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BILL RICHARDSON
Governor

June 2, 2009

Ms. Cynthia Nava, Superintendent
Gadsden Independent School District
P.O. Drawer 70
Anthony, New Mexico 88021

Dear Ms. Nava:

The review process for the K-3 PLUS Extended School Year Request for Application (RFA) released by the Early Childhood Bureau of the New Mexico Public Education Department has been completed. I am pleased to inform you that the request your district submitted did receive priority for funding.

Based on available funding and the application submitted, the award(s) being made to your district/school for the FY 09 are as follows:

Berino Elementary, Chaparral Elementary, Desert Trail Elementary, Desert View Elementary, Mesquite Elementary, Riverside Elementary, Sunland Park Elementary, Vado Elementary

Districts

Gadsden Independent School District

FY 09 Award

\$179,346

Funding under this award must be used as specified by legislation and allowable under the application submitted and approved through the Early Childhood Bureau of the Public Education Department.

These funds are on a reimbursement basis and must be requested using the Request for Reimbursement Form. The Request for Reimbursement must be accompanied by an expenditure report which supports the claim. This award must be expended by June 30, 2009. Carryover is not allowed. Therefore, it is critical that the district liquidate their program funds by June 30, 2009. June Payroll Calculations and Unliquidated Obligations will not be accepted. All Requests for Reimbursements must be received by the PED, Early Childhood Bureau on or before July 15, 2009.

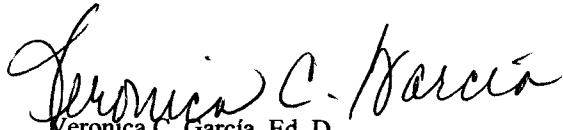
In order to budget these funds, please submit an electronic Budget Adjustment Request (BAR) before June 12, 2009 utilizing the PED OBMS (Operating Budget Management System) website. The Flowthrough BAR process is located on the PED website at www.ped.state.nm.us.

Please submit electronic Budget Adjustment Request (BAR) in the amount of \$179,346 for FY09 utilizing Fund Code 27166 and Revenue Code 43202.

Please feel free to contact Marcy Pompei, Education Administrator at (505) 827-9972 should you have questions in regards to this grant award. The contact person in the Fiscal Flow through Office of the Public Education

Department who will be working with you is Ms. Susan Lucero. She can be reached at (505) 827-3848 or susan.lucero@state.nm.us

Truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Veronica C. Garcia". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "V".

Veronica C. Garcia, Ed. D.
Secretary of Education

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