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MEMORANDUM

TO: State Board of Education

FROM: Michael Flanagan, Chairman 

SUBJECT: Approval of Criteria for 2006-2007 State School Aid Act, Section 99d,
Purchase of Automated External Defibrillators Grants

The Michigan Legislature in the 2006-2007 State School Aid Act, Section 99d, appropriated \$100,000 for grants to intermediate school districts, local school districts, and public school academies for purchase of Automated External Defibrillators.

Awards will be made to districts based on their free lunch poverty percentage.

Grantees will be required to provide at least 50 percent match from local, public, or private resources for the funds received under this grant.

Awards will not be made to purchase more than one automated external defibrillator unless each participating and qualified district has received an award

It is recommended that the State Board of Education approve the criteria for the 2006-2007 State School Aid Act, Section 99d, Purchase of Automated External Defibrillators Grants, as attached to the Superintendent's memorandum, dated November 27, 2006.

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**Criteria for the 2006-2007 State School Aid Act, Section 99d, Purchase of Automated
External Defibrillators Grants**

The State Board of Education has adopted as its Strategic Goal "Attain substantial and meaningful improvement in academic achievement for all students/children with primary emphasis on high priority schools and students." In addition, the State Board has adopted the following five Strategic Initiatives to implement the goal:

Ensuring Excellent Educators
Elevating Educational Leadership
Embracing the Information Age

Ensuring Early Childhood Literacy
Integrating Communities and Schools

To the extent possible, all grant criteria and grant awards will include priority consideration of the Strategic Goal and the Strategic Initiatives.

BACKGROUND/PURPOSE OF GRANT

Competitive Formula New Continuation *(check all that apply)*

The Michigan Legislature has appropriated \$100,000 to Intermediate School Districts, Local School Districts, and Public School Academies to purchase automated external defibrillators.

LEGISLATION

The 2006-2007 State School Aid Act, Section 99d appropriated \$100,000 for grants to acquire automated external defibrillators.

RATIONALE FOR CRITERIA

This grant program supports the State Board of Education Strategic Initiative: Integrating Communities and Schools

CRITERIA

Defined in Legislation Defined in Department's Grant Proposed by Staff

Grants will be awarded to applicants with the highest percentage of free lunch poverty in descending order until the funds are exhausted.

Applicants are required to provide at least a 50% local match from local, public, or private resources for the funds received in this grant.

Grant funds will be used to purchase an external defibrillator, wall cabinet if appropriate, and training materials.

If grant funds remain after all applicants receive their initial award, a second award will be offered to applicants in descending order of free lunch poverty until funds are exhausted.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS/TARGET POPULATION TO BE SERVED BY GRANT

Grants will be made available to Intermediate School Districts, Local School Districts, and Public School Academies based on the percentage of their free lunch poverty. Applicants with the highest percentage of free lunch poverty will receive priority funding.

TOTAL FUNDS AVAILABLE

\$100,000

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