

**OFFICE OF CHIEF ACADEMIC OFFICER**  
**Summary of State Board of Education Agenda Items**  
**April 21, 2022**

**OFFICE OF FEDERAL PROGRAMS**

04.D. Action: Modify competitive grants for the Nita M. Lowey 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers Program [Goals 1 and 2 – MBE Strategic Plan]

Background and Purpose: The Nita M. Lowey 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) program is designed to provide opportunities for academic enrichment activities during non-school hours or periods when school is not in session, such as before and after school or during summer recess, particularly for students who attend low-performing schools. The 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC programs offer students a broad array of additional services, programs and activities that are designed to complement the regular academic program such as youth development activities, counseling programs, arts, music, physical fitness and wellness programs, financial literacy programs, environmental literacy programs, and career and technical programs. The 21<sup>st</sup> CCLC programs also offer families opportunities for active and meaningful engagement in their child’s education, including opportunities for literacy and related educational development.

Grants are awarded for a period of up to four (4) years to any public or private organization, including local educational agencies, non-profit agencies, city or county government agencies, community-based organizations, Indian tribes or tribal organizations, faith-based organizations, institutions of higher education, and for-profit corporations, or consortia of two or more of such agencies, organizations, or entities.

Scope of Grant:

- Current Grant Period: May 9, 2020 – April 30, 2022
- Modified Grant Period: May 9, 2020 – April 30, 2023  
(With a liquidation period ending July 12, 2023)
- Current Award Amount: \$ 2,799,376.56
- Modification Increase: \$ 599,979.31
- Total Modified Award Amount: \$ 3,399,355.87
- Method of Award: Requests for Proposals (Renewability)

Funding Source: Title IV, Part B, of the *Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA)*, as amended by the *Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015*

This item references Goals 1 and 2 of the *Mississippi Board of Education 2018-2022 Strategic Plan*.

Recommendation: Approval

Back-up material attached

## 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) Program Grantees Awards

Organization	Year 1 100% Funding Maximum Grant Award	Year 2 100% Funding Maximum Grant Award	Year 3 80% Funding Maximum Grant Award	Renewal Year 60% Funding Maximum Grant Award	Total
<b>Delta Foundation</b> O'Bannon High School Riverside High School	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$ 850,000.00
<b>Lamar County School District</b> Baxterville Attendance Center Lumberton Middle School	\$249,965.52	\$249,780.52	\$199,630.52	\$149,979.31	\$ 849,355.87
<b>Union Public School District</b> Union High School Union Middle School	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$ 850,000.00
<b>Starkville-Oktibbeha Consolidated</b> Armstrong Middle School	\$250,000.00	\$250,000.00	\$200,000.00	\$150,000.00	\$ 850,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$999,965.52</b>	<b>\$999,780.52</b>	<b>\$799,630.52</b>	<b>\$599,979.31</b>	<b>\$3,399,355.87</b>

*In accordance with the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers (CCLC) Non-Regulatory Guidance, in no event will grant funds be reduced to a level of less than \$50,000 pending congressional appropriations. The Mississippi Department of Education reserves the right to negotiate grant award amounts depending upon congressional appropriations. Grant awards will not exceed the above amounts.*