(formerly OG-2805/Pink)
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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): **August 13, 2013**

Official Name Of Grant Program:
2013--2014 (year) (year) Section 22.i: Technology Readiness Infrastructure Grant (title)

Grant Type: ☐ Initial ☒ Amendment ☐ Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: P.A. 60 of 2013

☐ Federal Grant: CFDA Number _____ ☒ State Aid Grant: Section Number 22i ☐ Other (specify) _____

2. SBE Mission, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports:
This grant supports the board's mission by awarding funding to districts to promote online testing and learning that will better prepare students for the workforce and post-secondary education.

MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:
The FY2013 State Aid Act appropriated $50 million in funding for competitive grants, of which $45 million is to promote the development or improvement of a district's technology infrastructure, the shared services consolidation of technology and data, and hardware in preparation for the planned implementation in 2014-15 of online growth assessments.

Type of Distribution: (check one)

☒ Competitive
☐ Formula
☐ Other: (specify below)

4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:
All students, grades K-12, attending public school districts and public school academies in Michigan.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)

☐ Initial (Exhibit A)
☒ Revised (Exhibit A)
☐ Conditional (Exhibit A)
☐ Denial (Exhibit B)

5. Eligible Applicants:
All individual public school districts, PSAs, and ISDs are eligible.

Type of Notification: (check one)

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

6. Award Information:

Original Award Date: 2/20/14

Original Award Amount: $1,294,908

Amendment Date(s):	Amendment Amount(s):
4/21/14	$23,492
_____	$_____
_____	$_____
_____	$_____

Total Recommended Award to Date: $1,318,400

7. Responsible Program Office:

Office Name	Unit Name	Contact Name	Phone Number
Office of Education Improvement and Innovation	Educational Technology	Amanda Stoel	1-3629

This Form Was Prepared by: Amanda Stoel **Phone Number:** 1-3629

8. OFFICE

Office Director Approval Signature: _____ Date: 4/22/14

Phone:

Comments:

☒ Exhibit B Not Required because: **All applicants were awarded in the original packet.**

9. GRANTS OFFICE

Grants Office Approval Signature: _____ Date: 4/25/14

Comments:

10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT

Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: _____ Date: 4/28/14

Comments:

11. SUPERINTENDENT

Superintendent Approval Signature: _____ Date: 04/29/14

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.

Exhibit A

Michigan Department of Education
Office of Education Improvement and Innovation
2013-14 22i: Technology Readiness Infrastrucutre Grant

Consortium Leads

Applicants Recommended for Funding

Applicant	Previous Award	Amended Amount	Total Recommended Award
Copper Country ISD	$151,867	$749	$152,616
Genesee ISD	$486,740	$15,742	$502,482
Kalamazoo RESA	$169,204	$5,660	$174,864
Kent ISD	$278,955	($210)	$278,745
Wexford-Missaukee ISD	$208,142	$1,551	$209,693
Total Amended Amount:	**$ 1,294,908**	**$ 23,492**	**$ 1,318,400**