

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SCHOOL MAINTENANCE PROJECT GRANT APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Streator Elementary School District 44 (the "District") has identified a need to perform necessary maintenance and improvements to the heating systems at **Kimes Elementary**; and

WHEREAS, the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) has made available funds through the School Maintenance Project Grant (SMPG) program, which provides a dollar-for-dollar match up to \$50,000 for eligible maintenance projects; and

WHEREAS, the District intends to replace the existing boiler system with a new high-efficiency Weil-McLain boiler system to improve reliability and energy efficiency; and

WHEREAS, the total estimated cost of this project is **\$98,175**;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Streator Elementary School District 44, LaSalle County, Illinois, as follows:

Section 1: The Board of Education hereby authorizes the Superintendent or designee to submit an application for the School Maintenance Project Grant to the Illinois State Board of Education for the boiler replacement project.

Section 2: The Board of Education hereby reserves local funds in the amount of **\$49,087** to meet the local match requirement for the grant. These funds are available in the **Operations and Maintenance Fund** (Fund 20).

Section 3: The Board of Education certifies that the District has not obligated funds or begun work on any portion of the project listed in the application prior to the submission of the application.

Section 4: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this 16th day of December, 2025.

President, Board of Education

Secretary, Board of Education

Reminders for the Board Packet:

- Ensure the **date of adoption** you enter in the grant application matches the date of the meeting where this resolution is passed.
- The **Board President** will need to sign the separate "District Certification" form generated by IWAS after this meeting.