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TO: Dr. Jesse Bacon, Superintendent
~~Mrs:~~ Adrienne Usher, Assistant Superintendent
Dr.

FROM: Althea Hurt, Director of Human Resources *AH*

DATE: July 8, 2024

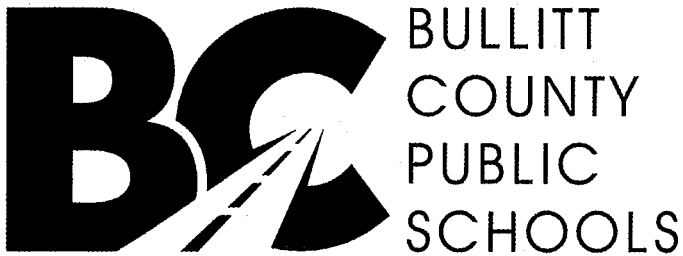
RE: Item for the July Board Meeting - McKinney Vento Classified Position

Dr. Adrienne Usher, Assistant Superintendent, requests to add an 8-hour, 162-day McKinney Vento classified position, paid on the instructional tutor pay scale, for the 2024-2025 school year. For 2024-2025, 4 hours would be paid via the general fund, and 4 hours would be paid via allocated funds from the DPP department. Going forward, the position will be a 4-hour per day, 162-day position, paid via the General Fund.

Since the district will not receive the McKinney Vento grant for the next three years, the position will help ensure that we are assisting students who are identified as homeless.

Attachment: Memo from Dr. Usher

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To: Dr. Jesse Bacon, Superintendent
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From: Dr. Adrienne Usher, Assistant Superintendent *AU*

Date: July 9, 2024

Re: Part-Time Instructional Tutor Positions for Homeless Education Assistance Position

BCPS was recently informed of not receiving the McKinney-Vento Grant for the next three years. Due to this, it is necessary to make adjustments to our homeless education assistance program. Per federal regulations and 704 KAR 7:090, the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act aims to guarantee that all homeless children and youth have equal access to free and appropriate public education, including public preschool education, just like peers. This program primarily focuses on ensuring the enrollment, attendance, and academic success of homeless children and youth in public schools.

To help us ensure that we are providing assistance for students who are identified as homeless, the recommendation is to create a position, paid on the instructional tutor scale, that will be 4 hours a day for 162 days. The cost to the general budget for this school year will be approximately \$21,686.94. This position, funded out of the general fund, will remain in district staffing as a part of the Homeless Education Assistance beginning the 2024-2025 school year and will continue. For the 2024-2025 school year ONLY, an additional 4-hour position at 162 days, paid on the instructional tutor scale, will be funded through carryover money from the grant and Title 1 set aside funds. The total for this position will be \$22,729.00.

Programming needs will be paid through welfare funds already allocated to the social worker budget in the DPP office for the 2024-2025 school year.

Approval is requested to create one half-time instructional tutor position that supports the Homeless Education Assistance program for 4 hours at 162 days beginning the 2024-2025 school year and an additional half-time instructional tutor position for the 2024-2025 school year only funded through Title 1 and carryover grant funds.

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