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To: Dr. Robert Schiffbauer, Board of Education
From: Dr. Kathleen Wilkey
Date: November 18, 2026
Subject: School Maintenance Grant

Illinois State Board of Education has announced the availability of the 2027 School Maintenance GRant. This is a matching grant in the amount of $50,000 to support a local purchase in the amount of $50,000 for a total commitment required from the district to cost at least $100,000. We are not guaranteed to receive the grant, but it is worthwhile to apply to help support required projects as outlined in the Health Life Safety report.

These funds, if received, would be applied to the replacement of the chiller at Central Campus this spring. The project is projected to cost approximately $735,000.

Attached is the ISBE certification form that needs to be completed in order to submit the grant along with the project description.

Proposed Motion: *"Move to approve the application for the 2027 School Maintenance Grant in the amount of $50,000 to support the Central Campus chiller replacement."*