

Southeast Tech
Development Foundation Grant Report
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Purpose:

To provide the School Board with an update on two grants that Southeast Tech is applying for to increase student enrollment, secure additional equipment and expand program offerings to students.

Strengthening Community Colleges Grant

Southeast Tech, in conjunction with Lake Area Technical College, Mitchell Technical College, and Western Dakota Technical College, are submitting a joint grant application to the United States Department of Labor. Southeast Tech is applying for \$587,519 from this grant to cover the expansion of the LPN and RN Nursing programs at the main campus. The funds will cover the addition of a full-time nursing faculty member, equipment, and supplies.

H-1B One Workforce Grant

Southeast Tech, in conjunction with Lake Area Technical College, Mitchell Technical College, and Western Dakota Technical College, are submitting a joint application to the United States Department of Labor. Southeast Tech is applying for \$511,084 from this grant to cover the expansion of our Wireless Teleconstruction program at the main campus. The funds will cover advertising, equipment, tuition assistance and curriculum development cost for the program.

Administrative Recommendation to School Board:

To acknowledge the Development Foundation Grant Report and authorize Southeast Tech to apply for the Strengthening Community Colleges Grant and H1B One Workforce Grant.