# RIVER ROAD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION AMARILLO, TEXAS

Subject: Grant Application Information Date: Monday, December 8, 2014

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#### ACTION

#### BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Late in the day on November 19, I received a phone call from Jeff Root, Terminal Manager at the local Phillips 66 terminal. Mr. Root told me that he wanted to do something for Rolling Hills Elementary, because of their proximity, and informed me of a grant opportunity that we could submit an application for.

The grant would be for a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Educational Project at the school in an amount up to \$25,000.

Mr. Kelley, Mrs. Brandstatt, and Mrs. Dampf and I met and decided that we would submit a grant application requesting support to purchase thirteen (13) interactive whiteboards and two (2) projectors. The objective of the project was to improve our Math and Science instruction (as well as Reading and Language Arts) and so that more of our students could utilize technology on a daily basis.

The grant application was submitted on November 25.

If there are any questions about this grant application I would be happy to answer them.

### PRESENTATION/PURPOSE:

To provide the Board with information about a grant that the school district has applied for.

## BOARD ACTION REQUESTED:

Information item - No action required.