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Dr. Donna Hargens  
Superintendent  
Jefferson County Public Schools  
3332 Newburg Rd.  
Louisville, KY 40232

Dear Dr. Hargens:

I am pleased to announce the approval of \$56,784 additional School Improvement Grant (SIG) 1003 (g) funds for Jefferson County Public Schools. This amount is to be used for the Professional Growth and Effectiveness System (PGES) Support, System Training (Jim Shipley and Associates) and the Prichard Committee Work (The Missing Piece).

The following schools will receive an additional \$4,368 per school and all funds will be coded under 5600C: *Academy at Shawnee, Fern Creek High School, Frost Middle School, Valley High School, Western Middle School, Western High School, Doss High School, Fairdale High School, Iroquois High School, Knight Middle School, Seneca High School, Southern High School and Waggener High School.*

All of the above funds must be spent or encumbered by September 30, 2013. Award notification is attached.

Please feel free to contact the following if you have if you have questions or need assistance with these additional SIG funds and implementation process: Donna Tackett ([donna.takcett@education.ky.gov](mailto:donna.takcett@education.ky.gov)), Jason Radford ([jason.radford@education.ky.gov](mailto:jason.radford@education.ky.gov)) or Deborah Powers ([deborah.powers@education.ky.gov](mailto:deborah.powers@education.ky.gov)).

We look forward to continue working with you to ensure student success.

Sincerely,

*Susan G. Allred*

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