



PALISADES CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

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Information Technology Director

COVER SHEET FOR AGENDA ITEMS

March 15, 2022

TOPIC/ AGENDA ITEM:

Adoption and approval of the Associate Membership Agreement between the Education Technology Joint Powers Authority (EdTech JPA) and Palisades Charter High School

PERSONNEL INVOLVED:

Information Technology Director, Chief Business Officer

ISSUES INVOLVED/FISCAL IMPLICATIONS (IF ANY):

The purpose of this action is to enter into an Associate Membership Agreement with the EdTech JPA, allowing PCHS to leverage the purchasing power of the JPA to obtain economically priced technology services and products. There is no cost involved with membership nor obligation to purchase through the EdTech JPA.

IMPACT ON SCHOOL MISSION, VISION OR GOALS, (IF ANY):

The action requested of the Board today will support school goals for fiscal responsibility.

OPTIONS OR SOLUTIONS:

The Board can consider forming a JPA with other schools to negotiate better pricing through collective bargaining agreements, join existing JPA's to increase the potential for cost savings, or utilize only traditional bids, retail, and State and Federal pricing contracts. The expectation is that the Board approve the Associate Membership Agreement with the Ed Tech JPA, as the most immediate and beneficial option for potential future cost savings to PCHS.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DIRECTOR RECOMMENDATION:

The Information Technology Director recommends the Board approve the motion to sign the Associate Membership Agreement with the Ed Tech JPA.



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RECOMMENDED MOTION:

“To approve the signing of the Associate Membership Agreement between Palisades Charter High School and the Education Technology Joint Powers Authority and approve the application submission to the Education Technology JPA”

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