



PROPOSED AGENDA ITEM RATIONALE

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PROPOSED AGENDA ITEM:

Grant the Commissioner the authority to contract with Educational Service Unit Coordinating Council (ESUCC) to support privacy and security with school districts and ESU's through identity management.

RATIONALE/BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The opportunity to integrate the ESUCC work supporting security efforts of identity management in support of the ADVISER dashboard and other college and career applications creates a synergy of support and capacity for the future sustainability of the project. The use of federal SLDS funds to provide support, in partnership with ESUCC, for implementing the systems creates an engagement opportunity for districts and ESU's in Nebraska and creates an opportunity to ultimately support the work of teachers, students, parents and others.

ESTIMATED COST:

The total of the contract would not exceed \$ 41.500.