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CONTINUATION OF SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND

On March 17, 2014, The School Board of Broward County, Florida, approved RFP 14-046E - Computer Servers, Agenda Item EE-4 with original spend authority of \$1,000,000 for a contract period from March 18, 2014, through December 31, 2018. At the current time, the District's needs have changed and requires an additional spending authority of \$500,000 to support infrastructure for the SMART program and other District server needs. This request is expected to provide funding for the next year.

Spending Authority Breakdown Analysis:

Contract Period: March 18, 2014 - December 31, 2018.

Current Approved Spending Authority: \$1,000,000 Remaining Spending Authority: \$62,409 Average Monthly Spending Authority: \$39,066 Requested Spending Authority Increase: \$500,000

The requested spending authority increase will allow enough time for the Procurement & Warehousing Services and Information & Technology department teams to review specs and issue a new competitive bid.