**SPENCER COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

**Board of Education Agenda Item**

 Meeting Date **4/24/2023**

 Topic/Title **Healthy Meals Incentives Grant**

 Presenter(s) **Steve Rucker, Mary Lynn Martin**

**Type of Information/Board Action**

[ ]  Information only. No Board action required.

[ ]  Action requested at a future meeting: **Click or tap to enter a date.**

[ ]  **Consent agenda for approval at this meeting.**

[x]  **Action requested at this meeting.**

**Board review is a result of:**

[ ]  State or federal law or regulation.

[ ]  Board of Education policy.

[ ]  Past practice.

[ ]  Other:

**Previous Review, Discussion, or Action**

[x]  No previous Board review, discussion, or action.

[ ]  Previous review/action on: **Click or tap to enter a date.** Action: **Click or tap here to enter text.**

**Background/Summary of Presented Information**

The Healthy Meals Incentive Grant is intended to support 1.) overcoming challenges and 2.) improving school meal quality. As part of a cooperative agreement to implement the USDA Food and Nutrition Service’s Healthy Meals Incentives Initiative, these grant funds will be used to increase breakfast/lunch participation at Spencer County High School by doing more cooking from scratch, providing more food options and accessing and using more locally grown food. The grant is for up to $150,000 over 2 years.

There is no match required. Thanks for considering this request.

**Financial Considerations**

[x]  There is NO financial impact on resources.

[ ]  There is a financial impact on Board resources. Chief Financial Officer must review.

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**Superintendent’s Recommendation**

[x]  Recommend approval as presented.