

GRANT OFFICE USE ONLY

Notification to ITS:

Initials:

GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

1. Official Name of Grant Program: _____ Date of SBE approval of grant criteria 9/20/01

2003 - 2004 (years) USDOE, Charter School Grant Program, Competitive Start-Up Grant - Ninth Cycle (title) Initial (type) Amendment Continuation

Legislation Authorizing this Grant Program: ESEA Title V, Part B, Public Charter Schools Program, No Child Left Behind Act

Federal Grant CFDA Number 84.282A State Grant Other (Private, Foundation)

2. Type and Purpose of Grant Program: (check one)

To provide start-up funds to Public School Academies in order to assist them in opening or funds to newly opened public school academies that did not previously compete and obtain funding.

Competitive
 Formula
 Other

(specify)

3. SBE Priorities and Policies that this Grant Program Supports: (check all that apply)

Priorities

- Integrating Communities and Schools
- Elevating Educational Leadership
- Embracing the Information Age
- Ensuring Early Childhood Literacy
- Ensuring Excellent Educators

Policies

- Bullying
- Character Education
- Creating Effective Learning Environments
- Family Involvement
- Safe Schools

Other

(specify)

4. Grant Categories (if not described in Item 2): NOT APPLICABLE

5. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

Public School Academies (PSAs) requesting financial assistance with opening, or PSAs that are in their first 36 months and have not previously competed and obtained funding.

6. Total Funds Awarded:

\$ 1,350,000

7. Eligible Applicants:

Potential or New Public School Academies

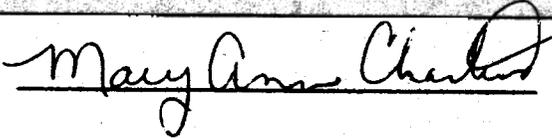
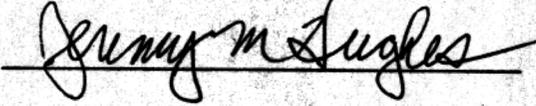
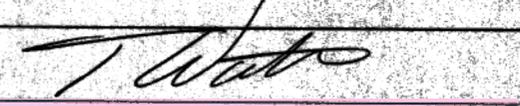
8. Description of Priorities Given to Any Specific Population or Location: NOT APPLICABLE

9. Grant Administration:

<u>Office</u> Office of Field Services Public School Academy Program	<u>Unit</u> Public School Academies	<u>Contact</u> Greg Olszta	<u>Phone</u> 517/241-4715
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10. OFFICE	Office Director Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>10-28-03</u>
	Phone: _____	Comments: _____
11. BUDGET OFFICE	Budget Office Approval Signature: <u>N/A</u>	Date: _____
	Comments: _____	
12. GRANTS OFFICE	Grants Office Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>10/31/03</u>
	Comments: _____	
13. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT	Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>11-2-03</u>
	Comments: _____	
14. SUPERINTENDENT	Superintendent Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>11-5-03</u>
	Comments: _____	

INSTRUCTIONS:

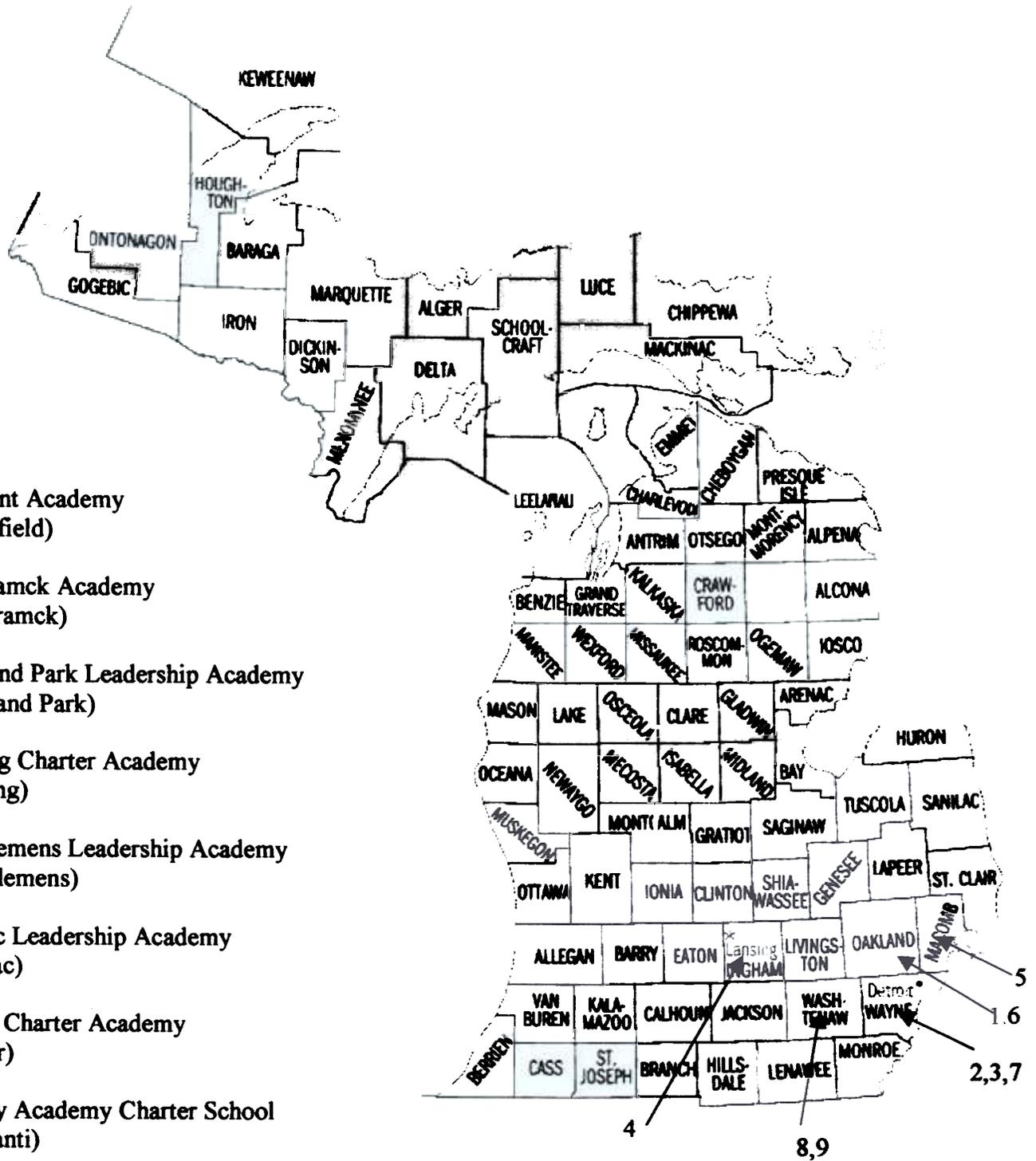
- A. Complete items 1-10 on this form. The Grants Administration Unit will facilitate completion of items 11-14.
- B. Attach three (3) sets of Exhibits A, B, and C.
 Exhibit A—List of applicants (alphabetical order) recommended for funding, the amount requested, the amount recommended, and a three to five sentence abstract of the proposal.
 Exhibit B—List of applicants (alphabetical order) not recommended for funding and the amount each requested.
 Exhibit C—Map of Michigan indicating the location of recommended applicants.
- C. Attach the grant award letters for the Superintendent's signature and the non-award letters for the Service Area Director's signature. The letters should be submitted in the same order given in Exhibit A and/or B. For each final Grant Award Notification letter, a Grant Award Notification form (yellow sheet) also needs to be submitted for the Superintendent's signature.
- D. Transmit Grant Award Approval Form (pink), attachments, and letters to the Grant Administration Unit.

**2003-2004 Charter School Competitive Start-Up Grant – Ninth Cycle
Recommended for Funding**

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Amount Requested</u>	<u>Amount Recommended</u>
Crescent Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Hamtramck Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Highland Park Leadership Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Lansing Charter Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Mt. Clemens Leadership Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Pontiac Leadership Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Taylor Charter Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Victory Academy Charter School	\$150,000	\$150,000
Ypsilanti Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
TOTAL		\$ 1,350,000

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Schools Not Recommended for Funding**

<u>Applicant</u>	<u>Amount Requested</u>
Bradford Academy	\$150,000
Detroit Center for Arts and Technology	\$150,000
Excel Academy	\$150,000
Frontier Academy	\$150,000
South Haven Charter High School	\$150,000



1. Crescent Academy
(Southfield)

2. Hamtramck Academy
(Hamtramck)

3. Highland Park Leadership Academy
(Highland Park)

4. Lansing Charter Academy
(Lansing)

5. Mt. Clemens Leadership Academy
(Mt. Clemens)

6. Pontiac Leadership Academy
(Pontiac)

7. Taylor Charter Academy
(Taylor)

8. Victory Academy Charter School
(Ypsilanti)

9. Ypsilanti Academy
(Ypsilanti)