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September 14, 2022

Dr. Penelope Martin-Knox
Superintendent
Raytown C-2 School District
6608 Raytown Road
Raytown, MO 64133-5265

Dear Dr. Martin-Knox:

I am writing to inform you of your districts award of **\$100,000** consistent with the passage of Missouri House Bill 3002, an Area Career Center construction fund bill, signed by Governor Michael Parson. Below you will find the language in House Bill 3002 and award-specific requirements for FY 2023.

*Section 2.120 To the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
For the design, renovation, construction, and improvement of career (vocational) technical schools; provided that the costs are shared at a ratio of fifty percent state and fifty percent local.
From General Revenue Fund (0101) \$5,500,000 (less 3% Governor's Reserve)*

The work associated with this award should be completed as quickly and effectively as possible. Please notify me by January 15, 2023, if your Local Education Agency (LEA) chooses not to utilize the grant funds so the funds can be reallocated. In addition, the LEA must spend their portion of the award amount before requesting reimbursement. The invoice (FV-2) for work performed should state the District certifies the award amount of \$100,000 has been matched by district funds. The invoice (FV-2) may be submitted by email to roger.barnes@dese.mo.gov or by mail to:

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education
Office of College and Career Readiness
Attn: Dr. Roger Barnes
P.O. Box 480
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0480

A final invoice (FV-2) for this grant may be submitted at any time but no later than May 15, 2023.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (573) 751-3500.

Sincerely,

Roger Barnes, Ed.D.
CTE Coordinator, Office of College and Career Readiness

C: Andy Martin, Finance Coordinator - OCCR