

BEATY WARREN MIDDLE SCHOOL

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TO: Dr. Norbert Kennerknecht
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FROM: Gary L. Weber
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Beaty-Warren Middle School

DATE: August 23, 2007

I am writing to request to paint the lockers at Beaty-Warren Middle School to improve the appearance of our school. This request is part of “**Make a Difference Day**” which is scheduled for Oct. 27, 2007. The kick-off campaign for “**Make a Difference Day**” is this month and we would like to make the improvements to our school before Oct. 27. The Beaty Differentiated Instruction Team would be placed in charged of this project and will be assisted by parent volunteers, students, and teachers. High School students in need of community services for their graduation requirements will also be invited to participate. Beaty student council will pay for the paint (up to \$2,000). The project will be done on a Saturday prior to Oct. 27. The scope of the project would include somewhere in the neighborhood of 400 lockers. This project would be completed during non-instructional hours. The painting of the lockers will help make the school look better and by using a dark blue color students will not be able to write on the lockers, which will cut down on custodial time being used to clean lockers.

In addition to this project, Ms. Ashley Care, a seventh grade math teacher at Beaty, is in the process of applying for a Lowe’s grant that would encompass the painting of the hallway walls and possibly the ceiling. We would like to move forward with this grant with both Support Personnel and Board of Directors approval. This project would utilize the Lowe’s grant in the amount of \$20,000 as well as a possible \$3000 from the student government fund. We would like to hire a company to complete the work as the scope of the work would include over 20,000 square feet of hallway wall and ceiling space on both the downstairs and upstairs hallways. This is a sizable job and would need to be completed in a timely fashion.

We are committed to making Beaty a great place for our students. We are requesting approval to commit to this project so we may begin organizing and implementing the project prior to the start of school. There will be no cost to the district.

Thank you for your consideration.