

**BOARD OF EDUCATION
BEEVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Date: March 24, 2009

Subject: 21st Century Community
Learning Center Grant

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ACTION

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

I need to receive Board approval to go forward in writing the grant for the 21st Century Grant also known as the after school program. Presently we have the programs in 3 BISD elementary campuses and have a partnership with St. Mary's Academy. We are at the end of the Cycle 5 grant and need to apply for the next Cycle 6 grant which is due April 14, 2009.

ITEMS ADDRESSED:

There needs to be some direction on the School Boards part to apply for this grant due to the fact that the grant requires a 10% match from the district, therefore if we get \$600,000.00 to implement a new after school program the district will need to come up with a 10% match.

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

I suggest that if the Board is in agreement with the matching funds required by TEA for the after school grant that we go forward to write the grant for grades 1st-12th grades, St. Mary's Academy.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION: