

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING  
November 23, 2020**

**TOPIC:           Approval to Purchase CogAT and Iowa Testing Materials**

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Move that the Board of Education approve the recommendation to purchase CogAT and Iowa testing materials from Riverside Insights for sixth grade, eighth grade, and gifted and talented programs for a cost of \$31,590.00. This purchase includes online testing licenses for both tests and training on how to administer the tests online.

**RATIONALE:**

The CogAT testing materials will provide our sixth and eighth grade students a nationally normed assessment experience and will provide information for teachers on their students' abilities, and content area strengths and weaknesses. The Iowa test is utilized as part of our identification process for our Academically Talented programs.

**BUDGETARY INFORMATION:**

The funding for this purchase will come from the Academic Services Testing budget.

**RESOURCE PERSONNEL:**

Theresa O'Brien, Chief Academic Officer

**EXHIBITS:**

Attachment