

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY & PUBLIC WORKS

Jim Gray Mayor Susan Bush Acting Commissioner

To:

Mayor Jim Gray

Urban-County Council

From

Charles H. Martin, P.E., Director

Via:

Susan C. Bush, Acting Commissioner

Date:

February 2, 2012

Re:

Requesting authorization to execute four (4) agreements awarding Class B (Education) Incentive Grants to the Board of Education of Fayette County, Kentucky to perform stormwater quality projects, at a total cost not to exceed \$10,836.20.

The grant applications of the Board of Education of Fayette County, Kentucky (Fayette County Public Schools) were reviewed and recommended by the Water Quality Fees Board at its October 13, 2011 meeting. Funding is provided by revenue from the Water Quality Management Fee and is fully budgeted and available in the Fund 4051 303204 3373 78112. All Class B Education grants require a minimum 50% match above the first \$2,500.00 by the grant recipient. The Grant Award Agreements require the Mayor's signature.

All four grant projects include design and construction of a rain garden on school property, incorporation of the rain garden into the school's curriculum and activities, and educational outreach to the public. The four grants are as follows:

Project School: Cassidy Elementary - \$3,336.20
Project School: Athens Chilesburg Elementary - \$2,500.00
Project School: Beaumont Middle - \$2,500.00
Project School: Jessie Clark Middle - \$2,500.00

Questions regarding this agreement should be directed to Susan Plueger, the Incentive Grant Program Administrator, at 859-425-2482.

Attachment

Pc: Susan Bush, Acting Commissioner, Department of Environmental Quality & Public Works

Ed Gardner, Department of Law

Julie Mantrom, Division of Water Quality Susan Plueger, P.E., Division of Water Quality