

SCSD Technology Board Report

November 15, 2021

School Sites

- Security cameras going in slowly but steadily
- Ben and Kade working well to answer tech tickets the same day if possible
- Continually adding to disposition list to remove outdated and unused gear
- Setting up wireless antennas for new signage at the schools
 - Planning to create a short tutorial to get everyone started

Erate

- Upgraded network equipment on order; \$117,000 worth of equipment for \$23,000
- Lokket continuing to develop wireless network
 - Building off of Parkview and creating micropops to relay service to hard to reach locations
- RFP for fiber to Midway and San Antonio (third times the charm) due 11/17 and finalists decided by Friday 11/19
 - Interviews and final award to take place the week of 11/22 and award announced 11/29

Powerschool / Data

- Final review of 40D
- Plan to get true Online Registration in place for 22-23
 - Created a hosted instance of Powerschool on site; the blade servers we upgraded to are very capable
 - Rook Advisors can manage and maintain the server and software, I will continue to manage PS
 - At the end of 21-22, we will terminate hosted services {savings ~ \$8,500 per year}
 - Starting with 22-23, we will add a service such as Enrollment Express or E-Collect so parents can update information in Powerschool directly {cost ~ \$8,500 per year}