

## Informational Summary

Topic: eRate

Committee Date: January 28, 2013

### **Summary**

E-Rate is a program administered by the Universal Service Administrative Company under the direction of the Federal Communications Commission. It provides assistance to schools and libraries to obtain affordable telecommunications services and Internet access.

The district has sent specifications for competitive proposals for the following services through the eRate program.

Cellular & Wireless Data Services

Local/Long Distance – both existing & VOIP Styles of services on all sites not under contract.

Email & Web Hosting

Contracts will be brought to committee in February for March approval.