

## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Elizabeth Board of Education

FROM: Dan Snowberger, Superintendent  
Rebekah Brooks, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT: Non-Appropriations – Power School Contract

DATE: March 10, 2025

The district currently has a multi-year contract for three products from Power School. They are Schoology Learning, Performance Matters, and UCCI. These initiatives were started under our previous curriculum leader. We sought the opportunity to discontinue Schoology, and UCCI, both tools to assist teachers in planning and content delivery to students. PowerSchool would not permit cancelation of individual products under the contract. As a result, the district has found other solutions for student data management and requests the board “Non-appropriate” funds in the 2025-26 school year for this contract.

In Colorado, all contracts are required to have a non-appropriations clause that permits a board to make such decisions about how they wish to spend annual revenue. Canceling this contract, that is valued at \$37,641/year, will save the district next year and allow us to refocus our efforts on the tools necessary to enhance our Direct Explicit Instruction efforts.

I request the board to *move to non-appropriate funds in the 2025-26 year for the current contract with PowerSchools for the products outlined.*