

# **Livonia Public Schools**

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## ***Business Services Office***

Date: February 24, 2015

To: Randy Liepa, PhD., Superintendent

From: Lisa Abbey, Director of Business Services

Re: MDE Best Practice Incentive Grants

The 2014-15 State School Aid Act provides \$50 per student in funding under section 22f, called the Best Practices Incentive Grant. Michigan Department of Education (MDE) requires that we have a resolution indicating that the District has satisfied 7 out of 9 best practices (sample enclosed). In order to obtain the funding of approximately \$700,000, we need to have the Board approve the resolution.

As we discussed at the Board of Education Study Session on February 23, 2015 we are also required to post an estimated budget for 2015-2016 on our website. At the Study Session we reviewed the assumptions used to prepare the draft budget for 2015-2016. During the discussion we indicated that these are estimates at this time and will change over the next several months as we finalize the 2015-2016 budget.

We would like to include this item on the next Finance Committee meeting agenda, March 2, 2015.

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Attachment: Best Practices Sample Resolution  
Livonia Public Schools 2015-2016 Draft Budget