



1000 West Eighth Street • P.O. Box 3033 • Gillette, Wyoming 82717-3033

Office: (307) 682-5171 Fax: (307) 682-6619

Teaching Effectively - Learning Successfully

Alex Ayers, Ed.D.

Superintendent of Schools

David Bartlett

Associate Superintendent
for Instructional Support

Carl Fox

Purchasing Manager

April 23, 2026

To: Board of Trustees

From: David Bartlett 
Associate Superintendent for Instructional Support

Re: Approval for Dell Servers

Device	Unit Cost	Total for 2 Units
PowerEdge R6615 Smart Selection Server	\$57,501.62	\$115,003.24

Rational for purpose of the purchase: The upgrading of servers is to modernize our server infrastructure, which is a critical investment to provide a safe, stable, and high-performance digital environment for student learning. Servers provide wireless control over student and teacher devices and ensures both staff and student devices maintain high-speed connectivity while allowing IT to prioritize bandwidth for instructional needs, thereby reducing network disruptions to learning. Servers serve as a reliable backbone necessary for a school districts infrastructure, which allows teachers to implement innovative instructional practices and for students to engage seamlessly with the digital tools for learning. These Servers are sole sourced through Dell Computers and final total may vary due to market volatility.

Source of Funds: General – Technology Funds.

Recommendation: Approve replacement of servers.