

LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Secondary Programs & District Services

From: Daniel R. Willenborg, Director of Secondary Programs & District Services
To: Andrea Oquist, Superintendent
Date: April 25, 2018
Subject: Purchase of Flexible Furniture for Emerson Middle School and LCTC

I am requesting a review and support to purchase the Flexible Furniture plans of Emerson Middle School and the Livonia Career Technical Center. This is a follow up item from the Study Session of April 23, 2018, and as a refresher, it is a Phase III item targeted to secondary furniture replacement from the Bond funds of 2013. Each middle school was afforded \$40,000 and the autonomy to develop with their staff and students, a plan of furniture replacement that would create dynamic and contemporary learning spaces. The LCTC was afforded \$15,000.

The Emerson Plan is to create customizable learning spaces in the Library Media Center. The plan calls for sectional tables and chairs, bench-type seating with square tables, bar height tables with stools, and rolling white board dividers. Their plan also calls for standing student desks and a variety of other alternative seating, such as ball chairs and stool seats that can be added to classrooms on a checkout basis from the LMC. The Emerson staff has consulted with Interior Environments and their partial invoice totals \$33,418.

The Career Center Plan is to enhance their student lounge area with lounge sectional seating, contemporary chairs, and bar height tables with stools. Their plan also calls for an eight foot conference table and conference chairs with fixed arms for a small presentation room. The Career Center staff has consulted with Interior Environments and their invoice totals \$14,912.

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