BOARD AGENDA ITEM

March 27, 2012

SUBJECT:

Revised District Textbook Adoption for High School Mathematics

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

On March 23, 2010, the Board adopted new textbooks for Algebra 1, Algebra 2, Mathematics for the Technologies 1, 2, and 3, and Geometry, pending funding by the state. Funding for the new textbooks was not approved for the 2010-11 or 2011-12 school years, but is now available to provide the books for 2012-13. The specific textbooks adopted in 2010 for Algebra 1, Algebra 2, and Geometry are no longer available, but a slightly revised version is available that takes into consideration the new Common Core State Standards. The textbooks adopted in 2010 for Mathematics for the Technologies 1, 2, and 3 are still available, but they do not take into consideration the new Common Core Standards.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

Our Algebra 1 Curriculum and Assessment Committee examined sample copies of the textbooks in light of the new Common Core State Standards. Their recommendation is that the district adopt the revised textbooks for Algebra 1, Algebra 2, and Geometry, as well as for Mathematics for the Technologies 1, 2, and 3, since this series takes into consideration the new Common Core State Standards.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Adopt the revised textbook recommendations of the Algebra 1 Curriculum and Assessment Committee as submitted to the Associate Superintendent for Instruction and Accountability.

ATTACHMENT:

List of textbook recommendations

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Textbook

Publisher

Holt McDougal Algebra 1 Common Core Edition Holt McDougal/Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Holt McDougal Algebra 2 Common Core Edition Holt McDougal/Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Holt McDougal Geometry Common Core Edition Holt McDougal/Houghton Mifflin Harcourt