



# SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 4/20/2009

Agenda #                     

Staff/Administrator: Bethany

Superintendent: Dan Huber-Kantola

Type of Item:       Informational       Action

**Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?**

I would like board approval to send approximately 4 – 6 teachers from IVHS and LBMS to Advanced Placement College Board and Pre- AP workshops this summer. These workshops are located in various states throughout the summer. Teachers will be registering for these during these during this month. Commitments have not been made at this time, but as we get them we need to be able to make the reservations. Trips must be cost effective as the maximum for each conference is \$1200 - including registration fees, hotels, travel, and food.

**Provide history/background information on your proposal.**

This is the last year of our AP grant and sending teachers off to these workshops is part of the stipulations of the grant. Teachers who have attended in the past have reported that these workshops are excellent and have had a positive impact on their instruction.

**List the advantages of your proposal:**

There will be improved classroom instruction in the classroom, assistance with course audits for new classes that may be offered, networking with other AP teacher and ideas for vertical teaming.

**List possible disadvantages of your proposal:**

None – this will be during the summer so teachers will not miss school and the costs are paid out of the grant.

**List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?**

None

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes  No