



**TO:** Scott Swisher, Ed.D.  
Deputy Commissioner of Education

**FROM:** Mary Ann Losh, Administrator, Equity & Instructional Strategies

**SUBJECT:** Grant the Deputy Commissioner the authority to continue to contract for the provision of training, consultation and technical assistance for schools implementing Positive Behavioral interventions and Supports (PBIS) through the federally awarded State Personnel Development Grant.

**Proposed Board Action:**

Grant the Deputy Commissioner the authority to continue to contract for the provision of training, consultation and technical assistance for schools implementing Positive Behavioral interventions and Supports (PBIS) through the federally awarded State Personnel Development Grant.

**Background Information:**

NDE has provided a contract to Heather Robbins (dba) Heather's Behavior Support Services as a consultant and trainer in the PBIS process. Her services were specifically written into the new SPDG grant to assist NDE in meeting the goals and objectives of the grant. The training provided by Heather Robbins will assist schools in implementing with fidelity Positive Behavioral interventions and Supports in Nebraska schools.

**Estimated Cost:**

Up to \$77,590 for the contract term. Source: Federal State Personnel Development Grant Funds.

**Supporting Documentation Included:**

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**For Additional Information on this item:**

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