

GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

1. SOURCE OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED

SBE Grant Criteria Approval Date (meeting date):
8/9/11

Official Name Of Grant Program:

2013--2014 Regional Assistance to High Priority Schools
(year) (year) (title)

Grant Type: Initial Amendment Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as Amended, Title I

Federal Grant: CFDA Number 84.010A State Aid Grant: Section Number _____ Other (specify) _____

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

Priorities: Elevating Educational Leadership, Ensuring Excellent Educators
Policies: Creating Effective Learning Environments

Attain substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement for all students/children with primary emphasis on high priority schools and students.

MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

Type of Distribution: (check one)

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:

Provide funds to intermediate school districts to support initiatives to improve academic achievement in high priority schools. Funds will be used to provide professional staff and direct services to improve student achievement by implementing a school improvement, corrective action, or restructuring plan, as required by the particular phase of each high priority school.

- Competitive
 Formula
 Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

Students and staff in Title I Priority schools.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)

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

5. Eligible Applicants:

Intermediate school districts with at least one Title I school within its boundaries that is identified as a Priority school by the MDE.

Type of Notification: (check one)

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

6. Award Information:

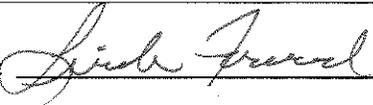
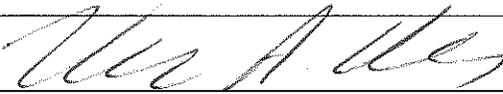
Original Award Date: <u>10/1/2013</u>	Amendment Date(s): _____	Amendment Amount(s): \$ _____	Total Recommended Award to Date:
Original Award Amount: <u>\$7,810,000</u>	_____	\$ _____	<u>\$7,810,000</u>
	_____	\$ _____	
	_____	\$ _____	

7. Responsible Program Office:

<u>Office Name</u>	<u>Unit Name</u>	<u>Contact Name</u>	<u>Phone Number</u>
OEII	School Improvement Support	Karen Ruple	373-4226

This Form Was Prepared by: Greg Olszta

Phone Number: 241-4715

8. OFFICE	
Office Director Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>9/13/13</u>
Phone: 241-2147	
Comments:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit B Not Required because: Formula Grant	
9. GRANTS OFFICE	
Grants Office Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>9/16/13</u>
Comments:	
10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT	
Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>9/19/13</u>
Comments:	
11. SUPERINTENDENT	
Superintendent Approval Signature: <u></u>	Date: <u>9/19/13</u>
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.

Michigan Department of Education
Office of Education Improvement and Innovation
2013-2014 Title I School Improvement Funds to Support
Assistance to High Priority Schools

Applicants Recommended for Funding

ISD #	ISD Name	Recommended Amount
11	Berrien RESA	\$120,000
13	Calhoun ISD	\$100,000
16	Cheb-Otsego-Presque Isle ESD	\$65,000
21	Delta-Schoolcraft ISD	\$65,000
17	Eastern Upper Peninsula ISD	\$65,000
25	Genesee ISD	\$295,000
30	Hillsdale ISD	\$65,000
33	Ingham ISD	\$560,000
38	Jackson ISD	\$270,000
39	Kalamazoo RESA	\$40,000
41	Kent ISD	\$390,000
50	Macomb ISD	\$160,000
61	Muskegon Area ISD	\$195,000
63	Oakland Schools	\$555,000
73	Saginaw ISD	\$20,000
80	Van Buren ISD	\$40,000
81	Washtenaw ISD	\$40,000
82	Wayne RESA	\$4,765,000
TOTAL		\$7,810,000