



ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE

MEETING DATE: March 17, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: Consider Approval of Purchase of Student Chromebooks

PRESENTER: Brooks Moore, Chief Technology Officer

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Per Board Policy CH (Local), any single, budgeted purchase of goods or services that costs \$50,000 or more, regardless of whether the goods or services are competitively purchased, shall require Board approval before a transaction may take place.
- When Lynn McKinney Elementary School (LME) opened in August 2024, rather than purchase new Chromebooks at that time as part of the typical campus technology start up costs, the District shifted, or reallocated, Chromebooks from other campuses to LME. This action allowed the District to effectively and efficiently utilize the District's Chromebook inventory throughout the District and to gain another year of useful life.
- In preparation for the 2025-2026 school year, the District is now recommending the purchase of the Chromebooks not purchased with the opening of LME.
- Upon approval, these devices will be prepared over the summer and installed prior to the start of the 2025-2026 school year.
- The Board of Trustees first discussed this item at the February 17, 2025 Regular Board meeting.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

The equipment cost is \$184,140 and will be paid from 2023 bond funds dedicated to Lynn McKinney Elementary.

ATTACHMENTS:

Quote from CDWG

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

The Administration recommends the Board of Trustees approve the purchase of Chromebooks from CDWG in the amount of \$184,140 as presented.