



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 11/18/20 Superintendent: Dave Valenzuela

Administrator/Staff: Lisa Cross

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 approval from the Board to submit 4 grant applications. 1) North Valley High School Seismic 2) Fleming Middle School Seismic 3) Lincoln Savage Middle School Seismic, and 4) Oregon Department of Education OSCIM grant

Provide history/background information on your proposal:

1) Ausland Group has offered to submit the North Valley High School seismic rehabilitation grant at a reduced rate of rate of \$2,500 and contingent upon grant approval. 2) & 3) ZCS Engineering has offered to submit a seismic rehabilitation grant application pro-bono for Fleming Middle School; after discussing with the maintenance supervisor Fleming and Lincoln Savage are identical buildings and we are recommending to submit an application for both for facilities at a cost of \$6,500. 4) The Oregon School Capital Improvement Match (OSCIM) program is to encourage local communities to invest in their district's public schools and offers the potential for additional funds from the state if a local bond passes. Three Rivers School District could receive up to \$4.9 million if a local bond were passed.

List the advantages of your proposal:

The Seismic Rehabilitation Grant Program (SRGP) provides funding for the seismic rehabilitation of critical public buildings which include public schools. This grant provides an opportunity to ensure our buildings are the safest place for students to be. The OSCIM grant makes commitments to districts ahead of an election so they can inform their communities of the potential for additional funds from the state if a bond passes; it allows bond dollars to go further.

List possible disadvantages of your proposal:

A small fee for the chance to substantially invest in the district's buildings and student safety, that we might not otherwise be able to do.

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

The district could borrow money for capital improvements.

Superintendent's recommendation(s): **Approve:** Yes No