

Chronology: Identity Automation's Rapid Identity

DeKalb County School District requires a robust, automated, and scalable identity management solution to enhance security, streamline operations, and support growth. Currently, the district relies on a homegrown system with custom scripting, which is dependent on a single staff member for maintenance and support. If this staff member were to leave, it would create a significant void, leaving the district vulnerable to operational disruptions and security risks. Identity Automation's RapidIdentity Lifecycle Management provides a comprehensive, enterprise-grade solution to address these challenges and ensure long-term sustainability.

Key Benefits of RapidIdentity

1. **Automated Provisioning & Deprovisioning**
RapidIdentity ensures seamless, real-time account creation and removal based on MUNIS ERP data, reducing manual work and eliminating security risks from inactive accounts.
2. **Faster Onboarding & Role-Based Access**
New hires gain immediate access to the systems they need, enhancing productivity and ensuring consistent, role-based permissions across platforms.
3. **Enhanced Security & Compliance**
With role-based access controls, automatic deprovisioning, and real-time synchronization, RapidIdentity improves security posture and ensures compliance with FERPA and other regulations.
4. **Scalability & Future-Readiness**
As a cloud-based, enterprise solution, RapidIdentity seamlessly integrates with existing systems and supports future security enhancements like MFA and SSO, ensuring long-term sustainability.
5. **Reduced IT Burden & Vendor Support**
With automated workflows, and dedicated vendor support, IT staff can focus on strategic initiatives instead of manual identity management tasks.

Investing in RapidIdentity will modernize identity management, improve security, automate critical workflows, and ensure a seamless user experience for students and staff. This solution will enhance operational efficiency and support the district's long-term technology strategy.

The current process for user provisioning is limited in scope, prone to errors, and requires significant maintenance and oversight. RapidIdentity's comprehensive features and automation capabilities will offer a more efficient, secure, and scalable solution for identity lifecycle management.

Financial Impact

YEAR	Current Process Cost	RapidIdentity Implementation Cost
2025	n/a Manual Process	\$227,225 (Annual Subscription)
		\$64,000 (Professional Services)
Total		\$291,225