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To: Board of Education

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RE: School Maintenance Project Grant

In some years ISBE offers funding for the School Maintenance Project Grant. This grant will MATCH up to \$50,000 for qualified projects, but the funding is dependent on the State actually funding the grant. At this time, the Grant application is open for Districts to submit a grant with a due date in January, funding is yet to be determined. To be eligible for any funding we must submit the grant now.

The grant application has been completed and ready for submission. The project I have assigned to the grant is the already approved tuckpointing project at HJH for next summer as this project meets all the requirements set forth in the grant. However, the board must authorize the grant prior to submission. To that end, I have included the two pages of the grant application most pertinent for Board authorization; it includes the description of work and final submission page (wherein the date of the Board's authorization is indicated). I will ask the Board to authorize the grant on November 19.