



Executive Summary Facilities Committee Meeting

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TOPIC: Energy Efficient Deductions Allocation Form 179D

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Recommended for:

Action

Discussion

Information

Purpose/Background:

Attached is a 179D energy efficiency allocation letter representing last summer's roofing projects. It allows taxable bodies to submit deductions for installing energy efficient systems in their buildings. When the building owners are tax-exempt, like school districts, the program allows for the designer (architect/engineer) to claim the deduction instead.

There will likely be a field visit from the third-party confirmation agency in the near future and Lincolnwood School District 74 will be provided with a summary analysis detailing the energy-saving improvements and the final Section 179D deduction amount.

Fiscal Impact:

None

Recommendation:

The Facilities Committee concurs with the Administration's recommendation to the Board of Education to allocate 100% to StudioGC for the recent projects at the District Administration Building and at Rutledge Hall School, and endorse the Section 179D Allocation Form as presented.