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Date: 2/10/2020

<u>Consent Agenda Item (Action Item)</u>: Proposal to approve the creation of a Floyd County STEM/Career Academy and create a position for Principal for this academy.

<u>Applicable State or Regulations</u>: BOE Policy 01.11 Powers and Duties of the Local Board of Education.

Budget/Financial Issues: There is federal money that is purposed to spend on programs such as the career academy and transitional readiness. The general fund will absorb any excess costs associated with this program. Reallocation of current staffing numbers made during spring planning should meet the needs for this program with minimal to no excess costs.

<u>Background and Rationale</u>: The academy will help to meet transitional needs of students in our high schools who are inclined to careers in STEM fields. A principal needs to be placed this spring in order to help with planning and to ensure pathways are ready for student for the fall of 2020.

Recommended Action: To approve as presented: create a STEM/Career Academy and to create a principal's position for said academy.

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Principal /

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