Approval of Expenditure of Annual Education Funds

Policy Reference:

Each Board member will have a 7500.00 dollar annual education fund available for special projects related to education. 3750.00 allocated from July 1 to the first board meeting in January. 3750.00 allocated from the day after the first board meeting in January to June 30th. The spending of those funds must be approved by the full board. The funds do not roll over to the next cycle. The funds are taken out of the undesignated reserves. If there are no un-designated reserves available these funds will not be allocated.

Background Information:

A revision was made August 25, 2014 to board governance to allow board members to use annual education funds to support school projects as they deem appropriate with full board approval.

Purpose:

To support the following schools:

Academy for Arts, Science & Technology - \$1,000 – Robotics Competition Myrtle Beach Middle - \$500 – Robotics Competition Ocean Bay Middle - \$1,000 – Drums (band)

Myrtle Beach High - \$1,000 – Hope House (Designated Homeless Students)

<u>For additional information</u>: Contact Rick Maxey at 843-488-6717 or <u>Rmaxey@horrycountyschools.net</u>.

Recommended Action:

Sherrie Todd recommends that \$3,500.00 of her educational fund be dispersed to the Academy for Arts, Science & Technology, Myrtle Beach Middle, Ocean Bay Middle, and Myrtle Beach High as detailed above.

Estimated Proj	ject Cost:
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Recurring ____ Non-recurring __X_
Funding Sources: Annual Education Fund