The Rural and Low-Income School Grant Summary

<u>Grant Overview</u>: The Rural and Low-Income School (RLIS) Program addresses the needs of rural, low-income schools. The US Department of Education awards funds to the Pennsylvania Department of Education, who in turn award sub-grants to eligible LEAs based on a formula. The funds are for activities specified by statute, including:

- Parent Involvement activities
- Other activities governed by statue, including those approved in:
 - o Title I-A (Improving Basic Programs)
 - o Title II-A (Supporting Effective Instruction)
 - Title III (Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students)
 - o Title IV-A (Student Support and Academic Enrichment)

Amount of Award: \$75,917.00

<u>Due Date/Notification of Award</u>: February 2, 2018. Notification once the application is processed by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

Alternatives if not Awarded: None.

WCSD Resources Required: None.

<u>Administrative Recommendation</u>: That the Board of School Directors instructs the administration to submit an application to the Pennsylvania Department of Education for funding through the Rural and Low-Income School Program, for activities determined most appropriate and necessary by the administration.