

YSLETA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board of Trustees Meeting
Agenda Item Backup Sheet
February 10, 2016

- Subject:** Grant application to the Paso del Norte Health Foundation for the Healthy Eating and Active Living (HEAL) initiative.
- Solution:** The YISD grant application to the Paso del Norte Health Foundation will support the implementation of the Coordinated Approach to Child Health (CATCH) health and physical education program at district elementary and middle schools.
- Rationale:** CATCH is currently being implemented at 14 YISD elementary schools and all middle schools. The Paso del Norte Health Foundation grant will enable YISD to implement CATCH at the remaining elementary schools.
- Funding:** Grant funding from the Paso del Norte Health Foundation.
- Recommendation:** Consider and take possible action to approve the submission of a grant application to the Paso del Norte Health Foundation for the period of approximately July 1, 2016, through June 30, 2018, in the amount of up to approximately \$80,000; and authorizing the superintendent or designee to accept such funds and sign any subsequent documents in connection with the application, acceptance, and administration of such funds, including grant amendments.
- Resource Person:** Dr. Catherine Kennedy, Associate Superintendent of Middle Schools
- Sheila Elias, Director, Office of Competitive Grants
- Patrick O’Neill, Associate Superintendent of Operations
- Mike Williams, Director, Athletics