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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

Request approval of the Betsy Layne High School Science Olympiad to travel to Virginia Tech to compete in an invitational tournament. We will depart on February 1, 2025 and will return on February 1, 2025.

Applicable State or Regulations:

Policy 0.1.11 General Powers and Duties of the Board

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:

There will be no costs to Floyd County Board of Education. All cost will be funded by the Science Olympiad team and Betsy Layne High School.

History/Background:

Betsy Layne High School has had much success in Science Olympiad over the years winning 7 regional champions, regional runner-up, top ten team finishes at state and placements in individual events at the state level. Betsy Layne High School has seen a growing interest in Science Olympiad this year. The Virginia Tech Invitational Tournament will help prepare our team for both our upcoming regional and state competitions. Science Olympiad is an academic like program that allows students to compete in events in all areas of science. These include life personal & social science, earth and space science, physical science and chemistry, technology and engineering, and inquiry & nature of science.

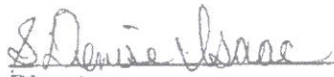
Recommended Action:


Approve travel for the Betsy Layne High School Science Olympiad Team to Virginia Tech for an invitational tournament.

Contact Person(s):

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Date:

November 6, 2024