CRF – Safe Schools Reopening Grant (SSRG)



Approval and Transmittal Signature Form

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On _____, 2020, the board, of _____, reviewed the contents of the FY 2020-2021 CRF – Safe Schools Reopening Grant (SSRG) application and has indicated their approval for submission to the Colorado Department of Education (CDE) through their signatures below.

In consideration of the receipt of these grant funds, the local education agency (LEA), agrees to comply with the assurances and provisions included in the Grant Award Letter (GAL). The LEA also certifies that it will meet all program and pertinent administrative requirements, including the Education Department General Administrative Regulations (EDGAR), 2 CFR Part 200 (Uniform Grants Guidance) Accounting Circulars, and the U.S. Department of Education's General Education Provisions Act (GEPA) requirements. In addition, the LEA certifies that:

- The LEA is in compliance with the requirements of the federal Children's Internet Protection Act, and
- No policy of the LEA prevents, or otherwise denies, participation in constitutionally protected prayer in public elementary and secondary schools.
- The LEA has the authority to request a transfer from the State of Colorado Governor's Office (State of Colorado) from the allocation of funds to the State of Colorado from the Coronavirus Relief Funds as created in Pub. L. No. 116136, the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act).
- The LEA understands that the State of Colorado will rely on this certification as a material representation in making a transfer to my organization.
- The LEA's proposed uses of the funds provided as a transfer will be used only to cover those costs that:
 - Are necessary expenditures incurred due to the public health emergency with respect to the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19);
 - Were not accounted for in the budget most recently approved as of March 27, 2020 (the date of enactment of the CARES Act); and
 - Were incurred during the period that begins on March 1, 2020 and ends on December 30, 2020.
- A cost is "incurred" when my organization has expended funds to cover the cost. If my organization has not used funds it has received to cover costs that were incurred by December 30, 2020, as required by statute, those funds must be returned to the State of Colorado no later than January 8, 2021.
- Further, the LEA certifies that it understands all the rules and regulations associated with the receipt of Coronavirus Relief Act Funds, including those not specifically enumerated above, and will take action to ensure it complies with all such requirements.

More Information:

Visit the Safe Schools Reopening Grant website for more information regarding this grant.

Submission Instructions:

Submit the Approval and Transmittal form or questions to <u>SSRG@cde.state.co.us</u>



Signature of Board President **or** Authorized Representative (LEA)

Printed Name of Board President **or** Authorized Representative (LEA)

Date _____