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Michigan Department of Education
OFFICE OF SCHOOL SUPPORT SERVICES

GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

Direct questions regarding this form to 373-1806.

1. SOURCE OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED

SBE Grant Criteria Approval Date (meeting date): **6/18/2013**

Official Name Of Grant Program:
2012--2013 (year) (year) Title II, Part A(3) Improving Teacher Quality (title)

Grant Type: ☐Initial ☒Amendment ☐Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act of 2001, Title II of P.L. 107-110

☒Federal Grant: CFDA Number 84.367B ☐State Aid Grant: Section Number _____ ☐Other (specify) _____

2. SBE Priorities, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports:
The Improving Teacher Quality (ITQ) Competitive Grants Program supports the SBE Priority regarding the Preparation and Training for Effective Educators and SBE approved Career and College-Ready Standards. The purpose of the ITQ program also is aligned with the SBE Policy on Professional Learning.

MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:
To provide grant awards that support the formation of partnerships between high-need local education agencies, and universities' departments of arts and sciences and teacher education to provide sustained and high quality professional development for teachers, principals and paraprofessionals.

Type of Distribution: (check one)
☒ Competitive
☐ Formula
☐ Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:
Not-yet-qualified teachers in schools with no less than 20% of its students living below the poverty line served through partnerships with university Colleges of Teacher Education and Colleges of Arts and Sciences.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)
☐ Initial (Exhibit A)
☒ Revised (Exhibit A)
☐ Conditional (Exhibit A)
☐ Denial (Exhibit B)

5. Eligible Applicants:
Institutions of Higher Education with divisions in teacher and principal preparation in partnership with a high need LEA and a university's College of Teacher Education and College of Arts and Sciences.

Type of Notification: (check one)
☒ Letter
☐ Mail-merge Letter
☐ MEGS/MEGS+
☐ Other: (specify below)

6. Award Information:

Original Award Date: 4/1/13

Original Award Amount: $1,469,066

Amendment Date(s):	Amendment Amount(s):
5/8/2013	$619,790
9/6/2013	$203,567
_____	$_____
_____	$_____

Total Recommended Award to Date: $2,292,423

7. Responsible Program Office:

Office	Unit	Contact	Phone
Professional Preparation Services	Professional Preparation and Development	Donna L. Hamilton	1-4546

This Form Was Prepared by: Donna L. Hamilton **Phone Number:** 1-4546

8. OFFICE

Office Director Approval Signature: Flora L. Jenkins Date: 8/29/13

Phone:

Comments:

9. GRANTS OFFICE

Grants Office Approval Signature: Date: 9/5/13

Comments:

☐ Exhibit B Not Required because:

10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: Date: 9-5-13

Comments:

11. SUPERINTENDENT

Superintendent Approval Signature: Date: 9-6-13

Comments:

INSTRUCTIONS

A. Complete items 1-8 on this form. The Grants Coordination and School Support Unit will facilitate completion of items 9-11.

B. **Attach two (2)** sets of Exhibits A and B (one original and 1 copy). Do not staple the pink form nor the originals of Exhibits A and B.

Exhibit A---List of applicants (alphabetical order) recommended for funding, the amount requested and the amount Recommended to be funded.

Exhibit B---List of applicants (alphabetical order) not recommended for funding and the amount each requested.

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. Submit Grant Award Approval Form (pink), attachments, and letters to the **Grants Coordination and School Support Unit.**

Note: The approval process takes, on average, one week to receive all approvals after the packet is delivered to the Grants Unit. The time varies depending upon the number of corrections and revisions that are necessary and the availability of all of the signers. Reviews and approvals can take longer, up to two weeks, particularly around holiday times when signers may be out of the office.

Exhibit A

Michigan Department of Education
Office of Professional Preparation Services
2012-2013 Title II Part A(3)
Improving Teacher Quality Grant

Applicants Recommended for Funding

Applicant	Previous Award	Amended Amount	Total Recommended Award
Calvin College	$200,000	-0-	$200,000
Calvin College	$200,000	$32,609	$232,609
Central Michigan University	$199,885	$24,840	$224,725
Central Michigan University	$219,790	$24,520	$244,310
Eastern Michigan University	$200,000	$30,000	$230,000
Lawrence Technological University	$220,000	$36,450	$256,450
Michigan State University	$200,000	$25,148	$225,148
Michigan Technological University	$212,026	-0-	$212,026
University of Michigan-Dearborn	$217,155	-0-	$217,155
Wayne State University	$220,000	$30,000	$250,000
Total	$2,088,856	$203,567	$ 2,292,423