

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LODI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
OF THE COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

RESOLUTION 2021-18

WHEREAS, the Learning Communities for School Success Program (LCSSP) Grant provides funds to local education agencies (LEAs) to support programs aimed at improving student outcomes by reducing truancy and supporting students who are at risk of dropping out of school or are victims of crime ;

WHEREAS, the LCSSP is the result of Proposition 47, which reduced the penalties for certain non-serious, non-violent offenses and allocates 25% of the resulting statewide savings for LEA grants; and

WHEREAS, all Local Educational Agencies (LEAs), which includes school districts, county offices of education, and charter schools, are eligible to apply;

WHEREAS, LEAs with a high rate (exceeding the state average) of chronic absenteeism, dropout, and out-of-school suspension will be given priority, as well as those with a significant representation of foster youth or in a community with a high crime rate;

WHEREAS, Lodi Unified School District, if selected, will enter into an agreement with the California Department of Education to carry out the project;

WHEREAS, Lodi Unified School District, if selected, will be required to support a 20 percent match of the total project cost;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Education of the Lodi Unified School District approves an application to the Learning Communities for School Success Program Grant;

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 2nd day of March 2021, by the following vote of the Board of Education of the Lodi Unified School District of the County of San Joaquin, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Clerk of the Board of Education

President of the Board of Education