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OAKLAND UNIFIED
SCHOOL DISTRICT

Community Schools, Thriving Students

OAKLAND UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Office of the Board of Education

To: Board of Education
From: Tony Smith, Superintendent

Subject: District Submitting Grant Proposal

ACTION REQUESTED:

Approval and support by the Board of Education of District's Grant Application to East Bay Community Foundation, seeking \$80,000.00 to support the acceleration of literacy achievement for middle and high school students by providing specialized literacy services for 15 low income schools for the period June 30, 2012 through July 1, 2013 and, if awarded, in whole or in part, authorization to accept same, pursuant to the terms and conditions thereof, if any.

BACKGROUND:

Grant proposal for OUSD schools for the 2013 fiscal year were submitted for funding as indicated in the chart below. The Grant Face Sheet and grant application packets are attached.

File I.D #	Backup Document Included	Type	Recipient	Grant's Purpose	Time Period	Funding Source	Grant Amount
	Yes	Grant	Oakland Unified School District	To increase literary achievement for secondary students.	July 1, 2012- June 30, 2013	Oakland Schools Fund	\$80,000.00

DISCUSSION:

The district created a Grant Face sheet process to:

- Review proposed grant projects at OUSD sites and assess their contribution to sustained student achievement
- Identify OUSD resources required for program success

OUSD received a Grant Face Sheet and a completed grant application for the program listed in the chart by the school.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The total amount of grants will be provided to OUSD schools from the funders.

- Grants valued at: \$80,000.00

RECOMMENDATION:

Approval and support by the Board of Education of District applicant submitting a grant proposal for OUSD schools for fiscal year 2013 to accept same, if granted, in whole or in part, pursuant to the terms and conditions thereof and to submit amendments thereto, for the grant year, if any.

ATTACHMENTS:

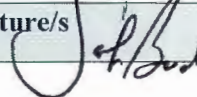
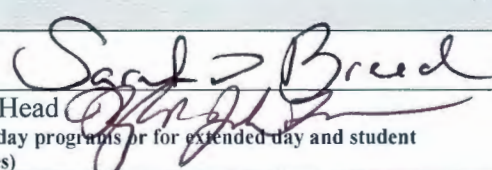
Grant Face Sheet
Letter from Anthony Smith, Ph. D.

OUSD Grants Management Face Sheet 2012-13

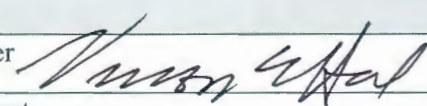
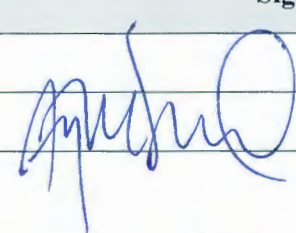
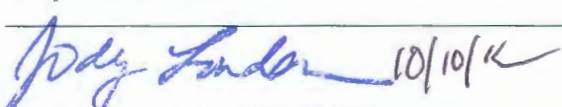
Title of Grant: Secondary Literacy Grant	Funding Cycle Dates: June 30, 2012 – July 1, 2013
Grant's Fiscal Agent: Oakland Unified School District	Grant Amount for Full Funding Cycle: \$80,000
Funding Agency: East Bay Community Foundation	Grant Focus: To increase literary achievement for secondary students.
List all School(s) or Department(s) to be Served: Secondary Schools	

Information Needed	School or Department Response
How will this grant contribute to sustained student achievement or academic standards?	This grant will support the acceleration of literary achievement for middle and high school students by providing specialized literary services for 15 low-income schools.
How will this grant be evaluated for impact upon student achievement?	Impact will be evaluated based on gains in reading proficiency for English Language Learners as well as increased reading levels for all students.
Does the grant require any resources from the school(s) or district? If so, describe.	No
Are services being supported by an OUSD funded grant or by a contractor paid through an OUSD contract or MOU?	No
Will the proposed program take students out of the classroom for any portion of the school day? (OUSD reserves the right to limit service access to students during the school day to ensure academic attendance continuity.)	No
Who is the contact managing and assuring grant compliance?	Sarah Breed, Manager of Literacy 1025 Second Avenue Oakland, CA 94606-2212 (510) 879.8200 or sarah.breed@ousd.k12.ca.us

Applicant Obtained Approval Signatures:

Entity	Name/s	Signature/s	Date
Principal	Sarah Breed		9/13/12
Department Head (e.g. for school day programs or for extended day and student support activities)			

Grant Office Obtained Approval Signatures:

Entity	Name/s	Signature/s	Date
Fiscal Officer	Vernon Hal		
Superintendent	Tony Smith		9/26/12
	Jody London		10/10/12

Jody London
President, Board of Education


Edgar Rakestraw, Jr., Secretary
Board of Education

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September 10, 2012

Nicole Taylor, President
East Bay Community Foundation
De Domenico Building
200 Frank Ogawa Plaza
Oakland, CA 94612

Dear Ms. Taylor:

On behalf of Oakland Unified School District, I would like to request a grant of \$80,000 from the Oakland Education Fund, a field of interest fund held at the East Bay Community Foundation. This grant will be used to support the acceleration of literary achievement for middle and high school students by providing specialized literary services for 15 low-income schools. There are two primary components of the program:

- 1. Providing direct instruction for children who are reading below grade level, with the goal of accelerating reading performance for 100% of students by 2 or more grade levels, and*
- 2. Training teachers in basic reading instruction at the secondary level.*

We appreciate our partnership with the East Bay Community Foundation and your steadfast commitment and ongoing support for the health and well-being of the children and families we serve.

Sincerely,

Anthony Smith, PH. D.
Superintendent