

FOR GRANT APPLICATIONS \$2,000 OR MORE

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Date of Board Meeting:

Agenda Item No. _____

 New Grant

Section 1: General Information:

 ContinuationGrant Start/End Dates: Jan., 2009 – Jan., 2012 Application Deadline: April 30, 2008 Grant Amt: \$277,100Funder's Grant Title: Safe Routes to School Your Grant Title: Safe Routes to Cranberry Elementary

e.g. Weller Teacher Mini-Grant, Building Blocks for Success, etc. e.g. Up, Up and Away, Exploring Our Heritage, Young Galileos, etc

Grant Writer: Amy L. Donner School/Dept. Grants Office Phone 927-9000 Ext 32172Grant Contact Person* Linda Daniels School/Dept Cranberry El. Phone 480-3400 Ext _____

*This is the school/district-based person who is in charge of the grant.

Schools/Programs to be served by this grant	# of staff impacted	# of students impacted	# of parents impacted
Cranberry Elementary School	All	All	All

Does this grant require matching funds? Yes No If yes, what amount? _____ How will these funds be raised? _____Grant DescriptionPlease fill in all blanks.Do not refer to attachments in your summaries.Do not attach separate sheets.Briefly summarize the overall **purpose/objective** of the grant and indicate how this grant will contribute to the needs and goals of your School Improvement Plan and/or District Plan. (*Not grant activities*)

The purpose of this proposal is to improve the safety of students walking and/or biking to and from Cranberry Elementary school by installing sidewalks near the school, and by implementing a program to educate and encourage more students to safely walk or bike to and from school. This meets the *NeXt Generation* pillar of "Safety."

Briefly list **grant program activities** (*what is going to be done with the grant funds*):

If funded, the City of North Port will receive \$253,000 to install sidewalks, school speed zone signs, crosswalks and crosswalk signs on three side streets near Cranberry Elementary to make it safer for students to walk and bike to school. \$24,100 will be used by the school for education, encouragement and enforcement activities, including a Bicycle Rodeo, student-produced videos, curricular and educational materials, flyers, and a Walking School Bus (children walk together to school).

Please provide a **brief explanation of pertinent budget items** that will be funded through this grant. (*Please indicate if funds will be used for new/old staff position, contracted services, travel, materials/supplies, equipment/furniture, facilities, and other applicable items.*)

The majority of funds (\$253,000) will be provided by the funder directly to the City of North Port for the infrastructure improvements. This portion of the grant will be managed exclusively by the City. Remaining funds, \$24,100, will be used by the school over three years to pay for guest speakers, printing, postage, incentive items (T-shirts, water bottles, etc.), sign rental and a bike rack. This is a reimbursement grant: school submits receipts to funder for reimbursement.

How will grant activities be continued after the end of grant period?

Once infrastructure grants are expended, new infrastructure will be in place and will be maintained by the City of North Port. The education and encouragement activities may be continued with school funds, SAC support, or the program will end.

Linda Daniels

Print Name of Cost Center Head

Linda A. Daniels

Signature of Cost Center Head

3/27/08

Date

Send this completed form and 1 copy of your grant to the Grants Office, Research, Assessment, and Evaluation-Landings

Please Type or Print in Ink

GAF: Grant Approval Form

Section Two: Summary for grants over \$2,000.

(These grants require School Board approval and must be placed on the School Board Agenda by Grants Office staff.)

Fiscal Management will be done by:
 District Finance Office
 School Internal Account
 Other (name): City of North Port

Entitlement/Flowthrough
 Competitive/Discretionary
 Continuation
 Other:

Fund Source:
 Federal (indirect cost \$) _____
 State
 Local Foundation
 Other:

Name of Primary Fund Source	Funder's Contact Name	Funder's Address	Phone Number	\$ Amount
Safe Routes to School Program - Florida Department of Transportation	Sarita Taylor	District One Headquarters 801 N. Broadway Avenue P.O. Box 1249 Bartow, FL 33830-1249	863-519-2216	\$277,100

IMPORTANT

**NOTE: If MAJOR TECHNOLOGY is part of this grant:
(does not include cameras, DVD players, etc.)**

Your school technology support personnel must review the physical capabilities of the area involved and agree that no additional wiring or electrical work, beyond what is provided through the grant, will be needed to complete the project. Please have your technology support staff member sign off on your project here.

Technology Support Staff

NOTE: If your project involves CONSTRUCTION or requires RETROFITTING space:

Please call Director of Construction Services at 361-6680 or Director of Facilities Services at 316-8143 to discuss your project and receive approval to go forward with your proposal. If approved, you will need to create a memo for his approval and signature, to be included with your GAF.

Thank you. Please call ext 927-9000 ext. 32172 with questions.

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Section Three: Signatures

Grants Office personnel will obtain applicable signatures in this section.

N/A

District Director of Technology Information Services

Director of Facilities Services

Madeleine Beca 3/30/08

Research, Assessment, & Evaluation (RAE)

Director of Construction Services

Executive Director of Elementary, Middle, or High Schools

Director of Budget

Associate Superintendent

[Handwritten Signature]

Superintendent
4/16/08

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