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Re: Creston work needing completed ASAP

1 message

Allen Carpenter-Rickert <acarpent@pps.net>

Thu, Feb 8, 2024 at 7:12 PM

To: erik@empowerdigital.com

Could you give me the port number you plugged it into.

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On Thu, Feb 8, 2024 at 6:54 PM Erik Hopkins <erik.hopkins@empowerdigital.com> wrote:

Hi Allen:

Andrew completed the scope of work at Creston this evening. There was a data port and power on the wall in Room 118, so he didn't run a new cable. The reader board was unplugged in Room 101A when they arrived, he moved it to Room 118. When he plugged it in, it came on in "Power Save" mode, then it turned off. He was able to eventually get it to stay on. While connected to the data cable, it was not connecting to the LAN. The existing cable was tested, patch cords replaced, and multiple ports were tried on the switch.

I have attached a picture of the installed reader board (monitor). I'll call you tomorrow to discuss. In the meantime, feel free to call me.

Erik

On Wed, Feb 7, 2024 at 12:46 PM Allen Carpenter-Rickert <acarpent@pps.net> wrote:

I was authorized to use the [Prevailing Wage Rates for Public Works Contracts](#) effective January 5, 2024.

On Wed, Feb 7, 2024 at 12:09 PM Allen Carpenter-Rickert <acarpent@pps.net> wrote:

Erik,

The work needing to be completed ASAP is:

1. Remove the reader board from room 101A. This room is in the cluster with rooms 101B and 101C.
2. MDF is behind the custodial storage closet across from room 111.
3. Run a new cable from the MDF closet to room 118.
4. Place the reader board in accordance with room 101A.
5. Power may need to be extended to the new location in room 118.
6. Provide two quotes. One stating DCU wage rates as of July 1, 2023. The other quote should state [Prevailing Wage Rates for Public Works Contracts](#) effective January 5, 2024. I will know the wage rates by the beginning of next week.

This issue keeps our deaf and hard-of-hearing students at risk since they cannot hear any security messages that may affect students in the school, so this issue is of the highest importance.

Again, thank you so much for your dedication to Portland Public Schools, and please let me know if you have any questions.

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