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From: Deborah Connell, Administrator
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RE: Southside Middle School Manchester, NH (Cohort I)

Date: February 5, 2013

On August 16, 2012 your LEA received notification of the SIG grant awards for the 2012-13 school year. Awards were determined by a review of multiple criteria and approval of the Southside Middle School SIG Action Plan. Based on information and data gathered during the recent progress monitoring review the DOE school improvement team has determined that additional funds are required to fully implement the current SIG action plan. Additional funds will be awarded to support the following immediate needs:

- delivery of Read 180 (\$20,000.00)
- administrator participation in ERC coaching (\$3,000.00)
- purchase of a system to manage teacher evaluation and professional learning (\$7,000)

A total of \$30,000.00 will be made available in the on-line grants management system.