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BILL RICHARDSON Governor

August 21, 2009

Cynthia Nava, Superintendent Gadsden Independent Schools 4950 McNutt Sunland Park, NM 88063

Dear Superintendent Nava:

This letter is notification that the Public Education Department has awarded funds to be used in conjunction with school improvement strategies and activities for 2009-2010 in your district.

Based on available funding and the application submitted, the award being made to your district is as follows:

School	SINOI Revenue 43202 Fund 27163
Gadsden High School Santa Teresa High School	\$30,000.00 \$30,000.00
Total	\$60,000.00 Intent of Award to spend by June 30, 2010

Funding under this award must be used as specified in your RFI Application. The intent of these funds is to help districts improve academic achievement in 2009-2010. Failure to expend <u>all awards</u> during this school year may impact future funding for subsequent years. In order to budget these funds, please submit an electronic Budget Adjustment Request (BAR) by fund utilizing the Public Education Department Operating Management System (OBMS) website. The flow through BAR process is located on the PED website at www.ped.state.nm.us.

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Please contact David Johnson at 505-827-6580 should you have any questions.

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