

## **BOARD AGENDA ITEM**

**JANUARY 22, 2013**

### **SUBJECT:**

Update on Migration Project from Novell to a Windows Based Operating System

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

In the spring of 2012 the Board approved the migration to a more suitable network operating system (i.e. Windows 2008) infrastructure for current and future instructional and business applications.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:**

The Novell to Microsoft Migration Project started on October 29, 2012. Items completed that relate to the project are listed on the update that is being provided by the Educational Technology Executive Director, Mr. Dal Stanley.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

Accept the following project update as information

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

Update on Migration Project from Novell to Windows

### **PREPARED BY:**

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# Update on Migration Project from Novell to Windows

January 22, 2013

## Migration Project

The Novell to Microsoft Migration Project approved by the board for the 2012-13 school year for all schools started on October 29, 2012.

CSI Outfitters, Inc. provided a Project Manager and four technicians for performing the migration and project management.

- Contractors are working after school and into the evening Monday thru Friday each week per school.
- Work is being performed to avoid disruption of instruction and during testing times.

### I. Items Completed that relate to the Migration Project

- **Installed 916 Computers of the estimated 1,600 replacement computers needed to replace the oldest aged systems in the schools in order to run Windows 7 as part of the Migration Implementation.**
- **Upgraded ~ 793 systems to 2GB Memory to accommodate running Windows 7.0 This included laptops, desktops and netbooks that were ordered in prior years with less than 2 GB memory.**
- **Labs Completed** CAD Labs at Aiken Hi, South Aiken High, Midland Valley, North Augusta High, Silver Bluff High, Aiken Middle, Career Center
- **Schools Completed**  
Aiken County Career Center                      Aiken Elementary  
Warrenville Elementary  
Millbrook Elementary  
East Aiken Elementary  
Byrd Elementary

### II. Remaining Elementary Schools Tentative Schedule

Belvedere Elementary –	Jan 14 – Jan 18	North Aiken Elementary	Jan 21 – Jan 25
BusbeeCorbett	Jan 28- Feb 1	Greendale Elementary	Feb 4-Feb 8
Redcliffe Elementary	Feb 11- Feb 15	Hammond Hill Elementary	Feb 18-Feb 22
North Augusta Elementary	Feb 25-March 1	Oakwood Elementary	March 4- March 8
Mossy Creek Elementary	March 11- March 15	JD Lever Elementary	April 1-April 5
Clearwater Elementary	April 15-April 19	Jefferson Elementary	April 22-April 26
Gloverville Elementary	April 29-May 3	Chukker Creek Elem	May 20-May 24

- **Summer 2013 June 2013-August 2013-----High Schools**
- **Fall 2013---September-December-----Remaining Middle Schools**

- Estimates of approximately 1 week to do each school, subject to change depending on length of each school.

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