TO: Mr. David Meadows FROM: Nancy McReynolds RE: Grant Acceptance DATE: July 19, 2011

The following grants have been awarded to the Tupelo Public School District. At this time, we request that the TPSD Board of Trustees acknowledge and accept these grants on behalf of the District. By accepting these grants, the Board also authorizes the Finance Department to amend the district's budget to add the grant awarded amounts to the appropriate budgets.

**TPSD Grant # 1116** Permission to submit at 2/15/11 Board Mtg.

Grant Source: Carpenter Foundation

Grant Site: Tupelo High School Choral Dept.

Grant Title: Music! Lights! Action!

Grant Purpose: To purchase a new grand piano for the PAC and

to update the PAC lighting system.

Amount Requested: \$30,000 for piano purchase

District Grant Contact: M. Thomas/D. Bullock/MA Plasencia

**TPSD Grant # 1120** Permission to submit at 3/8/11 Board Mtg.

Grant Source: MS Arts Commission
Grant Site: Pierce St. School

Grant Title: Whole School Initiative Year 2

Grant Purpose: To continue arts integration at Pierce St.

Amount Requested: \$10,700

Matching Amount: \$10,700 In kind and other
District Grant Contact: Kim Britton, Pam McAlilly
Grant Period: 2011-2012 School Year