

**Beeville ISD**  
**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

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## Information

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The Board has asked for a comprehensive summary of the infrastructure needs for the District. The table on the next page identifies the computer peripherals requested by faculty and staff.

- Desktops will be replaced with Next Unit of Computing (NUC) Devices; ten external DVD-RW drives will be available for check-out from campuses because NUC's do not have DVD drives.
- No desktop printers will be ordered; users will access network printers and copiers.
- Lab desktops will be replaced with thin client computers. A Virtual Desktop Implementation (VDI) is being considered but has not been included.
- CATE labs and the ACE department are not included in this plan.
- Received Letter of Engagement from Microsoft; therefore, we will see savings on Windows 10 operating system and Office 365 licenses.
- All laptops will have the new Intel 6<sup>th</sup> Generation dual band wireless AC/Bluetooth cards in them for better connectivity and less drops offs to give our district a better wireless experience.

#### **Warranties:**

- NUC's have a five-year warranty
- Laptops and the thin clients have three-year warranties

#### **Action Items:**

- A list of employees by campus to ensure accurate order count of desktops & laptops.
- Our team needs to decide which instructional assistants will get a computer; these units are not currently included in the totals.

The second page summarizes the improvements to our wireless network.

### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Information only

### **BOARD ACTION REQUIRED:**

None required