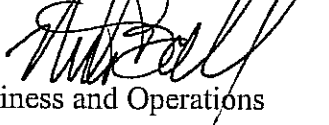




# College Station Independent School District

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## MEMORANDUM

To: Dr. Eddie Coulson, Superintendent 

From: Mike Ball, Deputy Superintendent for Business and Operations

Date: August 14, 2008

Subject: Purchase through Department of Information Resources (DIR) of Annual Hardware Maintenance and Software Support for the Hewlett Packard Server running Pentamation applications

Agenda Item: K-7

Board Priority/  
District Goal: Priority 3, Goal 4

## BACKGROUND

The annual hardware maintenance and software support for the Hewlett Packard server running Pentamation applications is available from Hewlett Packard through the Department of Information Resources (DIR).

Local board policy requires approval of an expenditure of this amount. This proposed expenditure is comprised of the normal annual maintenance fees associated with the server that houses the majority of the District's student data and all the financial and payroll applications.

## RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees of College Station Independent School District consider authorization of Purchase through Department of Information Resources (DIR) of Annual Hardware Maintenance and Software Support for the Hewlett Packard Server in the amount of \$59,776.08.