

OFFICE OF INSTRUCTIONAL ENHANCEMENT AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS
Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items
July 19-20, 2012

OFFICE OF STUDENT ASSESSMENT
OFFICE OF SPECIAL EDUCATION

06. Approval to award discretionary grants to local school districts for the purpose of contracting with Educators in Residence to provide consultative services and technical assistance concerning statewide assessment of special populations and compliance with the *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act 2004*

Purpose: To provide practitioner expertise and capacity building for the Mississippi Department of Education (MDE) in the areas of assessment and meeting the needs of students with disabilities. Discretionary grants will be awarded to school districts in support of the Educator in Residence program through which services of the MDE to local school districts will be enhanced.

Scope of Grant:

- Grant Period: August 1, 2012 – June 30, 2013
- Maximum Award Amount: \$415,400
(Amounts per district attached)
- Method of Award: Discretionary

Funding Source: Federal and State funds

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
Discretionary Grant Awards to Districts for Educator in Residence Program**

District	Salary	Fringe	Travel	Grand Total
Office of Special Education				
Indianola (2 Educators in Residence):				
1.	\$90,000	\$27,000	\$ 30,000	
2.	<u>\$90,000</u>	<u>\$27,000</u>	<u>\$ 30,000</u>	
Total	\$180,000	\$54,000	\$ 60,000	\$294,000
Office of Student Assessment				
Rankin Co. (1 Educator in Residence):				
1.	<u>\$78,000</u>	<u>\$23,400</u>	<u>\$20,000</u>	
Total	\$78,000	\$23,400	\$20,000	\$121,400
Grand Total				\$415,400