

**BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS  
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA**

**DATE: SEPTEMBER 18, 2017**

**TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**FROM: DR. JIM HESS, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS**

**SUBJECT: FIELD TRIP REQUEST – BEMIDJI MIDDLE SCHOOL  
PEER LEADER TRAINING**

**COMMENTS:**

School Board approval is requested for the Bemidji Middle School Peer Leader Training field trip request:

**Destination:** Concordia Language Villages  
**Departure Date:** November 16, 2017  
**Return Date:** November 17, 2017  
**Cost/Funding:** Northwest Minnesota Foundation Grant  
**Number of Students:** 12  
**Number of Staff/Adults:** 2

**Objective of Field Trip:** To lay the foundation of leadership skills for our new peer leaders. To provide an opportunity for our team to bond as they take on leadership at BMS for three years.

**District Curriculum Standards/Outcomes/Building Goals addressed through this proposed field trip:**

To provide a safe and welcoming learning environment.