

School Facilities Construction Commission

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> Dr. Janice O. Lantz, Superintendent Nelson County Schools P.O. Box 2277 1200 Cardinal Drive Bardstown, Kentucky 40004-1740

Dear Dr. Lantz:

Pursuant to KRS Chapter 157.655 - 157.660 and 750 KAR 2:010, the School Facilities Construction Commission (SFCC) is hereby making an official FY-2009 KETS offer of assistance to your Board of Education. Acceptance of this offer of assistance commits the Board of Education to follow the statutes and regulations of the SFCC and the Kentucky Department of Education governing the Education Technology Funding Program.

This is the first offer of assistance in FY-2009. It is in the amount of \$49,516 and is based on final FY-2008 statewide ADA figures. Accepted state technology fund offers of assistance **must be matched equally** by your Board of Education or can be escrowed for up to three (3) years.

Please note that the education technology funds restricted account has a new designation in the MUNIS chart of accounts, which is **Fund 2, Project 1629** EdTech account. In order for your district to receive funds now, it will be necessary to transfer local funds to that account.

In responding to this offer of assistance, please provide the SFCC with the following information:

-Fund Utilization Planning Form.

-Copy of a report from the MUNIS accounting system demonstrating evidence of a journal entry, certifying local matching funds have been transferred to **Fund 2**, **Project 1629** EdTech account. The certification shall be the signature of the superintendent on the report.

- Excerpt of Board of Education meeting minutes (accepting, escrowing, or rejecting offer within 60 days from the date of offer).

Again, we look forward to working with you in the Education Technology program. We trust you will join us in making this program successful for your district and the Commonwealth of Kentucky. Please direct any questions to Kristi Russell in the SFCC office.

Sincerely,

R.E. Tavin

Robert E. Tarvin Executive Director

Enclosures

KENTUCKY EDUCATION TECHNOLOGY FUNDING PROGRAM FUND UTILIZATION PLANNING FORM

Name of District _____ NELSON COUNTY

Declaration of Intentions: (Check Only One)

 \mathbf{x} The entire amount of the Offer of Assistance will be matched at the present time.

_____ The entire amount of the Offer of Assistance will be escrowed for up to

1 year. 2 years. 3 years.

_____ The entire amount of the Offer of Assistance is rejected.

A portion of this Offer of Assistance is being matched at the present time in the amount of

\$_____.

The remaining amount of \$______ will be escrowed for _____ years (maximum of 3years).

The remaining amount of \$______ will be rejected.

We agree to abide by the policies passed by the Kentucky Board of Education, School Facilities Construction Commission, and appropriate State Regulations regarding the use of the funds.

Superintendent's Signature2-10-09Date

Please be sure to include with this document :

1. Excerpt of Board of Education meeting minutes (accepting, escrowing, or rejecting offer).

2. Copy of <u>Journal Ledger Proof</u> from MUNIS accounting system demonstrating transfer of funds to **Fund 2**, **Project 1629**, if amount is being matched at the present time.

Return to: School Facilities Construction Commission 229 W. Main Street, Suite 102, Frankfort, KY 40601 Attention: Kristi Russell Within Sixty (60) days