

## **2011-12 TANF Youth Program Grant for SAMHS JETS Competition**

Grant Overview: Sheffield Area Middle/High School has applied for \$1,000 in Workforce Investment Act (WIA) and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) funding. Grant monies must be used for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) projects.

SAMHS proposes using the grant funding to fund a varsity and junior varsity JETS team. Each team will consists for eight (8) students who will work on engineering projects that will be judged at a local, state, and national level. JETS students practice before and after school to develop the skills necessary to complete their projects.

Amount of Award: \$1,000.00

Due Date/Notification of Award: Due January, 2012. Notification in February.

Alternatives if not Awarded: Students and their families would have to pay to participate if the grant is not awarded.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

Administrative Recommendation: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit an application to the Venango Training and Development Center for a 2011-2012 TANF Youth Program Grant in the amount of \$1,000 to support JETS teams at Sheffield Area Middle/High School.