

BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS  
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA

**DATE:** APRIL 20, 2015  
**TO:** BOARD OF EDUCATION  
**FROM:** KATHY PALM, DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM & ADMIN. SERVICES  
**SUBJECT:** REQUEST TO ACCEPT GRANT

**COMMENTS:**

Type of Grant: Corporation  
Title of Grant: STRIDER Bike Vouchers  
Granter: Strider Sports International, Inc.  
Grant Preparer: Tyler Kondos, Horace May Physical Education Teacher  
Amount of Grant: \$1,000  
District Responsibility: Serve as fiscal agent  
Purpose: Special needs students will benefit greatly from Strider Bikes. It is a bike with no pedals, lower to the ground, and really helps with balance issues. Special needs students need lifelong exercise skills and being able to ride bike is one of those life skills that we can help.