

**ALBANY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD AGENDA BACKUP**

Regular Meeting of May 28, 2024

ITEM: INDEPENDENT SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH ADAPTIVE NETWORKS FOR INSTALLATION OF CLASSROOM DISPLAYS AT ALBANY MIDDLE AND ALBANY HIGH SCHOOL

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TYPE OF ITEM: CONSENT

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this item is for the Board of Trustees to approve the Independent Contractor Services Agreement with Adaptive Networks for the installation of classroom displays at Albany Middle and Albany High School.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The projectors at Albany Middle and Albany High School were originally installed approximately 11+ years ago. This equipment has reached the end of useful life and many of the projectors have failed this year. Although AUSD Technology Services has been able to repair the equipment or replace it with spare projectors, a refresh is needed. As the equipment is newer in the Albany Middle School Annex and Albany High School Addition buildings, they are not included in this project.

DETAILS:

AUSD Technology Services met with a group of teachers from both Albany Middle and Albany High School to discuss this project. The consensus was that high-definition television (HDTV) displays were the best choice vs. projectors. These HDTVs offer much better resolution, are brighter and cost less than high-definition projectors. With no lamps and filters to clean or replace, HDTVs also require less maintenance.

AUSD Technology Services installed two HDTVs at each school for a pilot program, using three different mounting options. Technology Services also worked with individual teachers to determine the preferred mounting location in each classroom. The installation is scheduled to take place over the summer.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION: The cost estimate for installation of the displays is \$146,106 from the bond fund.

STRATEGIC GOALS ADDRESSED:



Objective #3: Communicate and Lead Together.

Goal: All stakeholders will collaborate and communicate about decisions that guide the sites and district.

RECOMMENDATION: APPROVE THE INDEPENDENT SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH ADAPTIVE NETWORKS FOR INSTALLATION OF CLASSROOM DISPLAYS AT ALBANY MIDDLE AND ALBANY HIGH SCHOOL