BEMIDJI AREA SCHOOLS BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA

DATE: MAY 18, 2015

TO: BOARD OF EDUCATION

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

SUBJECT: REQUEST TO ACCEPT ADDITIONAL FINANCIAL AWARD

COMMENTS:

Type of Grant: State

Title of Grant: Hunger Free Minnesota

Granter: Children's Defense Fund of Minnesota

Grant Preparer: Marleen Webb, Food Service Coordinator

Amount of Grant: \$6,609.05 additional grant funds

District Responsibility: Serve as fiscal agent

Purpose: In April 2014, we were notified by the Children's Defense Fund of

Minnesota, Hunger Free Minnesota that we had been awarded a grant totaling \$10,000. This allowed \$2,500 per site for school breakfast at Bemidji Middle School, Lincoln, J. W. Smith, and Central Elementary Schools. Additional monies would be awarded when increases in the free and reduced price category of breakfast at each site were raised compared to the current school year. We received notification that Hunger Free Minnesota has calculated the additional award amount for those schools, totaling \$6,609.05.