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SUBJECT: PROCEDURE FOR REQUESTING PROJECTS NOT FUNDED IN THE ADOPTED DISTRICT EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES PLAN

PURPOSE

The purpose of this bulletin is to explain the procedures to be used for requesting capital outlay funding submitted subsequent to the adoption of the District Educational Facilities Plan.

- A. Funding of New Projects or expanding the scope of current projects must meet one of the following criteria:
 - 1. If not approved, it will pose health and safety problems to students.
 - 2. If not approved, it will impede the teaching and learning process.
 - 3. The Superintendent determines that the project is an emergency.
- B. The following are examples of qualifying projects:
 - 1. Project has been placed in the "Safety-to-Life" category.
 - 2. Project was inadvertently omitted from the adopted plan and has a substantial impact on the operation of the school.
 - 3. Project is necessary because of new statutory requirements.
 - 4. If project is not initiated in the near future, it could develop into a safety problem.
 - 5. As a cost-effective measure, certain projects must be initiated before others. If a planning error resulted in incorrect project sequencing, additional or accelerated funding may be necessary to correct the project sequence.
- C. To expedite projects that meet the criteria listed in A:
 - 1. A "Capital Funding Request" form must be initiated by Facilities, Physical Plant Operations, Safety, or other appropriate Departments. The requesting department's Executive Leader must approve the request by signing the "Capital Funding Request" form.
 - 2. The approved "Capital Funding Request" form must be forwarded to the Capital Budget Department with appropriate documentation attached.

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D. Approvals – the project cost shall determine the approval levels required as follows:

PROJECT COST	AUTHORIZED ADMINISTRATOR
\$0 - \$100,000	 Executive Leader from requesting department Director, Capital Budget
\$100,001 - \$250,000	 Executive Leader from requesting department Director, Capital Budget Chief Financial Officer
\$250,001 - \$500,000	 Executive Leader from requesting department Director, Capital Budget Chief Financial Officer Superintendent
Over \$500,000	 Executive Leader from requesting department Director, Capital Budget Chief Financial Officer Superintendent School Board

Note: Multiple requests for the same project will be accumulated with the resulting total determining the approval level required. For example, two requests for the same project of \$100,000 and \$200,000 will be treated as a \$300,000 request and will require approval by the Superintendent.

The School Board of Broward County, Florida Capital Budget Department							
Capital F	unding Requ	uest - Fiscal Yea	r				
Initiator:	Status:	Status:			Control Number:		
Physical Plant Operations	New F	unding Request		(For Cap	ital Budget Dept. Use)		
Facilities		nt Project			/		
Safety		5					
Other							
(one or more boxes1. If not approved, 12. If not approved, 1	must be chec it will pose hea it will impede t	d Practice Bulletin eked) Ith and safety proble he teaching and lear s that the project is a	ems to stude ming process	8.			
Location Name and Num	ıber				Date		
Work Order / Project No. (If Applicable)		Estimated By			Amount		
Requestor Director				Executive Leader from requesting department (signature required)			
Justification:							
Support Document Attached:	<u>Cost Esti</u>	nate Required					
yes no (circle one) Area 1	Below is For C	apital Budget Depa	rtment Use	Only			
Approved Rejected							
		Approved Coding:					
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Account Bus Area Cost Center (8) (4) (10)	Internal Order (12)	WBS Element (up to 14)	Grant (14)	Fund (4)	Functional Area (16)		
Comments:							
Approved by:				Date:			
Director, Capital Budget Departme	ent						
Chief Financial Officer				· <u> </u>			
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Superintendent of Schools							