

Browning Public Schools  
**Board Agenda Request**  
Meeting To Be Held: 08/12/25



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**Recognition:**   ☐ Students                      ☐ Staff                      ☐ Parents  
**Information:**   ☐ Building Report           ☐ Old Business           ☐ Superintendent's Report  
**Action:**   ☐ Resignations                      ☐ Hiring                      ☐ Contract Service Agreements  
                    ☐ Travel Out-of-State                      ☐ Travel In State                      ☒ Approvals  
                    ☐ Termination                      ☐ Legal Matters                      ☐ Other:  
This action request pertains to   ☐ Elementary (only)                      ☒ High School/District Wide

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**Date:**      08/05/25

**To:**        Rebecca Rappold  
                 Superintendent

**From:**    Sandra Rivas  
**Title:**     Finance Director/District Clerk

**Subject: Approval: Purchase AEDs and apply for MT AED Reimbursement Grant**

**Description:** Per Browning's emergency preparedness, the district needs to purchase eight (8) additional AED units, each unit costs \$1,461 for a total of \$11,688.00. The Montana Legislature passed HB 869 (part of Title 10, Chapter 7, part 13, MCA), which appropriates a grant fund for school districts to be reimbursed for the purchase and ongoing maintenance of AEDs (automatic external defibrillators) at a \$1-to-\$1 reimbursement up to \$700 per AED.

**Financial Impact:** \$6,088 (\$11,688 - \$5,600)

**Funding Source (Budget/grant, etc.):** P Card Rebate (115-90-160-2670-610) & T-Mobile (215-60-160-2670-610)

**Attachment(s):** Montana AED Reimbursement Program description and application, American AED Invoice, and requisition #70708.

**Comments:** Requisitions attached. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Board Action:**        ☐ N/A (Info)           ☐ Approved           ☐ Denied           ☐ Tabled to: \_\_\_\_\_