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Superintendent of Schools

To: RIMSD 41 Board of Education
From: Dr. Sharon Williams
Cabinet Champion: Beth MacKenna, Director of Nutrition Services
Date: April 14, 2026
Re: Papa John's Pizza Contract - 2026-27 Extension

On May 13, 2025, the Board of Education approved the bid submitted by Papa John's Pizza for the 2025-2026 school year at a price of \$8.50 per pizza. The agreement established product specifications and delivery requirements designed to support school meal program operations while maintaining compliance with federal school nutrition guidelines.

During the 2025-2026 school year, Papa John's Pizza has provided reliable service, consistent product quality, and timely delivery while meeting the requirements of the agreement. Student participation in the pizza program has increased compared to the previous year. Based on current trends, the 2026-2027 school year is projected to require approximately 10,000 pizzas, with a recommended funding amount of \$82,756 to ensure adequate availability for students.

The original bid included the option to extend the agreement for an additional year under the same terms and pricing, contingent upon mutual agreement between the District and the vendor.

It is recommended that the Board of Education approve the contract extension with Papa John's Pizza for the 2026-2027 school year, at the bid price of \$8.50 per pizza, with total expenditures not to exceed \$90,000 without prior Board approval, consistent with the terms of the original bid.

Investment Period: July 1, 2026 - June 30, 2027
Total Investment: Not to exceed \$90,000
Funding Source: Nutrition Services Department

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