Action Sheet

MEETING DATE: August 5, 2020

AGENDA ITEM: Discuss and consider approval for pursuing IMA Funding for a 36 month agreement for a District

Learning Management System

The Canvas Learning Management System is used in Galveston ISD by Pre-K-12 teachers and students. Canvas is in an easy to use cloud-based learning management system that connects all the digital tools and resources teachers use into one simple place. It integrates seamlessly with hundreds of apps, empowering teachers and students with countless tools to make teacher and learning easily accessible. The District would like to renew its contract to purchase Canvas from Instructure, as the LMS system best meets the needs of the District's teachers, students and parents.

The first year cost to the District is \$60,382.65 which allows for 7,650 users. The second year cost is \$63,167.25, and year 3's cost is \$66,250.20. The total 3 year cost, including implementation, will be \$189,800.10.

TEA/IMA has approve funds for the purchase of Canvas through Instructure for 2020-2021 school year in the amount of \$60,382.65. We are requesting Board Approval to make the purchase to continue our Canvas Cloud Subscription starting September 1, 2020. Because IMA Funds are distributed bi-annually, we will request balance once the new funds are allocated.

RECOMMENDATION:

I move the Board of Trustees approve the purchase of Canvas Learning Management System through Instructure using IMA Funds.

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