To: Board of Education

From: Jerri Kemble, assistant superintendent, innovation & technology, ext. 2755

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Re: Skyward Annual License Fee for 2017-2018

Date: April 6, 2017

Background:

Skyward became the district's Student Information System (SIS) beginning with the 2007-2008 school year. The district has renewed the Skyward License each year since and expanded with the Parent Access module.

Rationale:

As with all large software packages, it is necessary to pay annual maintenance in order to continue to receive product support and upgrades. For the 2017-2018 school year, the Skyward Annual License Fee is \$106,588.

Recommendation:

Administration recommends board approval for payment of the Skyward Annual License Fee in the amount of \$106,588 to be paid out of the Technology General Fund for Software Services (0125800000-54440).

Motion:

"I move the Board of Education approve payment of the Skyward Annual License Fee for the 2017-2018 school year."