

School Board Meeting/Workshop:

October 25, 2010

Subject:

MSHSL Resolution

Presenter:

Tom Bauman

SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:

Approval

DESCRIPTION:

Last year, Speech Participants were asked to pay a fee of \$400 in co-op with STMA. (Highest fee we require for any activity involvement.)

Foundation dollars would be used to offset some of the STMA charges to us for participation. STMA bills us annually for a percentage of the entire cost of the program (staffing, transportation, judges, etc). The percentage is determined by the number of BHM participants in comparison to total participants in the program. The Foundation dollars would help reduce the program dollars needed by the STMA program, which in turn keeps the cost down for our participants.

Resolution of School Board Supporting District Application to Minnesota State High School League Foundation

WHEREAS, the Minnesota State High School League Foundation was formed to provide support for Minnesota's high school youth to participate in athletics and fine arts;

WHEREAS, the District 877, Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose School Board recognizes the value of students participation in extra-curricular activities; and

WHEREAS, the MSHSL Foundation is offering grants and funding to assist school districts in recognizing, promoting and funding extra-curricular participation by high school students in athletic and fine arts programs.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Buffalo-Hanover-Montrose School Board supports the District's application to the Minnesota State High School League Foundation for a grant to offset student activity fees.

Date

Board Chair

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Board Clerk