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Board Report  
October 2024

Grants Awarded:

- October 16: Homeland Security grant (\$262,000) for generators, communication, and mass care supplies at all schools
- September 30: COPS grant (\$500,000) for upgrading doors and security systems across district schools

Grants Applied For:

- October 18: Finalized and submitted AHFC grant application for Hollis housing unit development

Grant Updates:

- Renew America's Schools grant (\$1,700,000): Preliminary submissions completed, currently working on next phase of submission requirements

DEED Monitoring:

- ESEA audit documentation in progress, including:
  - Time and effort reports
  - Needs assessments
  - Family engagement policies and booklets
  - Schoolwide plans
- Submission deadline: January 25, 2024
- Site visit scheduled: February 25, 2024