Board of Education Information

To: Board of Education

From: Matt Rich

Date: October 5, 2025

Re: 2027 State Maintenance Grant Approval

Recommendation:

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent to approve the 2027 Illinois State Maintenance Grant for projects costing approximately $108,750.

Background:

The State of Illinois has once again offered a 50-50 matching maintenance grant for Illinois public schools with a ceiling of $50,000 of state funding. As such, if a district has at least $100,000 in maintenance projects, the State of Illinois will pay up to $50,000 with the district also paying $50,000. For this year's maintenance grant, we have several projects identified through the FGM 10 year Health Life Safety Assessment report anticipated to net this cost:

- Doors replacement and knob/lock replacement at Primary and Central - estimated $31,500
- Removal of extension cords, adding conduit and junction boxes, wiring upgrades at Primary and Central - estimated $31,000
- Add fire alarm strobes and smoke detectors at Winfield Central School - estimated $12,000
- Add fuel burner switch at Winfield Primary School - estimated $5,000
- Add Emergency Lighting at Primary and Central - estimated $24,250
- Fix Plumbing termination in Storage Room 130 at Central - estimated $3,000
- Investigate and repair discolored water in rooms 111 and 113 at Primary - estimated $2,000