Executive Summary:

The development of the BEEP Teacher Portal, a web-based portal to support teachers in instructional delivery and planning, has been an ongoing project of the Curriculum and Instruction/Student Support division since 2004. In the past three years, over 8,000 lesson plans and nine instructional applications have been successfully linked to BEEP. This three-year agreement allows for the continuation of the licenses to the software and services provided by Riverdeep related to the BEEP Teacher Portal. Specifically, this agreement:

Provides perpetual licenses to the following software for teachers to use within the instructional process:

- Learning Village Instructional Organizer
- Learning Village Platform Tools
- Learning Village Portal Utilities
- Destination Reading Course (K-1)
- Destination Reading Course 2: Grades 2-3)
- Destination Reading Course 3: (4-6)
- * Destination Reading Course 4: (6-8)
- Gateway Logal Series (6-8) and Destination Logal (9-12)
- Destination Math (K-9)
- Riverdeep.net web access (K-12)
- Destination Science (when available)
- * Destination Music (when available)
- * Edmark Series Pre-K and Kindergarten
- * New Software

This also provides application and portal services, project management and professional development services which are essential components of the agreement.

This project is supported by the new district strategic plan for technology and continues the development and expansion of the current BEEP Teacher Portal. All development associated with this project will be able to be fully integrated into a more comprehensive enterprise level portal system, as it is developed. This contract continues the development and expansion of the current BEEP teacher portal. However, the strategic plan for technology goal TI-3 provides the long range objectives and timeline for completion of the enterprise portal by 2010. The enterprise portal will provide access for teachers, students, administrators, parents, and all District employees.