Denton Independent School District Cisco Smart Net Annual Renewal Purchase

June 11, 2024

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval of the quotes in the total amount of \$172,563.93 submitted by Netsync Network Solutions for the District's annual Smart Net maintenance and support contract on Cisco network equipment.

BOARD VALUE:

Growth & Management... In pursuit of excellence, we value demonstrating effective and efficient management of district resources and providing leadership and/or oversight to ensure District meets all fiscal, legal, and regulatory requirements.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Smart Net Total Care (Smart Net) provides product-level technical support, hardware replacement, and OS software updates on all critical components of the district's network infrastructure equipment. Netsync Network Solutions is a preferred provider of Cisco products and systems.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

This will be purchased through a State of Texas DIR Contract# DIR-TSO-4167. This is being brought for approval in accordance with the District's CH (local) policy.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

The cost will be borne through the 2023 Bond.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

Passage will allow the District to continue using Cisco's product line in addition to providing the maintenance and support on the covered products.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended the quote from Netsync Network Solutions for the District's annual Smart Net maintenance and support contract be approved.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Robert Pierce, Chief Technology Officer Graham Walden, Senior Network Infrastructure Architect Cindy Willis, Director of Purchasing

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:

Signature of Superintendent: _____