

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING  
July 24, 2019**

**ITEM: VI.A.**

**TOPIC:                   Approval of i-Ready Assessment Purchase**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Move that the Board of Education approve the recommendation to purchase i-Ready Diagnostic Assessments for Math and Reading for use at the elementary and secondary levels from Curriculum Associates for \$79,056; i-Ready Reading and Math Instruction for \$13,440; and six days of professional development for \$9,000. The total cost to purchase the Diagnostic Licenses, i-Ready Reading Instruction, and professional development is \$101,496.00. This total reflects a discount savings of \$23,124.00.

**RATIONALE:**

The purchase of i-Ready Diagnostic Assessments will provide all kindergarten through eighth grade students with a State of Michigan approved assessment three times a year. This will provide teachers with their students' strengths and weaknesses in reading and math. Additionally, the i-Ready Instructional licenses will be used for targeted students at the elementary and secondary levels.

**BUDGETARY INFORMATION:**

The funding for this purchase will come from a mixture of Early Literacy Grant funds, 31A At-Risk state funds, and Academic Services Department funds.

**RESOURCE PERSONNEL:**

Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

**EXHIBITS:**

Attachment