OMNIBUS REPORT: AUTHORIZE THE ACCEPTANCE OF SCHOOL-BASED GRANTS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

Authorize the acceptance of the following school-based grants:

DESCRIPTION:

(1)

Grant: Grant to Local School

Funding Source: Joseph Kellman Family Foundation Receiving Unit: Kellman Corporate Community School

Amount: \$584,000.00

Purpose: Funds will be used to purchase Apple computer equipment, software and professional

development which will support a school-wide student/staff laptop deployment.

Funding Period: March 1, 2004 through June 30, 2007

Budget Status: Budgeted

Credit/Charge: 3410-280-0432-0302-Objects

(2)

Grant: Grant to Local School **Funding Source:** IAHPERD

Receiving Unit: D. S. Wentworth Elementary School

Amount: \$1,650.00

Purpose: Funds will be used to purchase equipment and supplies.

Funding Period: June 1, 2004 through June 30, 2005

Budget Status: Budgeted

Credit/Charge: Monies will be deposited in the internal accounts.

(3)

Grant: Grant to Local School

Funding Source: Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity

Receiving Unit: Gale Community Academy

Amount: \$3,492.00

Purpose: Funds will be used to purchase equipment and educational cost.

Funding Period: May 3, 2004 through September 30, 2005

Budget Status: Budgeted

Credit/Charge: 3480-281-577-5461-Objects

0950-281-109-7782-5990

EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS: Expenditures of grant funds in excess of \$10,000 for biddable goods or \$25,000 for consultant services are subject to additional prior Board approval. In the event grant funds are not expended in accordance with the grant and are required to be returned to the funding source, up to 10% of the grant award may be so returned without further Board action. The return of any grant funds in excess of 10% of the grant award shall be reported to and approved by the Board.

AUTHORIZATION: Authorize the President and Secretary to execute any required grant acceptance agreements for the above-referenced grant awards.

LSC REVIEW: Not Applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: Notice of these grant awards was received by the Budget Office during the months of March, May and June 2004.

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General -- Each party to any agreement shall acknowledge that, in accordance with 105 ILCS 5/34-13.1, the Inspector General of the Chicago Board of Education has the authority to conduct certain investigations and that the Inspector General shall have access to all information and personnel necessary to conduct those investigations.

Conflicts — Any agreement shall not be legally binding on the Board if entered into in violation of the provisions of 105 ILCS 5/34-21.3 which restricts the employment of or the letting of contracts to, former Board members during the one year period following expiration or other termination of their terms of office.

Indebtedness -- The Board's Indebtedness Policy adopted July 26, 1995 (95-0726-EX3), as amended from time to time, shall be incorporated into and made a part of any agreement.

Ethics -- The Board's Ethics Code adopted September 27, 1995 (95-0927-RU3), as amended from time to time shall be incorporated into and made a part of any agreement.

Approved:

Chief Executive Officer

Approved for Consideration:

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Chief Education Officer

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Approved as to Legal Form:

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