

MEMORANDUM

TO: NWABSD Board of Education
Members

DATE: August 28, 2026

NUMBER: 27-010

FR: Office of the Superintendent

SUBJECT: Approve
Design Contract
Increase - Deering
K-12 Replacement
School

STRATEGIC PLAN/BOARD GOAL:

Goal 4: Support Systems
Strategy 3: Improve School Facilities

ABSTRACT:

Board approval is required for purchases that exceed \$50,000.

ISSUE:

At issue is board approval of an increase to the Burkhart Croft design team's contract for Deering K-12 Replacement School not to exceed \$1,400,000.

BACKGROUND AND/OR PERTINENT INFORMATION:

DEED has awarded the project FY27 funding to advance the design to 65% complete, construct the gravel pad and install the school's piles. An increase in the existing design contract is needed for 65% design services and documentation. Separate bid packages for the gravel pad construction and pile installation are part of this contract, as is geotechnical investigations.

FUNDING SOURCE:

FY27 State of Alaska DEED Grant and Capital Improvement Funds

ALTERNATIVES:

1. Approve Design Contract Increase - Deering K-12 Replacement School not to exceed \$1,400,000 as presented;
2. Do not Approve Design Contract Increase - Deering K-12 Replacement School not to exceed \$1,400,000 as presented;
3. Take no final action.

ADMINISTRATION'S RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends the Board Approve Design Contract Increase - Deering K-12 Replacement School not to exceed \$1,400,000 as presented.

ATTACHMENT:

None