

# GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

## 1. SOURCE OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED

SBE Grant Criteria Approval Date (meeting date):  
**4-13-2010 to Life of Grant**

Official Name Of Grant Program:

2014--2015     1003(g) School Improvement Grant  
(year) (year)     (title)

Grant Type:    Initial     Amendment     Continuation

Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program: Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, Title I, Part A, Section 1003(g)

Federal Grant: CFDA Number 84.377A     State Aid Grant: Section Number \_\_\_\_\_     Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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

The School Improvement Grants (SIG) directly support the State Board of Education's Strategic Goal of attaining substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement for all students/children with a primary emphasis on high priority schools and students. SIG funds are only granted to the persistently lowest achieving schools in the state with the purpose of rapidly and substantially improving student achievement.

## MDE DISTRIBUTION OF GRANT FUNDS

Type of Distribution: (check one)

### 3. Background/Purpose of Grant Program:

To provide funding to local educational agencies (LEAs) with the lowest-achieving schools that have the greatest need for the funds and demonstrate the strongest commitment to use the funds to significantly raise the achievement of their students.

- Competitive  
 Formula  
 Other: (specify below)

### 4. Target Population to be Served by Grant:

Students in LEAs with the lowest-achieving schools.

Type of Award: (check all applicable)

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

### 5. Eligible Applicants:

Title I participating or eligible schools on the 2012 and 2013 Priority Schools list.

Type of Notification: (check one)

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

### 6. Award Information:

Original Award Date: <u>8-18-2014</u>	Amendment Date(s): _____	Amendment Amount(s): \$ _____	Total Recommended Award to Date:
Original Award Amount: <u>\$34,160,272</u>	_____	\$ _____	<u>\$34,160,272</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	Bill Witt	5-2957

This Form Was Prepared by: Jill Thompson

Phone Number: 3-4226

<b>8. OFFICE</b>	
Office Director Approval Signature: <u><i>Lish Forward</i></u>	Date: <u>8/14/14</u>
Phone: _____	
Comments: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit B Not Required because: _____	
<b>9. GRANTS OFFICE</b>	
Grants Office Approval Signature: <u><i>JYB</i></u>	Date: <u>8/18/14</u>
Comments: _____	
<b>10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT</b>	
Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: <u><i>Thomas A. Kester</i></u>	Date: <u>08/19/14</u>
Comments: _____	
<b>11. SUPERINTENDENT</b>	
Superintendent Approval Signature: <u><i>Mike Flanagan</i></u>	Date: <u>08/19/14</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  
School Improvement Support Unit  
2014-2015 1003(g) School Improvement Grant**

**Applicants Recommended for Funding**

<b>District</b>	<b>District Name</b>	<b>Entity Code</b>	<b>Entity Name</b>	<b>Recommended</b>
13020	Battle Creek Public Schools	00965	Dudley School	\$1,521,057
11010	Benton Harbor Area Schools	00286	Benton Harbor High School	\$1,988,208
11010	Benton Harbor Area Schools	03502	International Academy at Hull	\$1,902,992
11010	Benton Harbor Area Schools	00373	Montessori Academy at Henry C Morton	\$1,868,222
82010	Detroit City School District	00542	Carstens Elementary-Middle School	\$2,000,000
82010	Detroit City School District	06103	Noble Elementary-Middle School	\$2,000,000
82010	Detroit City School District	00030	Osborn College Preparatory Academy	\$2,000,000
82010	Detroit City School District	00035	Osborn Evergreen Academy of Design and Alternative Energy	\$2,000,000
82250	Ecorse Public Schools	01069	Ecorse Community High School	\$1,979,999
82250	Ecorse Public Schools	03144	Ralph J. Bunche Academy	\$1,971,348
39010	Kalamazoo Public Schools	04358	Washington Writers' Academy	\$1,322,250
39010	Kalamazoo Public Schools	04600	Woodward School for Technology and Research	\$1,331,000
33020	Lansing Public School District	01044	Eastern High School	\$1,741,821
33020	Lansing Public School District	01270	Forrest G. Averill School	\$1,707,389
82090	Lincoln Park, School District of City of	03153	Raupp School	\$1,665,786
30040	Litchfield Community Schools	02238	Litchfield Elementary School	\$1,351,000
82907	Michigan Technical Academy	09099	Michigan Technical Academy Elementary	\$1,809,250
82120	River Rouge, School District of the City of	00105	Ann Visger K-5 Preparatory Academy	\$1,999,950
50030	Roseville Community Schools	01049	John R. Kment Elementary School	\$2,000,000
<b>Total:</b>				<b>\$34,160,272</b>

**Michigan Department of Education  
Office of Education Improvement and Innovation  
School Improvement Support Unit  
2014-2015 1003(g) School Improvement Grant  
Applicants Not Recommended for Funding**

<b>District Code</b>	<b>District Code</b>	<b>Entity Code</b>	<b>Entity Name</b>	<b>Amount Requested</b>
13020	Battle Creek Public Schools	04294	Verona Elementary School	\$3,824,970
11010	Benton Harbor Area Schools	01629	STEAM Academy at MLK	\$4,719,375
82010	Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences	08489	Detroit Academy of Arts and Sciences	\$4,688,000
82010	Detroit City School District	04062	Brown, Ronald Academy	\$5,999,904
82010	Detroit City School District	05553	Carleton Elementary School	\$6,000,000
82010	Detroit City School District	00546	Carver Elementary-Middle School	\$5,999,713
82010	Detroit City School District	02778	Detroit Collegiate Preparatory Academy @ Northwestern	\$5,548,147
82010	Detroit City School District	02669	Neinas Elementary School	\$5,680,901
82010	Detroit City School District	02703	Nichols Elementary-Middle School	\$5,703,713
82010	Detroit City School District	03717	Young, Coleman A. Elementary	\$5,990,704
84060	Education Achievement Authority of Michigan	09341	Brenda Scott Academy of Theatre Arts	\$6,000,000
84060	Education Achievement Authority of Michigan	02708	Nolan Elementary-Middle School	\$6,000,000
84060	Education Achievement Authority of Michigan	04554	Phoenix Elementary-Middle School	\$6,000,000
84060	Education Achievement Authority of Michigan	03540	Southeastern High School	\$6,000,000
25010	Flint, School District of the City of	00789	Cummings School	\$1,424,622
25010	Flint, School District of the City of	01098	Eisenhower School	\$1,743,442
25010	Flint, School District of the City of	02670	Neithercut Elementary School	\$1,386,722
82911	Gaudior Academy	07597	Gaudior Academy	\$6,000,000
82733	Hamilton Academy	09994	Hamilton Academy	\$2,178,250
38170	Jackson Public Schools	00278	Bennett School	\$6,000,000
38170	Jackson Public Schools	01334	Frost Elementary School	\$1,605,063
38170	Jackson Public Schools	02957	Middle School at Parkside	\$1,705,290
38170	Jackson Public Schools	05802	Northeast Elementary School	\$6,000,000
33020	Lansing Public School District	01166	Everett High School	\$5,439,822
33020	Lansing Public School District	01865	J.W. Sexton High School	\$5,561,056
33020	Lansing Public School District	03181	Reo School	\$4,404,614
33020	Lansing Public School District	09564	Riddle Elementary	\$4,347,081
30040	Litchfield Community Schools	02237	Litchfield High School	\$2,345,530
33904	Mid-Michigan Leadership Academy	08323	Mid-Michigan Leadership Academy	\$1,713,442
61905	Muskegon Heights Public School Academy	01074	Edgewood Elementary School	\$6,000,000
61905	Muskegon Heights Public School Academy	02651	Muskegon Heights High School	\$6,000,000
61905	Muskegon Heights Public School Academy	02653	Muskegon Heights Middle School	\$6,000,000
55901	Nah Tah Wahsh Public School	08221	Nah Tah Wahsh Public School Academy	\$1,443,600
49901	Three Lakes Academy	00130	Three Lakes Academy	\$3,010,416
33220	Webberville Community Schools	04417	Webberville High School	\$4,571,939
81020	Ypsilanti Community Schools	01705	Holmes Elementary	\$2,114,600
<b>Total:</b>				<b>\$159,150,916</b>