BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA

DATE: FEBRUARY 23, 2015

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

FROM: KATHY PALM, DIRECTOR OF CURRICULUM & ADMIN. SERVICES

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO ACCEPT GRANT

COMMENTS:

Type of Grant: Local

Title of Grant: Historical Short Story Writing

Granter: Region 2 Arts Council

Grant Preparer: Stephen Pfleger Media Specialist, Pam Roiger Grade 6 Social

Studies Teacher, Bemidji Middle School

Amount of Grant: \$1,200

District Responsibility: Serve as fiscal agent. Bemidji Middle School will provide

matching funds.

Purpose: Novelist William Durbin will teach students and staff creative

historical fiction with Language Arts and MN History in 6th grade. These funds will assist BMS students to write historically accurate, creative short stories with the inspiration and guidance of Mr. Durbin, novelist. The project will take place February 9-13, 2015