

GRANT AWARD APPROVAL FORM

1. OFFICIAL NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:	Date of SBE Approval of Grant Criteria 4-13-2010
<p>2010--2011 <u>ARRA Title I School Improvement Grant</u> (year) (year) (title)</p> <p>Type: <input type="checkbox"/>Initial <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>Amendment <input type="checkbox"/>Continuation</p> <p><u>Legislation Authorizing This Grant Program:</u> Section 1003(g) of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/>Federal Grant: CFDA Number <u>84.388A</u> <input type="checkbox"/>State Aid Grant: Section Number _____ <input type="checkbox"/>Other (Private, Foundation)</p>	
2. SBE Priorities, Policies, and Programs that this Grant Supports (This information can be found on the SBE approved grant criteria form.): The ARRA Title I 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.	
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.	
Type of Grant Program: (check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Competitive <input type="checkbox"/> Formula <input type="checkbox"/> Other: (specify below)	
4. Target Population to be Served by Grant: Students in LEAs with the lowest-achieving schools.	
5. Eligible Applicants: LEAs with schools identified as persistently lowest achieving.	
6. Award Information:	
Original Award Date: 6/14/10	Amendment Date(s): <u>5/24/11</u>
Original Award Amount: \$82,758,982	Amendment Amount(s): <u>\$1,089,000</u>
	Total Recommended Award to Date: \$83,847,982
	\$ _____
	\$ _____
	\$ _____
7. Program Office Responsible:	
<u>Office</u> OEII	<u>Unit</u> School Improvement Support
	<u>Contact</u> Mark Coscarella
	<u>Phone</u> 1-4553
This Form Was Prepared by: Ryan Starkweather	
Phone Number: 3-4872	

8. OFFICE	
Office Director Approval Signature: <u><i>Leah Forward</i></u>	Date: <u>5/31/11</u>
Phone: _____	Comments: _____
9. GRANTS OFFICE	
Grants Office Approval Signature: <u><i>Mary Ann Chartrand</i></u>	Date: <u>6/3/11</u>
Comments: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Exhibit A Not Required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Exhibit B Not Required	
10. DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT	
Deputy Superintendent Approval Signature: <u><i>Sally Vard</i></u>	Date: <u>6-6-11</u>
Comments: _____	
11. SUPERINTENDENT	
Superintendent Approval Signature: <u><i>Michelle P. Hester</i></u>	Date: <u>6-6-11</u>
Comments: _____	

INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Complete items 1-8 on this form. The Grants Administration and Coordination Unit will facilitate completion of items 9-11.
- B. **Attach three (3)** sets of Exhibits A and B (one original and 2 copies). 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. Transmit Grant Award Approval Form (pink), attachments, and letters to the **Grants Administration and Coordination Unit**.

Note: This process takes, on average, two weeks from the time the packet with the Office Director's signature on it is delivered to the Grants Office, until the time the fully signed packet is routed to the person administering the grant program. This time varies depending upon the number of corrections that are necessary and the availability of all of the signers. It can take longer particularly around holiday times when the signers may be out of the office. Proofread and plan accordingly.

Michigan Department of Education
Office of Education Improvement & Innovation
2010-2011 ARRA School Improvement Grant (SIG)
Applicants Recommended for Funding

DCODE	DISTRICT NAME	PREVIOUS AWARD	AMENDED AMOUNT	TOTAL RECOMMENDED AWARD
46010	Adrian City School District	\$ 2,750,221	\$ 359,000	\$ 3,109,221
11310	Buchanan Community Schools	\$ 1,947,250	\$ 280,000	\$ 2,227,250
73080	Buena Vista School District	\$ 2,496,572	\$ -	\$ 2,496,572
82010	Detroit City School District	\$ 15,060,814	\$ -	\$ 15,060,814
50090	Fitzgerald Public Schools	\$ 1,014,461	\$ -	\$ 1,014,461
41120	Godfrey-Lee Public Schools	\$ 2,167,506	\$ 250,000	\$ 2,417,506
41010	Grand Rapids Public Schools	\$ 24,703,665	\$ -	\$ 24,703,665
62050	Grant Public School District	\$ 1,719,779	\$ 200,000	\$ 1,919,779
50160	Mt. Clemens Community School District	\$ 1,556,272	\$ -	\$ 1,556,272
25040	Mt. Morris Consolidated Schools	\$ 1,562,309	\$ -	\$ 1,562,309
63250	Oak Park City School District	\$ 4,234,240	\$ -	\$ 4,234,240
82130	Romulus Community Schools	\$ 5,328,664	\$ -	\$ 5,328,664
73010	Saginaw City School District	\$ 7,774,646	\$ -	\$ 7,774,646
82080	School District of the City of Inkster	\$ 5,447,000	\$ -	\$ 5,447,000
38150	Springport Public Schools	\$ 1,596,160	\$ -	\$ 1,596,160
50220	Van Dyke Public Schools	\$ 1,037,843	\$ -	\$ 1,037,843
30080	Waldron Area Schools	\$ 605,500	\$ -	\$ 605,500
82943	Weston Preparatory Academy	\$ 1,756,080	\$ -	\$ 1,756,080
Statewide Total		\$ 82,758,982	\$ 1,089,000	\$ 83,847,982