BOE Agenda Item Executive Summary
May 24, 2021

Topic: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt, Cengage Learning, Gibbs Smith Education, and TCi - Secondary Social Studies Curricular Resources

Background Information:

During the 2018-2019 school year, our Kansas State Standards for History/Government were updated. We have not adopted or purchased curricular resources for our courses in over 10 years. For our courses at both the middle and high school level, a committee of educators in WPS reviewed current resources available for purchase that will align with our updated standards. This committee recommended our district purchase the following materials to support our courses and programming.

Resources Include:

HS Course: Psychology
Company: Houghton Mifflin Harcourt Company

- Online Teacher Editions – access for 7 years
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Student access to online resources for 7 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $60,000 (Quote: $48,122.10)

HS Course: Government and AP Government
Company: McGraw Hill

- Teacher Editions – one-time purchase
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Access to online resources for 6 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $190,000.00 (Quote: $177,450.74)

Courses: World History, US History 1 and 2
Company: Cengage Learning

- Teacher Editions – one-time purchase
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Access to online resources for 6 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $1,490,000.00 (Quote: $1,477,797.65)

MS Course: Kansas History
Company: Gibbs Smith Education

- Teacher Editions – one-time purchase
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Access to online resources for 5 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $470,000 (Quote: $457,326.46)

MS Course: World Geography
Company: TCi

- Online Teacher Editions – Access for 6 years
- Student Textbooks – one-time purchase
- Access to online resources for 6 years

Recommendation: Purchase not to exceed $400,000 (Quote: $385,337.40)