

BOARD AGENDA ITEM

May 12, 2026

SUBJECT:

Public Education Partners (PEP) of Aiken County Grant Awards to the Aiken County Public School District – FY26

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The Aiken County Public School District has received \$7,780.00 in grant awards from the Public Education Partners (PEP) of Aiken County. The funds will be used to fund eleven ACPSD teacher grant awards. These grant awards total \$7,780.00 with \$2,850.00 of them related to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math). The funds are to be used by the awardee teachers to carry out the projects as requested in their grant applications.

Schoot	Teacher	Amount
Aiken High School	Kayla Hostetler	\$ 750.00
Byrd Elementary	Kaitlin Boatwright	\$ 675.00
East Aiken School of the Arts	Erin Joehnk	\$ 750.00
Gloverville Elementary	Christina McDiarmid	\$ 670.00
Gloverville Elementary	Deanna Jowers	\$ 745.00
Kennedy Middle School	Stephanie Prandy	\$ 745.00
Midland Valley High School	Breanna Allen	\$ 600.00
Millbrook Elementary	April Layfield	\$ 750.00
Oakwood-Windsor Elementary	Holly Wills	\$ 600.00
Paul Knox Middle School	Regina Dunbar	\$ 750.00
Silver Bluff High School	Michael Prandy	\$ 745.00
	Total	\$ 7,780.00

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 \$7,780.00 in Public Education Partners (PEP) of Aiken County Grant Awards to Aiken County Public School District and adjustments to the FY26 Special Revenue Fund to reflect the amount of the grant donation and expenditures.

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