

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

September 25, 2012

SUBJECT:

Funding Flexibility for the Quarter Ending September 30, 2012

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Joint Resolutions H.4905/H.4595 and provisos 1.40, 1.47, and 1A.22 provide school districts and special schools funding flexibility for 2012 – 2013. Among the requirements, each district's board and superintendent must certify the specific flexibility actions taken. The certification must be in writing, signed by the board chairman and superintendent, and delivered electronically to the State Superintendent of Education. An electronic copy would subsequently be forwarded to the Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, the Chairman of the Senate Education Committee, the Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, and the Chairman of the House Education and Public Works Committee.

Furthermore, the certification must be presented publicly at a regularly called school board meeting and be posted on the district's website.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

The State Department of Education (SCDE) provided a funding flexibility form to be used by school districts for reporting purposes. The District's information for the period ending September 30, 2012, is presented in the required format.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the funding flexibility form for the quarter ending September 30, 2012.

ATTACHMENT:

Funding flexibility form for the quarter ending September 30, 2012.

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SCDE Receipt:

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<p>Our district has suspended the following noninstructional/nonessential programs for the 2012-13 school year.</p>	<p>Suspended drivers education and continuation of cuts/reductions dating to 2009-10 that include, but are not limited to, eliminated of International Baccalaureate program, not funding full-time nursing at middle and high schools, elimination of athletic playoff supplements, no increase in athletic/extracurricular supplements since 2009-10, etc.</p>
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