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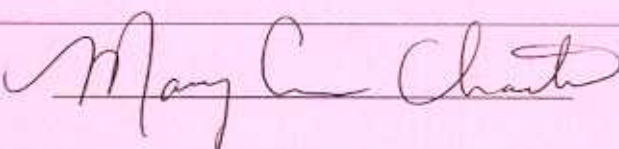
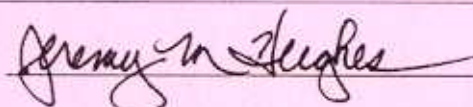

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## GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

<b>1. Official Name of Grant Program:</b>		Date of SBE approval of grant criteria 9/20/01	
2006 - 2007 (years)	Implementation Grant Application for Charter School Grant Program - (title)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Initial (type)	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation
Legislation Authorizing this Grant Program: Title V, Part C, Public Charter Schools Program, No Child Left Behind Act, CFDA No: 84282A			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Federal Grant CFDA Number 84282A		<input type="checkbox"/> State Grant <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Private, Foundation)	
<b>2. Type and Purpose of Grant Program: (check one)</b> To solicit applications from eligible applicants for planning, program design, and initial implementation for a period of up to 36 months which the applicant may use not more than two (2) years for the initial implementation of a public school academy.		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Formula <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ (specify)	
<b>3. SBE Priorities and Policies that this Grant Program Supports: (check all that apply)</b>			
<u>Priorities</u>		<u>Policies</u>	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Integrating Communities and Schools		<input type="checkbox"/> Bullying	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elevating Educational Leadership		<input type="checkbox"/> Character Education	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Embracing the Information Age		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Creating Effective Learning Environments	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ensuring Early Childhood Literacy		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Family Involvement	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ensuring Excellent Educators		<input type="checkbox"/> Safe Schools	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ (specify)	
<b>4. Grant Categories (if not described in Item 2):</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT APPLICABLE			
<b>5. Target Population to be Served by Grant:</b> Operational Public School Academies			
<b>6. Total Funds Awarded:</b> Original Award: \$ 3,300,000			
<b>7. Eligible Applicants:</b> (50911) Academy of Warren, (82981) American Montessori Academy, (04901) Bingham Academy, (82983) Bridge Academy, (82980) Business Entrepreneurship, Science & Technology Academy, (82991) Covenant House Life Skills Center Central, (82990) Covenant House Life Skills Center East, (82989) Covenant House Life Skills Center West, (T0043) David Ellis Academy West, (82985) Detroit Premier Academy, (82988) Discovery Arts & Technology Public School Academy, (82984) Dr. Charles Drew Academy, (82987) Frontier International Academy, (82986) Hanley International Academy, (82993) Infinity Institute, (63920) Life Skills Center of Pontiac, (25911) Madison Academy, (11904) Mildred C. Wells Preparatory Academy, (82992) Northpointe Academy, (73911) Saginaw Learn to Earn Academy, (74911) St. Clair County Intervention, (T0059) Taylor Exemplar Charter Academy, (82982) Universal Learning Academy			
<b>8. Description of Priorities Given to Any Specific Population or Location:</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOT APPLICABLE			
<b>9. Grant Administration:</b>			
<u>Office</u> Office of School Improvement	<u>Unit</u> Public School Academy Program	<u>Contact</u> Greg Olszta	<u>Phone</u> (517)241-4715

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10. OFFICE	Office Director Approval Signature:  Phone: _____ Comments: _____	Date: <u>8/23/06</u>
11. BUDGET OFFICE	Budget Office Approval Signature: <u>N/A</u> Comments: _____	Date: _____
12. GRANTS OFFICE	Grants Office Approval Signature:  Comments:  <u>Exhibit B is not required</u>	Date: <u>8/23/06</u>
13. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT	Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature:  Comments: _____	Date: <u>8-25-06</u>
14. SUPERINTENDENT	Superintendent Approval Signature:  Comments: _____	Date: <u>8-28-06</u>

### 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.

**2006-2007 Charter School Implementation/Continuation Grant – Twelfth Cycle  
Recommended for Funding**

<b><u>Applicant</u></b>	<b><u>Amount Requested</u></b>	<b><u>Amount Recommended</u></b>
Academy of Warren	\$150,000	\$150,000
American Montessori Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Bingham Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Bridge Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Business Entrepreneurship, Science & Technology	\$150,000	\$150,000
Covenant House Life Skills Center Central	\$150,000	\$150,000
Covenant House Life Skills Center East	\$150,000	\$150,000
Covenant House Life Skills Center West	\$150,000	\$150,000
David Ellis Academy West	\$150,000	\$150,000
Detroit Premier Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Discovery Arts & Technology Public School Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Dr. Charles Drew Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Frontier International Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Hanley International Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Infinity Institute	\$150,000	\$150,000
Life Skills Center of Pontiac	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Madison Academy	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Mildred C. Wells Preparatory Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Northpointe Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Saginaw Learn to Earn Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
St. Clair County Intervention	\$150,000	\$150,000
Taylor Exemplar Charter Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
Universal Learning Academy	\$150,000	\$150,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 3,300 ,000</b>	<b>\$ 3,300,000</b>



1. Academy of Warren (Warren)
2. American Montessori Academy (Livonia)
3. Bingham Academy (Alpena)
4. Bridge Academy (Hamtramck)
5. Business Entrepreneurship, Science & Technology (Highland Park)
6. Covenant House Life Skills Center Central (Detroit)
7. Covenant House Life Skills Center East (Detroit)
8. Covenant House Life Skills Center West (Detroit)
9. David Ellis Academy West (Ferndale)
10. Detroit Premier Academy (Detroit)
11. Discovery Arts & Technology Public School Academy (Inkster)
12. Dr. Charles Drew Academy (Ecorse)
13. Frontier International Academy (Hamtramck)
14. Hanley International Academy (Hamtramck)
15. Infinity Institute (Highland Park)
16. Life Skills Center of Pontiac (Pontiac)
17. Madison Academy (Burton)
18. Mildred C. Wells Preparatory Academy (Benton Harbor)
19. Northpointe Academy (Highland Park)
20. Saginaw Learn to Earn Academy (Saginaw)
21. St. Clair County Intervention (Port Huron)
22. Taylor Exemplar Charter Academy (Taylor)
23. Universal Learning Academy (Dearborn)

