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DELEGATE AUTHORITY TO THE DISTRICT PRESIDENT TO ENTER INTO AN INTER-GOVERNMENTAL

AGREEMENT WITH THE CLACKAMAS EDUCATIONAL

SERVICE DISTRICT.

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REPORT:

As part of the Bond 2008 program, \$3 million was planned to build an alternate data center for business continuity and disaster recovery. Over the last 12 months, Technology Solution Services (TSS) working with the Bond team evaluated the feasibility and cost of building a new data center versus leasing data center rack space to create the alternate data center. During the course of the evaluation, PCC worked with CB Richard Ellis property management firm to gather leased data center rack space in the Portland metropolitan area.

The cost of leasing rack space from private sector vendors is 2-3 times the cost of leasing rack space from Clackamas ESD. In addition, PCC worked with Clackamas ESD to estimate monthly recurring cost of operating a data center. Using information provided by Clackamas ESD, PCC TSS department developed annual operating cost estimates for \$200,000 per year to run a data center of the size and type called out for in the 2008 bond program.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Directors delegate its authority to the District President or his designee to enter into an IGA for leased rack space from Clackamas ESD to establish an alternate data center for business continuity and disaster recovery, subject to the concurrence of College counsel.

> The initial IGA is for 42 months (three and a half years) with the option for two one-year renewals at a total cost not to exceed \$360,000 funded by the General Fund.