

THE KENTON COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Dr. Henry Webb, Superintendent of Schools

KCSD ISSUE PAPER

DATE:

10/16/2020

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve Retroactive approval for the purchase of school furniture to prepare for District In-Person Instruction five days a week for all students who chose in-person learning.

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

01.11 General Powers and Duties of the Board

HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

The KCSD is currently utilizing an A/B instructional model for all kids who chose "in-person" instruction for the 2020 school year. While all reports indicate that our current instructional learning environment is effective, we still have a significant need to get all kids in school five days a week, that chose in-person learning, to fully meet the needs of ALL KCSD KIDS. As a result our district has been developing a plan to include individual school plans to return to in-person learning each day. Early planning stages indicated the need to have additional school furniture (desk and chairs) as they are essential due to the number of current desks being utilized for social distancing in the cafeteria/gyms and foyers during eating. When we do return to in-person learning five days a week it is important that we be able to social distance when kids are eating and their masks are down. The district office will continue to monitor the shipment of furniture, district/regional and state data to determine when and how soon we can make a recommendation to return to full time teaching and learning for kids who chose in-person learning daily.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

\$163,309.20 paid from CARES/FEMA funding (1510 desks & 1375 chairs)

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval of Retroactive approval for the purchase of school furniture to prepare for District In-Person Instruction five days a week for all students

CONTACT PERSON: Henry Webb		
Principal	District Administrator	Superintendent

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