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November 13, 2017

Ms. Donna Duncan  
Kentucky Board of Education  
300 Sower Blvd., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Frankfort, KY 40601

RE: Waiver Request for Ignite Institute

Dear Ms. Donna Duncan,

Boone County School District Board of Education requests a waiver from the Kentucky Board of Education to the 702 KAR 4:180, Model Program of Spaces, and 702 KAR 4:170, Facility Programming and Construction Criteria. These waivers are necessary to allow flexibility in the use of space for the Ignite Institute which is not contemplated by the KDE Model Program for a 1000-student High School outlined in the KDE Planning Manual (702 KAR 4:180), and the standards for outdoor physical education and the specific use of bleachers for assembly under 702 KAR 4:170.

The Ignite Institute will not meet the standard KDE model configuration guidelines as set up by the Kentucky Department of Education but will meet all academic guidelines providing services all day, 5 days a week in a non-traditional setting. The waiver will allow the project to move forward and give the district more latitude to work with the Kentucky Workforce Development Cabinet in completing this project. We are appreciative for the gift of the building from Toyota and for the workforce grant from the Kentucky Department of Workforce Development.

Per your request below is the board order number and board minute information. Board Order Number: 11/9/2017; IX-1F

The above is the board order number from the November 9, 2017 Boone County Board of Education board meeting. This is an excerpt of the board minutes approving the item, the November 9, 2017 board meeting minutes will not be approved until the December 14, 2017 board meeting.

#### **Motion:**

Dr. Poe, Superintendent, recommended the following Consent Agenda items A-GGG for Board approval, as presented.

1. A motion was made by Bonnie Rickert, seconded by Maria Brown, to approve the consent agenda items A-GGG as presented. Maria Brown, Matt McIntire, Ed Massey and Bonnie Rickert voted, "aye" MOTION: The motion passed 4-0.

Thank you for your consideration for the Ignite Institute Waiver, if you have any questions please feel free to call our office at 859-282-2375.

Thank you,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Randy Poe". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Randy" and the last name "Poe" clearly distinguishable.

Randy Poe, Ed.D.  
Superintendent, Boone County Schools