BOARD AGENDA ITEM

May 13, 2014

SUBJECT:

District Textbook Adoptions for 2014-15

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The District examines and evaluates textbooks adopted by the State for use in the classroom and recommends to the School Board those selected by the teacher committees. Upon approval by the School Board and funding by the State, schools may proceed to order those textbooks from the State Book Depository.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

Funding for textbooks for 2014-15 has not been finalized by the state legislature, but the state has asked our district to adopt updated World Geography and AP Computer Science textbooks in case funding becomes available.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Adopt the textbook recommendations of the teacher committees as submitted to the Associate Superintendent for Instructional Services.

ATTACHMENT:

List of textbook recommendations

PREPARED BY:

King Laurence Randall W. Stowe

ATTACHMENT

Social Studies - High School, World Geography

Geography: The Human and Physical World, McGraw-Hill Education

Advanced Placement Computer Science

JAVA Software Solutions for AP Computer Science, 3rd Edition, Pearson