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TO: Board of Education

FROM: Dale Ellis

DATE: September 12, 2011

SUBJ: ACTION AGENDA ITEM (QZAB Funding Request)

I would like to request permission to petition the County Commissioners to apply for Qualified Zone Academy Bond (QZAB) funding for improvements to the school roofs at West Middle School and East Middle School. The QZAB funding would also help fund some infrastructure improvements to some of our other facilities. All of the projects have been submitted to the County and approved for inclusion on the master list. The projects were selected by our maintenance department based upon an immediate, ongoing, and often overdue need for replacement and/or repair.

QZAB funding is no interest or low interest bonds that the County can apply for based upon the retirement of current debt obligations. I am available to answer any questions you might have.