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Mike Caplet
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Re: Ledyard NSEF FY 2023 Allocation 2022-44.

Dear Mike,

Last year during the course of our EOC IT upgrades it was discovered that we were having issues with data flow to the CEN connection in the school main data room. Further investigation revealed that for some unknown reason the fiber run from the CEN connection to the EOC had a section of about 160 feet that was run in copper which was the source of the data flow issue. Further investigation found that about ten years ago, the data room was relocated and the EOC staff did not complete this section in fiber but instead used copper which is the source of our data flow problems. We were only able to get two vendors in to give us a quote- one of which would only replace the entire run from the data room to the EOC because they stated that they would not interface with other persons work which left us with one vendor willing to take this project on. Attached is the *estimate* from CBS Company with this quote.

The following is a request to utilize funding approved in our FY 2023 Nuclear Safety Emergency Program (NSEP) under the 2022-44 EOC/REP Field Equipment & IT upgrades to the amount of \$13,000 to replace the copper cable with fiber. The amount requested is more than the quote that I attached but having a contingency amount in this is good planning in case other issues are found during this job.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,
James O. Mann Jr
Emergency Management Director

cc: Mayor Fred Allyn III
Matthew Bonin, Director of Finance