EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

FOR THE SHOREWOOD SCHOOL BOARD

Topic: Atwater Centennial Donation for New Playground from Jay Urban

Date: October 8, 2015

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Recommended action:	 X_	Information only Presentation/discussion Discussion/action by committee Discussion/action by board of education
		Presentation/action next meeting

Recommendation(s):

The Advancement Office recommends approval of a \$5,000 donation from Jay Urban for the Atwater Centennial to support the new Atwater School playground.

Purpose:

Jay Urban, a community member and parent, has generously provided a \$5,000 donation to the Shorewood School District to support the new playground at Atwater School to mark the Atwater Centennial. Please note that Mr. Urban would like a small plaque placed at the site of the new playground in dedication to his children and in memory of his wife, Alicia Urban. The Advancement Office and Atwater Elementary School will coordinate to ensure that this request is honored.

Background:

Atwater Elementary officially turned 100 years old in September 2015, and the District and Atwater School held a number of activities to commemorate the school's centennial, including hosting a large 100th Anniversary Celebration event in September and launching an Atwater Centennial Fundraising Campaign to support a new playground.

The Advancement Office requests that the Board approve this donation worth \$5,000 to help support the new Atwater School playground.