

SPECIAL BOARD MEETING August 17, 2020 Office of the State Board of Education

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Monday, August 17, 2020, 3:00 p.m. (Mountain Daylight Time)

BUSINESS AFFAIRS AND HUMAN RESOURCES

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PLANNING, POLICY AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

- 2. Public Education Fall Reopening Update Information Item
 - Postsecondary Education Update
 - K-12 Education Regional Update

STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

3. Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund Update – Information Item

The State Board of Education tentatively plans to convene weekly for a virtual Special Board Meeting during the COVID-19 pandemic to receive updates on the status of public education in Idaho and to take action as necessary.

SUBJECT

Public Education – Fall Reopening Update

REFERENCE

March 23, 2020	Idaho State Board of Education (Board) approved a soft closure of all public schools in Idaho through April
	20, 2020.
April 6, 2020	Board extended the public school soft closure through the remainder of the academic school year with the option of an earlier entry under certain criteria. Additional action included recommendations to the Governor on statutory provision suspensions, and waiver of the number of hours of instruction that make up a semester credit.
April 16, 2020	Board approved re-entry criteria following the soft closure of schools due to the coronavirus pandemic.
May 4, 2020	Board approved minimum requirements for school districts and charter school to bring students back on campus after the soft closure.
July 9, 2020	Board approved Idaho's back to school framework.

APPLICABLE STATUTE, RULE, OR POLICY

Sections 33-116, and 33-512, Idaho Code

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Following the soft closures of schools in the spring and the Board setting criteria for school districts and charter schools to resume in person instruction through the end of the 2019-2020 academic year, in April the Governor's K-12 Emergency Council asked that a working group be established to start planning for the fall and students' return to school. Two committees were formed: Public School Reopening Committee and Digital Divide Committee. Both committees convened in early June, and include Board members Critchfield, Clark and Liebich, legislators, Department of Education staff, school district and charter school administrators, operations staff, business and industry representatives and local health officials. President Critchfield chairs the Public Schools Reopening Committee. Board Secretary Liebich chairs the Digital Divide Committee. Due to the broad range of instructional and operational issues that needed to be covered, the committees then broke up into smaller groups that focused on each of these more specific areas and brought in additional subject matter experts to help with the more focused issues. The Public School Reopening Committee developed a framework for school districts and charter schools to use in planning for the 2020-2021 school year. This framework was established in a way that would help the schools plan in advance for operations based on three separate categories of disease transmission their local community might be experiencing at any one time. This advance planning would set expectations for students and parents as the

situation within their community rapidly changed and allow for the schools to pivot from and between each level of operations quickly.

The Idaho Back to School Framework identifies expectations, guidelines, and best practices to support local governance and a successful 2020-2021 school year, delivering on Idaho's constitutional obligation for a free, uniform, and thorough public education system during these extraordinary times. This framework is provided to help school districts and charter schools to plan in advance for varying levels of transmission of the Coronavirus within their local communities so that they can continue to provide quality instruction to all students throughout the year and students can grow and progress through the education continuum.

The framework clarifies the school districts' and charter schools' responsibility for developing their response plan and providing continued instruction, and the local health districts' responsibility in informing the schools on the category or level of transmission in their local community and serving in an advisory role to the schools in the development of their plans. The Board approved the framework on July 9, 2020.

In addition to the work being done by the K-12 public school system to prepare for the 2020-2021 academic year, Idaho's public postsecondary institutions have been equally hard at work developing plans to provide quality instruction to our postsecondary students in safe and effective manner in the midst of budget reduction and anticipated changes in student enrollment. Each of the eight public institutions will provide an update on the percent of courses that are currently scheduled to offered in-person; protocols for residential living (as applicable to the institution); and their COVID-19 testing plans and capacity (either on-campus or in collaboration with local health providers). Like the K-12 public school system, the postsecondary institutions are developing and adapting plans as the situation evolves.

IMPACT

The purpose of the discussion is to help inform the Board ...

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1 – Summary of School District and Charter School Re-opening Plans

STAFF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Recommendations and areas of consideration outlined within the framework are based on recommendations from federal and state resources, Idaho education stakeholders, and local and national best practices. Some school districts and charter schools will not be able to address or implement all the strategies outlined in the framework due to their local resources and building infrastructure; and circumstances may dictate that some districts alter strategies as the health situation in their area changes. The considerations identified in the framework are not a mandate on how any school must respond, but a resource to be used. The categories of transmission identified within the framework are those developed by the Department of Health and Welfare along with the local public health districts. This alignment allows for the local public health districts to identify the level of transmission in the community in which a school is located while the local board of trustees or charter school board of directors identifies how the school will respond. The public health authorities' guidance that identifies these categories can be found here: https://www.idahopublichealth.com/district2/coronavirus/7-23-20%20H%26WDefining%20Levels%20of%20Community%20Spread%20for%20Idaho%20Schools_FINAL_V2.pdf

Local education agencies are responsible for providing instruction and other related educational services to all students during these difficult times, and they will need to use a variety of strategies to ensure all students have access to consistent learning opportunities, including students receiving special education services. In order to meet this responsibility, it is anticipated schools will need to use a blended learning approach to education as schools move up or down through the categories of community transmission or confirmed cases are identified within a school building. To meet these responsibilities, school districts and public charter schools are in the process of planning or implementing and adjusting plans that help them to meet their responsibilities for providing instruction to all students during the 2020-2021 academic year in a safe and healthy learning environment and a safe work environment for staff. Parents and guardians can expect their local public schools to provide a quality education that meets the state's minimum standards and prepares the students for their next level of education or to move into the workforce.

As the situations in a given community rapidly change, schools will be forced to adapt and update their plans to meet those changing conditions. The information provided today is based on the compilation of school district and charter school plans that were available over the past two weeks. While every effort is being made to keep this information updated, there may be some instances where a local board of trustees has met and adjusted their current planed mode of instruction or start date.

Range Planned Start Date:

Region 1 – 08/27/20 through 09/09/20Region 2 – 08/24/20 through 09/14/20Region 3 – 08/10/20 through 09/08/20Region 4 – 08/17/20 through 09/08/20Region 5 – 08/12/20 through 08/31/20Region 6 – 08/17/20 through 09/08/20Virtual Schools – 08/17/20 through 09/08/20

Based on current information all public schools in Idaho are expected to be providing instruction to their students by the end of the second week in September. Category of Risk (majority of counties reported):

- Region 1 Category 2 Yellow
- Region 2 North Central Health Currently Not Publicly Reported
- Region 3 Category 3 Red
- Region 4 Category 2 Yellow
- Region 5 Category 1 Green
- Region 6 Category 2 Yellow

Mode of Instruction (majority of school districts and charter schools reporting)

- Region 1 Split between in-person and blended instruction
- Region 2 In-person
- Region 3 In-person
- Region 4 In-person
- Region 5 In-person
- Region 6 Split between in-person and blended instruction

School districts and charter schools are listed based on the modality of instruction provided to the majority of their students. A school may be listed as on-line while still serving students receiving special education services or at-risk students in person in small groups or one-on-one while physically distancing. Schools indicating they are in-person four days a week and on-line one day a week are reported as in-person. Some school districts and charter schools are currently reported as in-person pending local Board action. All schools listed as providing in-person instruction are providing instruction with physical distancing and enhanced cleaning protocol.

Working with the Governor's Office, staff are working to develop a dashboard that can be updated weekly that will provide the Board a sense of what is happening in Idaho schools around the state. Due to the frequency of the changes in the more populated areas will only be able to give a snap shot in time of what is happening in a given week.

BOARD ACTION

This item is for informational purposes only.

				Category etermined		Parent Choice -		
LEA # LEA Name	Edu Enrollment Reg	ication gion County	Health District	by Health Face Mask District) (Students)	Fall Start Date Mode of Instruction	All Online	Term ADA Local Orde	r Link to Plan or Information
								http://forrestbirdcharterschool.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/2020-21-Opening-
487C Sandpoint Charter Forrest Bird	315	1 Bonner	1 (Panhandle)	2 Required	09/08/20 Blended	Yes	290.77	<u>plans.pdf</u>
								http://bcsd-
101 Boundary County	1,460	1 Boundary	1 (Panhandle)	2 Required/Expected	09/08/20 Blended	No	1349.59 No	d.schoolloop.com/file/1500178971286/1298973560071/4626848272854826935.pdf
491C Coeur d' Alene Charter Academy	671	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2 Required	08/31/20 Blended	Yes	657.81	https://www.cdacharter.org/newweb/COVID19.html
271 Coeur d' Alene	11,077	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2 Required	09/08/20 Blended	Yes	10272.6 Yes	https://www.cdaschools.org/domain/3132 https://palouseprairieschool.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/Remote-Yet-
472C Palouse Prairie School	187	1 Latah	1 (Panhandle)/2 (N	2	09/08/20 Blended		181.84	Connected-Plan.pdf
274 Kootenai Joint	143	Benewah/ 1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2 Desuired	00/08/20 15 55555	No	130.61	http://ksd- id.schoolloop.com/file/1500178971453/1590217718904/6680990904178269530.pdf
274 Kootenal Joint	143	Benewah/	1 (Pannandie)	2 Required	09/08/20 In-person	No	130.61	a.schobiloop.com/me/15001/89/1453/159021//18904/66809909041/8269530.pdf
44 Plummer / Worley Joint	380	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2 Required	09/08/20 In-Person	Yes	330.6 No	https://www.pwsd44.com/content/covid19/
		Benewah/						
41 St. Maries Joint	973	1 Shoshone	1 (Panhandle)	2 Optional	09/08/20 In-Person	No	899.38	https://sd41.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/03/Coronavirus-Flyer.pdf http://www.sd83.org/UserFiles/Servers/Server 58684/File/WBCSD%20Board%20Ap
83 West Bonner County	1,041	1 Bonner	1 (Panhandle)	2 Encouraged	09/08/20 In-Person	No	959.59 No	proved%20Reopening%20Plan.pdf
84 Lake Pend Oreille	3,806	1 Bonner	1 (Panhandle)	2	09/09/20 In-Person	Yes	3494.31 No	https://covid.lposd.org/
273 Post Falls	6,175	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2 Recommended	09/08/20 In-person	Yes	5812.9	https://www.pfsd.com/News/248#sthash.MIL5Jkh4.dpbs
		Kootenai/						
391 Kellogg	1,087	1 Shoshone	1 (Panhandle)	2 Recommended	In-person	Yes	992.84	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Q6UCCXx5YHGmcQbrffGx_siayFmmNkrp/view https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Pt42a9sM0QDgF0yDy5ej9LlCxx-
392 Mullan	101	1 Shoshone	1 (Panhandle)	2 Recommended	08/27/20 In-person	No	95.45	XNFBDp712fkJt6uM/edit
332 Waltah	101	Bonner/	i (i annandic)	2 Necommended	00/2//20 in person	10	55.45	https://resources.finalsite.net/images/v1596037213/lakeland272org/rgats9dz2oearj
272 Lakeland	4,586	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2	09/08/20	Yes	4330.6	eje3ck/ LISD272Fall2020ReopenPlanOverview.pdf
480C North Idaho STEM Charter	550	1 Kootenai	1 (Panhandle)	2	09/08/20	Yes	550.35	
394 Avery	24	1 Shoshone	1 (Panhandle)	2			24.14	
393 Wallace	494	1 Shoshone	1 (Panhandle)	2			455.41	https://www.wsd393.org/covid-19-for-families
2010/012 Marca Charles Cale al	184	2.1.4.4	2 (North Control)		09/14/20 Blended	No.	475.46	https://www.moscowcharterschool.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=1087576&t
281C/813 Moscow Charter School	184	2 Latah Clearwater/	2 (North Central)		09/14/20 Blended	Yes	175.16	<u>ype=d&pREC_ID=1852135</u>
302 Nezperce Joint	159	· · · · · · · · · · · ·	2 (North Central)	Recommended	09/01/20 In-person	No	146.15 No	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GcZP6bnxwyNxYHfTV9bXEzKg6GgN49ck/view
288 Whitepine Joint	236	2 Latah	2 (North Central)	Recommended	08/26/20 In-person	No	222.46 No	id.schoolloop.com/file/1500178971313/1383982258031/4945647582946823383.pdf
283 Kendrick Joint	248	2 Latah/ Nez	2 (North Central)	Optional	08/26/20 In-person	No	232.23 No	id.schoolloop.com/file/1520065271254/1346922227336/3706199348938433791.pdf
244 Mountain View	1,260	2 Idaho	2 (North Central)	Recommended	09/02/20 In-person	Yes	1136.75 No	_fGo5L7Q/edit
242 Cottonwood Joint	391	2 Idaho/ Lewis	2 (North Central)	Optional	09/01/20 In-person	No	378.06 No	School-District.pdf
304 Kamiah Joint	407	2 Idaho/ Lewis	2 (North Central)		In-person	No	377.26 No	Guide.pdf
305 Highland Joint	171	2 Nez Perce	2 (North Central)	Optional	08/24/20 In-person	No	157.74 No	http://www.sd305.k12.id.us/pandemic%20operations%20plan.pdf
287 Troy	288	2 Latah	2 (North Central)	Recommended	08/26/20 In-person	No	272.96 No	ca.schoolloop.com/file/1552638736760/1552638736752/1328774915250620213.pdf
282 Genesee Joint	319	2 Perce	2 (North Central)	Recommended	08/25/20 In-person	Yes	290.47 No	s%20GSD%20COVID-19%20%20Protocols%20copy.pdf
171 Orofino Joint	1,135	2 Lewis/ Nez	2 (North Central)		08/26/20		1198.76 No	7fAadeg/edit
285 Potlatch	478	2 Latah	2 (North Central)		08/24/20		445.75	https://www.potlatchschools.org/News/483#sthash.m9jz8vLm.dpbs
281 Moscow	2,299	2 Latah	2 (North Central)	Recommended	09/14/20		2157.94 No	<u>d r a f t 20200714</u>
2 West Ada Joint	40,331		3 (Southwest)/4 (C	3 Required	08/27/20		37981.3 Yes	https://www.westada.org/Page/79640
431 Weiser	1,568	3 Washington	3 (Southwest)	3	08/20/20 Blended	No	1442.74 No	http://www.weiserschools.org/
523C Elevate Academy Inc	314	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/18/20 Blended	Yes	285.58	COVID Contingency ReOpening Plan Approved 5.11.20"
139 Vallivue	9,542 298	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/25/20 Blended Blended	Yes Yes	8933.17 No 272.11	uuFTg/edit
497C Pathways in Education	298 5,612	3 Canyon 3 Ada/Canyon	3 (Southwest)	5	08/31/20 Blended	Yes		https://id.pathwaysineducation.org/covid-19-announcements/ u cl2e9AulKbM4WPNN9apLnmgUAg1925c/present?ueb=true&slide=id.g88f45b9e28
3 Kuna Joint 193 Mountain Home	3,919	3 Ada/Canyon 3 Elmore	3 (Southwest)/4 (C 4 (Central)	3 Required 2 Required	08/17/20 Blended	Yes	3674.01 No	<pre>u cl2e9AuiKbM4WPNN9apLnmgUAg1925C/presentrueb=true&slide=id.g88t45b9e28_ https://www.mtnhomesd.org/2021reopening.html</pre>
478C Legacy Charter School	293	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/10/20 In person	Yes	288.52	http://www.legacycharterschool.net/covid-19-information.html
478C Legacy Charter School 458C Liberty Charter School	411	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/10/20 In person	res	288.52 399.36	http://www.ligacycharterschool.com/covid-19-information.html
451C Victory Charter School	395	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	In Person		386.36	http://victorycharterschool.net/covid-19-information/
532C Treasure Valley Classical	303	3 Payette	3 (Southwest)	3 Optional	08/21/20 In Person	No	294.27	https://www.tvcacademy.org/covid19-school-closure-information/
456C Falcon Ridge Charter School	270	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Required	08/19/20 In Person	Yes	262.34 Yes	mfL2WlqIAw/edit#slide=id.g8b12c79cbe_0_12
511C Peace Valley Charter School	270	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Recommended	08/31/20 In Person	Yes	262.93	https://boisewaldorf.org/events/finalized-reopening-plan-and-more
455C Compass Charter School	1,165	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Required	09/08/20 In Person	105	1115.26 Yes	https://compasscharter.org/
341 Lapwai	519	3 Nez Perce	2 (North Central)	Recommended	08/26/20 In-person	No	473.98 No	tocols%207-13-20.pdf
340 Lewiston Independent	4,788	3 Nez Perce	2 (North Central)	Encouraged	08/26/20 In-person	No	4431.93 No	Plan-Final.pdf
136 Melba Joint	874	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	Optional	08/24/20 In-person	No	830.26 No	https://msd136.org/

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13 Council	270	3 Adams	3 (Southwest)	1 Optional	8/24/2020* In-Person	No	248.54 No	https://csd13.org/news/what s new/welcome dr waltz /
432 Cambridge Joint	129	3 Washington	3 (Southwest)	3	08/25/20 In-person	No	118.16 No	https://www.cambridge432.org/
133 Wilder	516	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/19/20 In-person	Yes	477.07 No	Reopen-Framework.pdf
137 Parma	1,048	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Encouraged	08/25/20 In-person	Yes	1003.15 No	<u>%20Plan%202020.pdf</u>
370 Homedale Joint	1,224	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	3 Encouraged	08/17/20 In-person	No	1166.21 No	https://drive.google.com/file/d/15zX3XZn44hL_vjhgQtZJ37zED8j-E0Kp/view
363 Marsing Joint	847	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	3 Encouraged	08/19/20 In-person	No	802.59 No	http://www.marsingschools.org/news/what_s_new/district_reopening_plan
365 Bruneau-Grand View Joint	312	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	3 Encouraged	08/17/20 In-person	No	289.46 No	https://www.smore.com/g2ysht-fall-of-2020?ref=email
192 Glenns Ferry Joint	422	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	3 Recommended	08/19/20 In-person	Yes	381.5 No	https://www.glennsferryschools.org/covid19
372 New Plymouth	971	3 Payette	3 (Southwest)	3 Recommended	08/24/20 In-person	No	905.64 No	%20Operations%20Plan%202020%20-%20Approved.pdf
373 Fruitland	1,666	3 Payette	3 (Southwest)	3 Recommended	08/27/20 In-person	No	1576.86 No	https://fruitlandschools.org/documents/final_ltr_opening_plan.pdf
371 Payette Joint	1,394 2,468	3 Washington	3 (Southwest)	3 Recommended	08/24/20 In-person	No	1299.16 No	my.sharepoint.com/personal/psdwebsite_payetteschools_org/_layouts/15/undefin_ XEOCL108/edit
221 Emmett Independent 243 Salmon River Joint	2,468	3 Boise/Gem 3 Adams/ Idaho	3 (Southwest)/4 (C	3 No Decision 1 Optional	08/26/20 In-person 08/25/20 In-person	Yes No	2310.98 No 107.83 No	fGo5L70/edit
421 McCall-Donnelly Joint	1,327	3 Adams/ Idano 3 Adams/ Valley	. ,	2 Required	09/01/20 In-person	Yes	107.83 No 1239.53 Yes	<u>_tsost_typedit</u> https://www.mdsd.org/cms/lib/ID01904072/Centricity/Domain/4/In-Person2.pdf
71 Garden Valley	278	3 Boise	4 (Central)	2 Optional	08/18/20 In-Person	Yes	249.71 No	docs.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/asset/uploaded_file/815348/DRAFT_II_Back_t
73 Horseshoe Bend	278	3 Boise	4 (Central)	2 Optional 2 Recommended	08/24/20 In-Person	No	220.05 No	Bend/Fall%20Reopening%20Plan%20-%20Category%202.pdf
72 Basin	329	3 Boise	4 (Central)	2 Optional	08/31/20 In-Person	No	306.48 No	https://drive.google.com/file/d/10YCpUj05gyNl6noW8ygMJjuHUO9BBrXp/view
191 Prairie Elementary	323	3 Elmore	4 (Central)	2 000000	08/24/20 In-person	No	2.76 No	https://unve.google.com/me/u/iorepoloogywonowsygwijurrooobbixp/view
1 Boise Independent	25,478	3 Ada/Boise	4 (Central)	3 Required	09/08/20 In-person	Yes	23637.1 Yes	1pDYftXE8/present?ueb=true&slide=id.g8992d4ab1d 62 0
234 Bliss Joint	127	· ·	n 5 (South Central)	2 Required	08/24/20 In-person	No	119.47 No	https://bliss234.org/home
417 Castleford Joint	330	3 Falls	5 (South Central)	2	08/13/20 In-person	No	317.83 No	https://castlefordschools.wordpress.com/2020/08/12/welcome-back/
513C Project Impact STEM Academy	210	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Required	08/17/20 Online	NO	202.18	http://www.pistem.org/uploads/1/0/1/8/101894940/pistem_cmp_covid_sy21.pdf
528C Forge International, LLC	258	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/10/20 Online		241.21	etwork%20School%20Staged%20ReOpening%20Plan.pdf
131C/796 Gem Prep - Nampa	437	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/17/20 Online	NA	417.02	https://gemprep.org/nampa/gem-prep-nampacovid/
139C/559 Thomas Jefferson Charter School	383	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/19/20 Online	NA	376.43	http://www.tjcs.org/file/download/1099
131C/795 Idaho Arts Charter School	1,231	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/24/20 Online	NA	1181.41	http://idahoartscharter.org/common/pages/DisplayFile.aspx?itemId=49976625
131 Nampa	14,051	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/24/20 Online	Yes	13041.5 No	20Category%20Determinations%20-%207-26-20.pdf
132 Caldwell	6,122	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/27/20 Online	Yes	5635.06 No	9f5138813b7f.pdf
481C Heritage Community Charter School	481	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Required	08/31/20 Online		466.61	Reopening-Plan-Board-Approved-7-28-2020.pdf
475C Sage International School of Boise	980	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3	08/10/20 Online		950.93	nternational distance learning guide
498C Gem Prep - Meridian	379	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3	08/17/20 Online		369.73	https://gemprep.org/meridian/gem-prep-meridian-covid/
457C Inspire Virtual Charter School	1,048	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 NA	08/24/20 Online		929.79	
001C/492 ANSER Charter School	372	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Required	08/25/20 Online	NA	355.03 Yes	School-Covid-10-Category-Guidelines-0820.pdf
454C Rolling Hills Charter School	246	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3	08/26/20 Online	Yes	233.28 Yes	https://www.rhpcs.org/apps/pages/index.jsp?uREC_ID=443595&type=d
473C The Village Charter School	328	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3 Required	08/17/20 Online		321.29 Yes	docs.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/asset/uploaded_file/839229/TVCS_Re-
342 Culdesac Joint	105	3 Perce	2 (North Central)		08/24/20		91.64	
463C Vision Charter School	720	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/19/20		698.47	
135 Notus	409	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/24/20		389.09	
MOSAICS	540	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3	08/25/20			
134 Middleton	4,066	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3 Encouraged	09/08/20	Yes	3807.67 No	20-21%20Reopening%20Plan.pdf
555 COSSA	134	3 Canyon	3 (Southwest)	3			116.24	7b1cc4887aae.filesusr.com/ugd/a04748_eeddcf7c48fd4075b08cc3e2f06e6179.pdf
364 Pleasant Valley Elementary	7	3 Owyhee	3 (Southwest)	3			6.48	8007/PVSD%20Update%20on%20Reopening%20Plan%20and%20Approved%20Calen
221C/794 Payette River Technical	195	3 Payette	3 (Southwest)	3			195	
433 Midvale	118	3 Washington	3 (Southwest)	3 Optional	00 / 40 / 00		99.81	Posting-Final.pdf
493C North Star Charter School	998	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3	08/12/20		958.22	
002C/785 Meridian Medical Arts Charter School	191	3 Ada	4 (Central)	3	08/27/20		178.49 Yes	
002C/768 Meridian Technical Charter High School 499C Future Public School	199 297	3 Ada 3 Ada	4 (Central) 4 (Central)	3	09/08/20		196.28 Yes 281.17	
11 Meadows Valley	160	3 Adams	4 (Central) 4 (Central)	1 5			137.7	
422 Cascade	204	3 Valley	4 (Central)	2 Required			185.73 Yes	404
McCall Community School	204	3 Valley	4 (Central)	2 Required			Yes	
416 Three Creek Joint Elementary	6	3 Falls	5 (South Central)	2			5.88	
262 Valley	596	4 Jerome	5 (South Central)	2 Required	08/18/20 Blended	Yes	558.46 Yes	8f8b457cad14.filesusr.com/ugd/f4814a b8bf17d5a39e466eb0660ffa42e727c9.pdf
488C Syringa Mountain Charter	105	4 Blaine	5 (South Central)	1	08/31/20 In Person		105.75	https://syringamountainschool.org/wp-content/uploads/SMS-reentry-plan.pdf
479C Heritage Academy	126	4 Jerome	5 (South Central)	2 Recommended	08/24/20 In person	Yes	125.71	https://heritageacademyid.org/
461C Taylor's Crossing Charter School	369	4 Twin Falls	5 (South Central)	2 Required	08/27/20 In Person		358.79	2021 correction.pdf
		Gooding/						https://www.goodingschools.org/images/stories/Resources/SchoolBoard/Agendalte
231 Gooding Joint	1,371	4 Lincoln	5 (South Central)	2	08/24/20 In -person	Yes	1272.38 No	ms/2020-July/GSD_Reopening-Closure_Protocol.pdf
61 Blaine County	3,391	4 Blaine	5 (South Central)	1 Required	09/08/20 In-Person	Yes	3063.11 No	https://www.blaineschools.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=4363
331 Minidoka County Joint	4,315	4 Jerome/	5 (South Central)	2 Encouraged	08/20/20 In-person		4004.81 No	%20Reopening%20Plan_Families.08.03.pdf
418 Murtaugh Joint	362	4 Falls	5 (South Central)	2 Optional	08/20/20 In-person	No	346.66 No	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1teLkpE02u_rcZeqx2GZKnXU3bOYWBTs3/view
261 Jerome Joint	4,142	4 Jerome/	5 (South Central)	2 Encouraged	08/24/20 In-person	Yes	3883.84 No	https://www.jeromeschools.org/index.php/en/
412 Buhl Joint	1,281	4 Falls	5 (South Central)	2 Recommended	08/17/20 In-person	No	1202.88	6dbe348a8e5c.filesusr.com/ugd/d463c0_7a9d21c3426f4773be44c695a843d7cb.pdf

233 Hagerman Joint	305	4 Falls	5 (South Central)	2 Recommended	08/24/20 In-person	No	295.74 No	https://www.hjsd.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/COVID-Protocols.pdf
312 Shoshone Joint	489	4 Lincoln	5 (South Central)	2 Optional	08/18/20 In-person	No	456.82 No	<u>2020-2021</u>
316 Richfield	210		5 (South Central)	2 Optional	08/19/20 In-person	No	201.19 No	https://www.richfieldsd.org/district/school-re-opening-draft
314 Dietrich	202	4 Lincoln	5 (South Central)	2 Optional	08/24/20 In-person	No	191.64 No	http://dietrichschools.org/?p=1434
415 Hansen	333	4 Twin Falls	5 (South Central)	2 Optional	08/19/20 In-person	No	300.34 No	onal%20COVID%20Protocol.pdf
411 Twin Falls	9,622		5 (South Central)	2 Required	08/19/20 In-person	Yes	9069.11 No	https://www.tfsd.org/tfsd-operational-covid-protocol/
413 Filer	1,648		5 (South Central)	2 Recommended	09/08/20 In-person	No	1527.12 No	http://www.filer.k12.id.us/coronavirus.php
151 Cassia County Joint	5,487		5 (South Central)/€	2/1 Optional	08/24/20 In-person	Yes	5150.66 No	TO%20SCHOOL%20PLAN.pdf
381 American Falls Joint	1,554	4 Cassia/ Power	5 (South Central)/E	2/1 Recommended	08/24/20 In-person	Yes	1482.28 No	https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1JTYIAZ-rEQkzsjLGKnwo7ZG2HfgwySCD
121 Camas County	177	4 Camas	5 (South Central)	1 Optional	08/19/20	In-person		8NuvmsVttH7p3BqKP1 e hExxn0/edit
465C North Valley Academy	242		5 (South Central)	2	09/08/20		218.86	<u>id=0</u>
232 Wendell	1,143	•	5 (South Central)	2			1054.11	
414 Kimberly	2,098		5 (South Central)	2	08/26/20		1974.71	https://www.kimberly.edu/fy21-school-year-update-superintendent-schroeder
462C Xavier Charter School	701		5 (South Central)	2 Recommended	08/31/20	Yes	698.84	https://xaviercharter.org/2020/06/26/school-year-2020-2021-re-opening/
331C/790 ARTEC Charter School	206		5 (South Central)	2			194.98	
331C/518 ARTEC Industrial Charter School	211		5 (South Central)	2			199.56	
496C Gem Prep - Pocatello	318		6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional	08/17/20 In Person	Yes	305.89	https://gemprep.org/pocatello/gem-prep-pocatello-covid/
25 Pocatello	12,501	5 Bannock	6 (Southeastern)	1 Required	08/26/20 In-Person	Yes	11822.8 No	ap%20for%20the%202020-2021%20School%20Year%20(5).pdf
21 Marsh Valley Joint	1,279	5 Caribou	6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional	08/19/20 In-Person	No	1190.51 No	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Hou8vJGhu2Rgl8Xs5L1m_ITBw6CRWRmO/view
148 Grace Joint	549 746		6 (Southeastern)	1 1 Ontional	08/12/20 In-person	Yes	514.71 No 709.69 No	ContingencyReEntryPlan.pdf
202 West Side Joint 201 Preston Joint	2,353	5 Franklin 5 Franklin	6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional 1 Recommended	08/20/20 In-person 08/24/20 In-person	No	2224.65 No	HcTlgaTVg/edit
33 Bear Lake County	2,353 1,175		6 (Southeastern) 6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional	08/26/20 In-Person 08/26/20 In-Person	Yes Yes	1102.8	bs https://drive.google.com/file/d/12KCSzR-4Tnp1WGXDaClgUFVGgxNTZ8b3/view
58 Aberdeen	711	5 Bingham		1 Encouraged	08/14/20 In-Person	res	672.31	https://asd58.us/wp-content/uploads/2020/07/COVID-19-PLAN-FOR-OPENING.pdf
59 Firth	843	5 Bingham	6 (Southeastern) 6 (Southeastern)	1 Recommended	08/19/20 In-Person		811.62	Kehl6RHxA/edit
59 Fifth 52 Snake River	1,819	-	6 (Southeastern)	1 Recommended	08/19/20 In-Person	No	1735.61	Operational-Plan-8.4.20.pdf
55 Blackfoot	3,813		6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional	08/15/20 In-Person	No	3608.61 No	.pdf
382 Rockland	172	5 Power	6 (Southeastern)	1 Optional	08/26/20 In-person	No	166.33 No	4931-9e9a-345d736bf659
60 Shelley Joint	2,327		7 (Eastern)	2	08/18/20 In-Person		2218.97 Yes	WIKILf4/edit
93 Bonneville Joint	13,327		7 (Eastern)	2 Required	08/31/20 In-Person	Yes	12602.4 Yes	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1TShMthy6tUz5CE3m3_ICjeB_9W2YsJoK/view
321 Madison	5,415		7 (Eastern)	1 Encourages	08/26/20 In-person	Yes	5121.78 Yes	https://www.msd321.com/News/back-to-school#sthash.4x3EjFWc.Ol2SggSe.dpbs
460C The Academy	538		6 (Southeastern)	1	08/17/20		522.19 Yes	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1AAG4jTlj5VVkAOkBb7wc22QY_iOt5b8E/view
483C Chief Tahgee Elementary Acad Charter	90		6 (Southeastern)	1	08/24/20		80.45	
494C Pocatello Community Charter School	340	5 Bannock	6 (Southeastern)	1	08/24/20		333.46	
149 North Gem	166	5 Caribou	6 (Southeastern)	1			146.18 No	http://www.sd149.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/covid-plan.pdf
201C/751 SEI Tech	206	5 Franklin	6 (Southeastern)	1			202.18	ening%20plan.pdf?id=2334
383 Arbon Elementary	15	5 Power	6 (Southeastern)	1	08/24/20		15.97	
150 Soda Springs Joint	948	5 Bonneville/	7 (Eastern)	2	08/24/20	Yes	884.78 Yes	my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/bbassett_sodaschools_org/EXLsGWung8VHgqh8
92 Swan Valley Elementary	60	6 Bonneville	7 (Eastern)	2	09/08/20		49.48 Yes	
468C Idaho Science & Technology	339	6 Bingham	6 (Southeastern)	1 Recommended	08/24/20 Blended	Yes	322.59	https://www.idahoscience.com/District/Portal/coronavirus-info
485C Idaho STEM Academy District	117		6 (Southeastern)	1 Recommended	08/24/20 Blended	Yes	110.36	https://drive.google.com/file/d/1GnhuaKUP3tjlFYq5r77EB4TG8a5mhgF3/view
495C Forrester Academy - Alturas	555		7 (Eastern)	2 Required	08/17/20 Blended	Yes	533.96 Yes	https://www.alturasacademy.org/about/announcements/
482C American Heritage Charter School	396		7 (Eastern)	2 Optional	09/08/20 Blended	Yes	386.3 Yes	https://www.americanheritagecharterschool.com/media/1506/procedures_and_me
464C Whitepine Charter School	600		7 (Eastern)	2 Required	09/08/20 Blended	Yes	573.03 Yes	1vSCpcl2Lw7AsgeB5DTI5m7KTKNBTY219d6DrNhvhUYkKXdbWXaAY2V0UBCDFzo75
215 Fremont County Joint	2,200		7 (Eastern)	1 Recommended	09/08/20 Blended	No	2078.67 Yes	215 Operational COVID Protocol 2020-2021.pdf
253 West Jefferson	588		7 (Eastern)	2 Encouraged	08/19/20 Blended	No	576.43 Yes	<u>967714a9b613.pdf</u>
474C Monticello Montessori Charter School	272		6 (Southeastern)	1 Required	08/26/20 In person	Yes	242.08	ID-19-Reopening-Plan.pdf
477C Blackfoot Community Learning Center	545	•	7 (Eastern)	1 Recommended	08/24/20 In person	Yes	533.86 Yes	https://bcclc.com/files/user/26/file/Covid19/2007211535272.pdf
351 Oneida County	3,326 224	6 Oneida	6 (Southeastern)	1 Encouraged	08/19/20 In-person	Yes	3251.06 No	http://www.oneidaschooldistrict.org/uploads/9/3/7/3/93736194/re-entry_plan.pdf
182 Mackay Joint			6 (Southeastern)/7	2 Recommended	08/18/20 In-person	Yes	204.76 Yes	%20School%20District%20Reopening%20Plan%20Approved%20July%2027.pdf
252 Ririe Joint 322 Sugar-Salem Joint	747 1,597		7 (Eastern) 7 (Eastern)	2 Encouraged 1 Optional	09/02/20 In-person	No No	687.27 Yes 1534.57 Yes	<u>yt Rk/edit</u> Schools-Plan-2020-2021.pdf
	1,597 6,321		7 (Eastern) 7 (Eastern)	1 Optional 1 Encouraged	08/19/20 In-person	No Yes	1534.57 Yes 5798.58 Yes	<u>Schools-Plan-2020-2021.pdf</u> District-Back-to-School-Plan-2020-2021.pdf
251 Jefferson County Joint 291 Salmon	6,321 778		7 (Eastern) 7 (Eastern)	2 Optional	09/02/20 In-person 09/01/20 In-person	res No	715.9 Yes	https://www.salmonschools.com/News/52#sthash.pw0lonlE.dpbs
291 Saimon 292 South Lemhi	103		7 (Eastern) 7 (Eastern)	2 Optional	09/01/20 In-person	No	98.79 Yes	https://www.leadoreschool.org/News/55#sthash.Ainu7lKv.dpbs
111 Butte County	404		6 (Southeastern)/7	2 Optional 1	03/01/20 m-person	NO	381.42	<u>984</u>
91 Idaho Falls	10,273	6 Bonneville	7 (Eastern)	2	08/27/20	Yes	9578.38 Yes	https://www.d91.k12.id.us/News/481#sthash.bNyGhEdD.dpbs
161 Clark County Joint	10,273	6 Clark	7 (Eastern)	2	08/19/20	105	110.68 Yes	https://mmm.doi.nt.id/ntems/momstliash.bityOnEdb.upbs
181 Challis Joint	324	6 Custer/ Lemhi		2/1	08/26/20		294.71 Yes	https://www.d181.k12.id.us/News/27#sthash.xYzTZNja.dpbs
531C Fern-Waters Public Charter	57		7 (Eastern)	2/1	09/08/20		56.03 Yes	
486C Upper Carmen Charter School	55		7 (Eastern)	2	05, 00, 20		54.4 Yes	
401 Teton County	1,898		7 (Eastern)	2	08/24/20	Yes	1739.3 Yes	https://tsd401.org/tsd-401-board-reviews-draft-plan-to-reopen-schools/
534C Gem Prep - Online LLC (490)	322 Virtual	NA	NA NA	-	08/17/20 Online Only	NA	360.5 NA	
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466C iSucceed Charter High	653 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	08/17/20 Online Only	NA	437.42 NA	
476C Another Choice Virtual Charter District	488 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	08/19/20 Online Only	NA	459.1 NA	information-notices
489C Idaho College and Career Readiness Charte	159 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	08/31/20 Online Only	NA	151.14 NA	
470C Kootenai Bridge Academy	286 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	09/08/20 Online Only	NA	218.35 NA	
452C Idaho Virtual Academy	1,736 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	Online Only	NA	1561.07 NA	
469C Idaho Virtual Education Partners ICONN	242 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	Online Only	NA	221.99 NA	
453C Idaho Virtual HS Richard McKenna	504 Virtual	NA	NA	NA	NA	Online Only	NA	424.83 NA	



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SUBJECT

Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund

REFERENCE

March – April 2020	The Board has received weekly updates on the federal response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic
	and the availability of funding through the CARES Act.
April 27, 2020	The Board received an update on the allowable uses and amount of funds available to Idaho through the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund and Governor's Emergency Education Relief Fund.
May 4, 2020	The Board directed staff to move forward with data
May 1, 2020	analysis for the discussed proposals and to identify
	sources of funds for those proposals.
June 10, 2020	The Board approved the use of the ESSER 10% SEA
	reserve funds for grants to local education agencies for
	devices, connectivity, infrastructure, adaptive
	technology, learning management system and PD
	around remote instruction and a request to the
	Coronavirus Financial Advisory Committee for \$30M
	that could be used for the same purpose.
July 15, 2020	The Board approved a methodology and grant
	application for \$30,000,000 from Idaho's relief funds
	through the Governor's Coronavirus Financial Advisory
	Committee

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

The CARES Act allowed the SEA to reserve up to 10 percent of the Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Fund for grants to LEAs to be used for emergency needs as determined by the SEA to address issues responding to COVID-19. These funds must be awarded by May 18, 2021, and expended by September 30, 2022. At its July 15, 2020, meeting, the Board adopted the funding distributions, which included \$3.785 million for distance/blended learning with a priority for a Learning Management System (LMS). On August 14, 2020, the Department announced that five LMS providers had been selected as options for school districts needing an LMS: PowerSchool/Schoology, D2L, Instructure/Canvas, Its Learning and Otus. At the July 15 meeting, the Board also approved a methodology and grant application for \$30 million in funding from Idaho's relief funds through the Governor's Coronavirus Financial Advisory Committee to close the digital divide. A review committee was formed, which includes co-chairs Rep. Melissa Wintrow and Will Goodman, Board member David Hill, Rod Gramer with IBE, Terry Ryan with Bluum, Sherawn

Reberry with the West Ada School District, Peter McPherson, Chief Deputy at the SDE and Karen Seay, Federal Programs Director at the SDE. The soft deadline for grant application was Friday, August 14, 2020. An update will be provided on the status of both funding opportunities for blended learning.

IMPACT

This agenda item will provide the Board with an update on how the distribution of the ESSER SEA Reserve Funds are being implemented based on the Boards action at the July 15, 2020 Special Board.

STAFF COMMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The CARES Act establishes multiple funds dedicated to addressing impacts to education due to the 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, two of these funds provide allocations at the state level, while a third fund, the Higher Education Relief Act is disrupted directly to the postsecondary institutions. The Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief (ESSER) Fund allocates funds to the state education agencies based on the same proportion as states receive funds under Part A of Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act in fiscal year 2019. Idaho's share of this fund is \$47,854,695. From this amount a minimum of \$43,069,226 (90%) must be distributed to the local education agencies (LEA) based on the LEA's proportional share of the state's Part A, Title I funds. These funds are distributed based on each LEA's propositional share of Part A. Title I funds received in 2019. Not all LEA's receive Part A, Title I funds. Part A, Title I funds are distributed based on an LEA's share of eligible Title I students. Up to 10 percent (10%) of these funds, \$4,785,470, may be reserved by the SEA "to be used for emergency needs as determined by the SEA to address issues responding to COVID-19."

Pursuant to the federal ESSER Fund Notice, SEA reserve funds may be used to award sub grants or enter into contract for emergency needs that address issues related to COVID-19. An SEA must ensure that an "LEA that receives an ESSER Fund sub-grant provides equitable services to students and teachers in non-public schools located within the LEA in the same manner as provided under section 1117 (Providing Equitable Services to Eligible Private School Children, Teachers, and Families) of the Elementary Secondary Education Act (ESEA), as determined through timely and meaningful consultation with representatives of non-public schools. In providing services or assistance to students and teachers in non-public schools, the LEA or another public agency must maintain control of the funds, and title to materials, equipment, and property purchased with such funds must be in a public agency." States have one year from date of the federal award to award the funds. ESSER Funds may only be used for elementary and secondary education relief.

At the June 10, 2020 Regular Board meeting the Board approved use of the ESSER 10% SEA reserve funds towards grants to local education agencies for funding for professional development to provide social emotional and behavioral

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health supports remotely; to request from the Coronavirus Financial Advisory Committee funding for grants to local education agencies and creation of a public postsecondary digital campus totaling \$34 million; and to forward an additional recommendation to the Governor for Governor's Emergency Education Relief (GEER) funding use as identified in Handout 1. The handout identified six areas the grants to the school districts could be used for, devices, connectivity, infrastructure, adaptive technology, learning management system, and professional development around remote instruction or the use of a learning management system. From the ESSER 10% SEA reserve funds, \$1M was set aside for professional development for providing social emotional/behavioral health

At the July 15, 2020 Special Board meeting the Board approved the methodology for determining amounts each LEA is eligible to receive from the ESSER 10% SEA Reserve funds and CFAC funds as identified in Attachment 2 of the agenda material with priority for ESSER 10% SEA Reserve funding for the purchase or enhancement of a learning management system, while not limiting the use of these funds to a learning management system. The use of funds from the ESSER 10% SEA Reserve funds and CFAC funds was established at the June 10, 2020 Regular Board meeting.

BOARD ACTION

This item is for informational purposes only.