

**BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA**

DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 2015
TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION
FROM: STEPHANIE HUBBARD, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION
SUBJECT: REQUEST TO ACCEPT GRANT APPLICATION

COMMENTS:

Type of Grant:	Local
Title of Grant:	Beltrami Area Service Collaborative (BASC) Funded Projects
Granter:	Beltrami Area Service Collaborative (BASC)
Grant Preparer:	Stephanie Hubbard, Director of Special Education
Amount of Grant:	Up to \$38,500
District Responsibility:	Fiscal Host
Purpose:	<p>The BASC funding helps support Children's Therapeutic Support Services (CTSS) within the schools. These mental health services are written into the child's IEP (Individualized Education Plan) for youth experiencing such dynamic emotional and behavioral challenges that the student's IEP team determines the services are necessary in order for the student to make educational progress. The CTSS programs work collaboratively with BASC, North Homes, families, social workers, probation officers, case managers, and other individuals involved with the child in order to meet their individual IEP goals.</p>