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GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

SBE Grant Criteria Approval Date (meeting date):
6/18/13

1. SOURCE OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED

Official Name Of Grant Program:

2013--2014 Great Start Readiness Program Grants
(year) (year) (title)

Grant Type: Initial Amendment Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: Section 32d of Public Act 60 of 2013

Federal Grant: CFDA Number _____ State Aid Grant: Section Number 32d Other (specify) _____

2. SBE Priorities, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports:

The Michigan State Board of Education has adopted four core reform priorities to ensure substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement with emphasis on high-priority schools and students. Specifically, Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP) grants support reform priority 4d (i.e., Early Childhood Education and Care/Increase access to high-quality early learning and development programs for those children with the highest needs prior to kindergarten entry).

MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:

GSRP grants enable eligible recipients to establish or expand high-quality preschool programs designed to improve the readiness and subsequent achievement of children at risk of school failure. GSRP is in its 29th year; the first two years were pilots with funding at \$1,000,000 per year. GSRP has served over 500,000 at-risk four year olds since its inception.

Type of Distribution: (check one)

- Competitive
 Formula
 Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

GSRP grants will serve four-year-old children with factors which may place them at risk of educational failure.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)

- Initial (Exhibit A)
 Revised (Exhibit A)
 Conditional (Exhibit A)
 Denial (Exhibit B)

5. Eligible Applicants:

Eligible applicants are intermediate school districts (ISDs) and consortia of ISDs.

Type of Notification: (check one)

- Letter
 Mail-merge Letter
 MEGS/MEGS+
 Other: (specify below)

6. Award Information:

Original Award Date: <u>7/29/13</u>	Amendment Date(s): <u>5/5/14</u>	Amendment Amount(s): <u>\$(83,375)</u>	Total Recommended Award to Date:
Original Award Amount: <u>\$174,271,875</u>	_____	\$ _____	<u>\$174,188,500</u>
	_____	\$ _____	
	_____	\$ _____	

7. Responsible Program Office:

<u>Office Name</u>	<u>Unit Name</u>	<u>Contact Name</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
Office of Great Start/ECE&FS	Preschool & Early Elem. Programs	Richard Lower	38512

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8. OFFICE

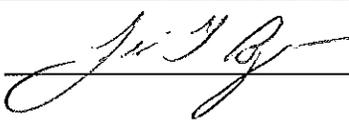
Office Director Approval Signature: _____ Date: _____

Phone: 39962

Comments:

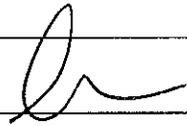
Exhibit B Not Required because: All eligible applicants are funded.

9. GRANTS OFFICE

Grants Office Approval Signature:  Date: 5/12/14

Comments:

10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature:  Date: 5/13/14

Comments:

11. SUPERINTENDENT

Superintendent Approval Signature:  Date: 5-13-14

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.

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Office of Great Start
Early Childhood Education & Family Services
2013-14 Great Start Readiness Program Grants**

Exhibit A

Applicants Recommended for Funding

Fiscal Agent	Original Allocation	Change in Allocation	Current Allocation	Amended Maximum Allocation
Allegan Area ESA	1,482,625	61,625	1,544,250	1,830,625
Alpena-Montmorency-Alcona ESD	1,743,625	(746,750)	996,875	1,743,625
Barry ISD	543,750	(119,625)	424,125	543,750
Bay-Arenac ISD	2,591,875	953,375	3,545,250	6,296,625
Berrien RESA	2,407,000	-	2,407,000	2,407,000
Branch ISD	489,375	(47,125)	442,250	489,375
C.O.O.R. ISD	2,015,500	(902,625)	1,112,875	2,015,500
Calhoun ISD	4,328,250	(126,875)	4,201,375	4,328,250
Charlevoix-Emmet ISD	1,000,500	130,500	1,131,000	1,167,250
Cheboygan-Otsego-Presque Isle ESD	1,218,000	(286,375)	931,625	1,218,000
Clare-Gladwin RESD	1,627,625	(14,500)	1,613,125	1,656,625
Clinton County RESA	1,732,750	(623,500)	1,109,250	1,732,750
Copper Country ISD	1,286,875	(377,000)	909,875	1,482,625
Delta-Schoolcraft ISD	308,125	97,875	406,000	743,125
Dickinson-Iron ISD	435,000	(108,750)	326,250	435,000
Eastern Upper Peninsula ISD	902,625	43,500	946,125	1,174,500
Eaton ISD	1,102,000	126,875	1,228,875	1,518,875
Genesee ISD	11,549,250	(322,625)	11,226,625	12,259,750
Gogebic-Ontonagon ISD	304,500	(130,500)	174,000	304,500
Hillsdale ISD	1,145,500	(7,250)	1,138,250	2,758,625
Huron ISD	471,250	116,000	587,250	1,036,750
Ingham ISD	5,274,375	605,375	5,879,750	9,066,125
Ionia ISD	975,125	83,375	1,058,500	1,091,125
Iosco RESA	1,388,375	(543,750)	844,625	1,388,375
Jackson ISD	3,766,375	(326,250)	3,440,125	4,183,250
Kalamazoo RESA	5,499,125	(90,625)	5,408,500	6,282,125
Kent ISD	10,215,250	(119,625)	10,095,625	12,187,250
Lapeer ISD	870,000	(177,625)	692,375	1,917,625
Lenawee ISD	1,359,375	580,000	1,939,375	2,207,625
Lewis Cass ISD	696,000	152,250	848,250	935,250
Livingston ESA	3,559,750	(1,761,750)	1,798,000	3,559,750
Macomb ISD	5,292,500	348,000	5,640,500	5,872,500
Marquette-Alger RESA	667,000	(203,000)	464,000	1,062,125
Mecosta-Osceola ISD	1,334,000	(18,125)	1,315,875	1,334,000
Menominee ISD	413,250	-	413,250	413,250
Midland County ESA	9,414,125	(43,500)	9,370,625	11,451,375
Monroe ISD	1,743,625	29,000	1,772,625	2,421,500
Montcalm Area ISD	1,406,500	-	1,406,500	1,406,500
Muskegon Area ISD	4,690,750	427,750	5,118,500	5,118,500
Newaygo County RESA	2,218,500	(36,250)	2,182,250	2,276,500
Oakland Schools	15,351,875	532,875	15,884,750	17,287,625
Ottawa Area ISD	3,451,000	340,750	3,791,750	3,857,000
Sanilac ISD	833,750	7,250	841,000	844,625
Shiawassee RESD	1,798,000	90,625	1,888,625	2,436,000
St. Clair County RESA	1,935,750	181,250	2,117,000	2,175,000
St. Joseph County ISD	2,686,125	(1,192,625)	1,493,500	2,686,125

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Exhibit A

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Traverse Bay Area ISD	2,606,375	630,750	3,237,125	3,266,125
Tuscola ISD	1,305,000	(32,625)	1,272,375	1,305,000
Van Buren ISD	1,892,250	920,750	2,813,000	3,081,250
Washtenaw ISD	3,784,500	210,250	3,994,750	4,676,250
Wayne RESA	34,452,000	2,497,625	36,949,625	36,949,625
West Shore ESD	2,512,125	(518,375)	1,993,750	2,512,125
Wexford-Missaukee ISD	2,193,125	(373,375)	1,819,750	2,309,125
Total Amended Amount:	\$ 174,271,875	\$ (83,375)	\$ 174,188,500	