

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

April 19, 2022

SUBJECT:

Textbook Adoptions for 2022-2023

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 teacher committees for our district. Upon approval by the School Board and funding by the State, schools may proceed to order those textbooks from the State Textbook Depository.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

Upon receipt of the State adopted textbook list, publishers provided schools with sample copies in the areas up for adoption to review and evaluate. Each school nominated one school representative to serve on each adoption committee. District representatives attended a textbook caravan in February, 2022. Information gathered from the textbook caravan, including recorded presentations, was shared with school representatives. School representatives voted to identify the top textbook materials for each course. Publishers of the top textbook materials presented to school representatives in March, 2022. After receiving additional input from their colleagues at their respective schools and reviewing the textbooks' alignment with state standards, the school representatives met to reach a consensus on the best match between the textbooks and the needs of our students.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

Adopt the textbook recommendations of the teacher committees.

ATTACHMENT:

List of textbook recommendations

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2022-23 Instructional Materials Adoption Recommendations

K-5 Science: <i>South Carolina Inspire Science</i> Author: McGraw Hill LLC	McGraw Hill LLC
6-8 Science: <i>South Carolina Inspire Science</i> Author: McGraw Hill LLC	McGraw Hill LLC