

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

July 14, 2020

SUBJECT:

CARES Act Emergency Operating Grants for Child Care Providers Submission for Freedman Early Learning Center - FY21

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Freedman Early Learning Center is requesting to submit a grant application for the CARES Act Emergency Operating Grants for Child Care Providers for \$10,000.00. The CARES Act Emergency Operating Grants for Child Care Providers is a one-time grant available to licensed and registered childcare providers to assist them in remaining open or reopening quickly and safely.

Funds are designed to help childcare providers that have had to close or have lost revenue due to low enrollments during the last several weeks as a result of COVID-19. This grant opportunity is available to assist providers based on enrollment. The grant funds will be used for PPE and sanitizing equipment and supplies such as masks, gloves, touchless, automatic hand sanitizer dispensers, hand sanitizer for dispensers, sanitizing wipes, etc.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The Division of Instruction has evaluated the goals and objectives and finds them to be consistent with district educational goals.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the submission of the CARES Act Emergency Operating Grants for Child Care Providers for \$15,000 and receipt of funds, if awarded.

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