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TO: Pennsylvania School Districts

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I am writing to announce the availability of grants that may be of interest to Pennsylvania's school districts.

The Pennsylvania Conservation Corps (PCC) is a job training and community service program administered by the state Department of Labor and Industry. Through the PCC, unemployed young adults are offered work experience, job training and educational opportunities as they carry out projects on public lands.

Political subdivisions and certain state agencies may apply for PCC grants to carry out projects related to recreation, conservation and historical preservation (non-profit agencies in cities of the first class may also apply, but only for projects involving the removal of graffiti and the repair of institutional vandalism).

Agencies selected to receive grants get the services of a PCC crew--all wages paid--for one year. They may also receive funds to pay for the materials and contracted services needed to complete their proposed projects (political subdivisions must provide a cash match).

The PCC is currently seeking applications for projects to begin on July 1, 2007. Applications for these projects must be postmarked no later than Friday, January 5, 2007.

There are several ways to get an application packet:

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Phone: (717) 783-6385
(888) 577-4722 (toll free, PA only)

E-mail: pcc@state.pa.us (include your postal address)

The packet may also be downloaded from the PA PowerPort (www.state.pa.us),
PA Keyword: "PCC").

For more information on the PCC program and the grant application process,
please give us a call, send us an e-mail, or visit our web site.