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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Honorable School Board Members

FROM:

Nicole Westmoreland, MBA, Purchasing Agent

SUBJECT:

Permission to Increase Blanket Threshold

Dell Computer Products, Technology Refresh Program

Piggyback of Valencia College RFP #11/12-09

On March 5, 2013, official action was taken to approve the purchase of Dell computer products through the above-referenced piggyback for the term April 17, 2013 - April 16, 2014. At that time, we requested approval to use this RFP to purchase up to \$900,000 of Dell products on an asneeded basis. Funding is provided through general, capital and federal funding sources. The Purchasing Services Department monitors all Dell purchase orders to verify that the approved dollar threshold amount is not exceeded.

The Office for Career and Technical Education has recently purchased a large amount of Dell computers for approximately \$300,000. As the threshold balance is now below \$50,000, we are requesting permission to increase the threshold by \$200,000, to \$1.1 million, through the end of the contract term. We will bring to a future Board meeting another recommendation regarding purchase of Dell products for the next contract term.

The Purchasing Services Department will continue to monitor Dell purchases to verify that the approved dollar threshold is not exceeded. Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at your earliest convenience.

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