

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 271
Bloomington, Minnesota

REQUEST FOR SCHOOL BOARD ACTION

DATE OF BOARD MEETING: November 27, 2017

SUBJECT: Acceptance of Grants from Bloomington Crime Prevention Association to ISD 271

ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Community Education

APPROVAL OF ADMINISTRATIVE CABINET MEMBER: Tamra Sieve
Executive Director of Community Education

RESOLUTION FOR BOARD TO ADOPT:

RESOLVED, that the School Board of Independent School District 271 accepts grants totaling \$18,500 from the Bloomington Crime Prevention Association (BCPA) for school district violence prevention activities during the 2017-2018 calendar year.

RECOMMENDATION OF SUPERINTENDENT:

Approve.

DETAILED BACKGROUND:

Galaxy Youth Center - \$7,000 to offer high interest classes to youth attending the three middle schools during after school hours.

Kennedy High School - \$6,000 provides students the opportunity to participate in after school clubs, funds supervision in the open gym and open weight room, and provides transportation for students so they can get home safely after their activities.

Kids' SAFARI - \$2,000 to support a Lights on Afterschool celebration showcasing all of the different after school opportunities to students in Bloomington.

Jefferson High School - \$2,500 to offer an after school drop-in study program for students to receive additional support from teachers and tutors.

Learning Exchange - \$1,000 to provide a three-part series on self-advocacy called "Speaking Up for Yourself."

Total dollars awarded this funding period by BCPA, generated from Book'Em to school district violence prevention activities is \$18,500. In addition, \$10,000 was awarded to Cornerstone to pay for Family Center teachers to provide an onsite preschool and parent education program at the Bloomington Sheila Wellstone Center.