Background Information:

On behalf of the Office of Technology, the Purchasing Department is requesting approval to award a contract to PowerSchool Group LLC, 150 Parkshore Drive, Folsom, CA 95630, for the annual licensing renewal of PowerSchool eSchoolPlus in the amount of $308,663.

Discussion:

The FY21 PowerSchool eSchoolPlus program renewal includes licenses for the entire district. eSchoolPlus is a student information system that manages student information for the district’s unique needs. This program includes application training along with maintenance and support. This contract comprises of software and third-party software which also includes Cognos, and eLearning. These programs assist in enrolling students, scheduling, managing data, engaging students and families, as well as supporting the PowerSchool Performance Matters program.

This contract was originally signed by Harford County Public Schools on January 12, 2001. The annual maintenance and support service for software and third-party software will continue to renew annually until it is terminated by the district.

The funding source for this annual renewal is the Office of Technology’s FY21 operating budget.

Superintendent’s Recommendation:

The Superintendent of Schools recommends that the Board of Education approve a contract for the annual license renewal of eSchoolPlus to PowerSchool, in the amount of $308,663.