



**School Facilities Construction Commission
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Mr. Robb Smith, Superintendent
Bellevue Independent Schools
219 Center Street
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Dear Mr. Smith:

House Bill 556, Section 17 appropriates Federal Funds from the Coronavirus Capital Projects Fund of the American Rescue Plan of 2021 to the School Facilities Construction Commission to support school facility construction costs. Funds will be disbursed based upon the facility rankings on the Kentucky Facilities Inventory and Classification System report as of February 27, 2020.

In accordance with HB556 of the 2021 General Assembly, the School Facilities Construction Commission has been authorized to make an additional offer of assistance to Bellevue Independent Schools in the amount of \$5,751,751 to be used for the renovation of Grandview Elementary School. The legislation governing this offer of assistance requires that all local available resources be applied towards this project.

This means that the Commission is making an offer to be used for the completion of the above cited project and may not be used for any other purpose.

This offer of assistance is contingent upon the receipt of Federal Funds. The SFCC currently has no projection as to when these funds will be received.

In the meantime, the SFCC will need a board order accepting this offer of assistance for Grandview Elementary School. Please put this on the agenda for your next meeting so that we have Board acceptance in place prior to funds being received and provide our office with an excerpt of your Board Minutes either accepting or rejecting the offer within **thirty (30) days**.

Please do not hesitate to contact our office with any questions.

Sincerely,

Chelsey Couch
Executive Director

