Appendix 7

BOE Agenda Item Executive Summary
Date: July 31, 2023

Topic: Elementary Reading Intervention Pilot

Background Information (History, Rationale, etc):
Our Elementary Literacy Protocol guides our use of district approved curriculum for core and intervention instruction for all K-5 students. Tier 3 intervention materials are utilized to address the most foundational skills for students who are struggling the most to develop proficient reading skills. There are currently 6 different curriculums that we use to address Tier 3 needs, most of which are out of edition. We started to pilot 2 comprehensive Tier 3 programs during the 2022-2023 school year and would like to continue at the following buildings: Caldwell, Colvin, Cleaveland, Allen, Jackson, Enders, and Dodge. Making a good decision on what will replace the majority of what we currently use and be aligned to International Dyslexia recommendations and Structured Literacy is important and we did not feel that the brief pilot we conducted gave us enough time to make a decision.