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TO: Glynn Walker
DATE: February 14, 2012
SUBJECT: Wireless Access Points and Controller for College Station High School

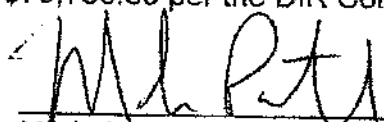
As part of the 2009 bond program, the Technology Department has identified the wireless networking requirements for College Station High School. These wireless access points and controller are available on the Department of Information Resources (DIR) contract #DIR-SDD-1467.

The Department of Information Resources (DIR) is an agency of the State of Texas that has established contracts with vendors for technology related products and services. DIR contracts have been competitively bid and meet the competitive bid requirements stipulated in Texas Government Code, Section 791.025. As a public school district we are eligible to purchase from DIR contracted vendors and receive the discounts that are based on the state's anticipated volume for participating state agencies, public institutions of higher education, public school districts and other local governments.

The Technology Department has worked with Layer 3 Communications, a participating vendor of the DIR to compile the attached quotes for these Aruba wireless access points and controller.

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| Wireless Access Points | Layer 3 Communications #32 | \$51,858.48 |
| Controller | Layer 3 Communications #27 | \$23,928.41 |
| Total | | \$75,786.89 |

It is the recommendation of Mark Pantel, Director of Purchasing and Chris Speier, Director of Technology that we purchase the wireless access points and controller for College Station High School from Layer 3 Communications for \$75,786.89 per the DIR Contract.



Mark Pantel, Director of Purchasing



Chris Speier, Director of Technology