC: 2022-2023 PebbleGo by Capstone Renewal

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Recommended for:

□ Discussion

Purpose/Background:

PebbleGo by Capstone is a curricular content hub specifically designed for K-2 students. The service is packed with informational articles, ready-made activities, and literacy support for students of all abilities, it boosts engagement and fosters independent learning in core subject areas. This product has been in use for many years at Todd Hall and fits the needs of K-2 learners.

In the past students and teachers have used the following educational modules related to this product: Animals, Social Studies, Science, Biographies, Health, Read More: Animals, and Read More: Science. PebbleGo by Capstone has reorganized its modules and integrated some of its topics into others. After conducting a usage assessment, the District will be scaling back its subscriptions to reflect only the resources that are essential for student use. At the same time, we have asked the vendor to offer a longer than normal contract so that this product will expire at the end of the 2023 school year to align with our fiscal year. District Legal Counsel has reviewed the Terms and Quote for PebbleGo by Capstone and found it acceptable. No amendment is required as it does not appear that SOPPA would apply.

Fiscal Impact:

\$1,340.22 for the use of three modules from PebbleGo by Capstone. (The District paid PebbleGo by Capstone \$1,799.00 in 2021-2022) Future years will be billed at an estimated \$999.00 for the same services.

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to approve the PebbleGo by Capstone Renewal Contract in the amount of \$1,340.22 from February 28, 2022 to June 30, 2023.