

Gift to District

**Purpose:** Action Recommended

**Background:** Board Policy KH requires that large financial gifts to the district be presented to the Board for acceptance.

**Gift:** Aligned with District Policy KH, the board is presented this evening with the opportunity to accept a \$5,000 gift from Lee Sjothun. It is directed for the purposes of renovating the Burghardt Sports Complex. This renovation includes the installation of synthetic turf and full resurfacing of the track. Together with the gifts from Dale and Julie Burghardt, Terry and Cheryl Holden, and the Shuholm Family the remaining in the district budget for this project, the District is advancing towards a fully-funded project.

After the board acts to accept this incredibly generous donation, the administration will actively continue to collaborate with the Burghardts, the Holdens, Molalla Youth Sports, Molalla Youth Football, the community and grant funders for the purpose of funding the remaining \$300,000 necessary to complete the project.

**Possible language for a motion:**

"I move the Board act to accept this generous \$5,000 gift from Lee Sjothun in alignment with the intentions presented this evening."

Respectfully Submitted by:

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