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Ms. Mandy Stone
County Manager
Buncombe County Government
200 College Street, Suite 300
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Subject: Buncombe County Schools Lottery Application

Ms. Stone:

At the February 1, 2018 public meeting, The Board has authorized and executed a Lottery application. When implemented, the upgrade of approximately 11,750 tubular fluorescent fixtures to LED retrofit kits will result in significant energy savings and costs through many years.

As required, the application form in the amount of \$500,000 must be approved and executed by both the Board of Education and County Commissioners.

Please include this request on the February 20, 2018 County Commissioner meeting agenda for their consideration. If approved and executed I will pick up the application from your office and submit to NCDPI for their action.

Thank you and I will plan to attend the February 20 meeting and answer any questions.

Regards,



Timothy Fierle, AIA
Director of Facilities

Attachments: Executed Lottery Application
February 1, 2018 Board of Education Meeting Agenda
February 1, 2018 Board item backup documentation regarding Lottery Application

CC: Dr. Tony Baldwin, BCS Superintendent
Ms. Ann Franklin, Buncombe County Board of Education Chairperson
Ms. Deborah Frisby, BCS Chief Financial Officer
Mr. Joseph Hough, BCS Assistant Superintendent
Ms. Susanne Swanger, BCS Associate Superintendent
Mr. Clark Wyatt, BCS Director of Maintenance

**APPLICATION
PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDING CAPITAL FUND
NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATION LOTTERY**

Approved: _____

Date: _____

County: Buncombe
LEA: Buncombe County Schools #110
Address: 175 Bingham Rd, Asheville 28806

Contact Person: Amanda Buckner
Title: Capital Outlay Facilitator
Phone: 828-255-5916

Project Title: County-wide LED Upgrade

Location: 10 School Buildings

Type of Facility: K-12 Public School Buildings

North Carolina General Statutes, Chapter 18C, provides that a portion of the proceeds of the North Carolina State Lottery Fund be transferred to the Public School Building Capital Fund in accordance with G.S. 115C-546.2. Further, G.S. 115C-546.2 (d) has been amended to include the following:

- (3) No county shall have to provide matching funds...
- (4) A county may use monies in this Fund to pay for school construction projects in local school administrative units and to retire indebtedness incurred for school construction projects.
- (5) A county may not use monies in this Fund to pay for school technology needs.

As used in this section, "Public School Buildings" shall include only facilities for individual schools that are used for instructional and related purposes, and does not include central administration, maintenance, or other facilities. **Applications must be submitted within one year following the date of final payment to the Contractor or Vendor.**

Short description of Construction Project: Phase II of III. This project will involve upgrading approximately 11,750 tubular fluorescent fixtures to LED retrofit kits. Additional funding from Article 40/42 and Article 3

Estimated Costs:

Purchase of Land	_____	\$ _____
Planning and Design Services	_____	_____
New Construction	_____	_____
Additions / Renovations	_____	500,000.00
Repair	_____	_____
Debt Payment / Bond Payment	_____	_____
TOTAL	_____	\$ 500,000.00

Estimated Project Beginning Date: April 2018 Est. Project Completion Date: July 2019

We, the undersigned, agree to submit a statement of state monies expended for this project within 60 days following completion of the project.

The County Commissioners and the Board of Education do hereby jointly request approval of the above project, and request release of \$ 500,000.00 from the Public School Building Capital Fund (Lottery Distribution). We certify that the project herein described is within the parameters of G.S. 115C-546.

(Signature — Chair, County Commissioners) . (Date)
Ann B. Franklin 2-1-18
(Signature — Chair, Board of Education) (Date)