

Executive Summary Finance Committee Meeting

DATE: June 11, 2020 TOPIC: AT&T ISDN Prime Three-Year Contract Renewal from July 2020 to July 2023 PREPARED BY: Christopher Edman

Recommended for:

⊠ Action

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⊠ Information

Purpose/Background:

The District's ISDN Prime contract with AT&T is up for a three year renewal.

District Legal Counsel has reviewed the contract and found it acceptable as presented. Counsel did note that the Agreement does contain a mandatory arbitration clause, which AT&T is unwilling to negotiate on. As this is typical of standard telephone service agreements and has been a part of previous contracts between the District and AT&T, Counsel did not view its inclusion as problematic. Counsel also noted that there is an early termination penalty of 50% of the monthly fee for the remaining term, but this is waived in the event that the customer rolls over into a new agreement with a similar remaining term.

Fiscal Impact:

\$425.90 per month The District paid \$425.90 per month in 2017-20 with AT&T

Recommendation:

It is the Administrative recommendation that the Finance Committee concurs to recommend to the Board of Education to accept this contract from AT&T for ISDN Prime service in the amount of \$425.90 per month from July 2020 to July 2023.