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1. Please enter the name of the person to contact regarding this submission.

Laura Bosinski

1a. Please enter their phone number for follow up questions.

716-362-3040

1b. Please enter their e-mail address for follow up contact.

Lbosinski@amherstschools.org

 Please indicate below whether this is the first submission, a new or supplemental submission or an amended submission of an approved Smart Schools Investment Plan.

First submission

- 3. All New York State public school districts are required to complete and submit a District Instructional Technology Plan survey to the New York State Education Department in compliance with Section 753 of the Education Law and per Part 100.12 of the Commissioner's Regulations. Districts that include investments in high-speed broadband or wireless connectivity and/or learning technology equipment or facilities as part of their Smart Schools Investment Plan must have a submitted and approved Instructional Technology Plan survey on file with the New York State Education Department.

  By checking this box, you certify that the school district has an approved District Instructional Technology Plan survey on file with the New York State Education Department.
  - ☑ District Educational Technology Plan Submitted to SED and Approved
- Pursuant to the requirements of the Smart Schools Bond Act, the planning process must include consultation with parents, teachers, students, community members, other stakeholders and any nonpublic schools located in the district.

By checking the boxes below, you are certifying that you have engaged with those required stakeholders.

- ☑ Parents
- ☑ Teachers
- ☑ Students
- ☑ Community members
- 5. Did your district contain nonpublic schools in 2014-15?

☑ Yes

☐ Yes, but they have all since closed, moved out of district or are declining use of SSBA funds

□ No

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- 6. Certify that the following required steps have taken place by checking the boxes below:
  - ☑ The district developed and the school board approved a preliminary Smart Schools Investment Plan.
  - ☑ The preliminary plan was posted on the district website for at least 30 days. The district included an address to which any written comments on the plan should be sent.
  - ☑ The school board conducted a hearing that enabled stakeholders to respond to the preliminary plan. This hearing may have occured as part of a normal Board meeting, but adequate notice of the event must have been provided through local media and the district website for at least two weeks prior to the meeting.
  - ☑ The district prepared a final plan for school board approval and such plan has been approved by the school board.
  - ☑ The final proposed plan that has been submitted has been posted on the district's website.
    - Please upload the proposed Smart Schools Investment Plan (SSIP) that was posted on the district's website, along with any supporting materials. Note that this should be different than your recently submitted Educational Technology Survey. The Final SSIP, as approved by the School Board, should also be posted on the website and remain there during the course of the projects contained therein.

      Amherst Central BOE SSIP Presentation 2023.pdf
    - 6b. Enter the webpage address where the final Smart Schools Investment Plan is posted. The Plan should remain posted for the life of the included projects.

https://www.amherstschools.org/domain/821

Please enter an estimate of the total number of students and staff that will benefit from this Smart Schools Investment Plan based on the cumulative projects submitted to date.

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- 8. An LEA/School District may partner with one or more other LEA/School Districts to form a consortium to pool Smart Schools Bond Act funds for a project that meets all other Smart School Bond Act requirements. Each school district participating in the consortium will need to file an approved Smart Schools Investment Plan for the project and submit a signed Memorandum of Understanding that sets forth the details of the consortium including the roles of each respective district.
  - ☐ The district plans to participate in a consortium to partner with other school district(s) to implement a Smart Schools project.
- 9. Please enter the name and 6-digit SED Code for each LEA/School District participating in the Consortium.

| Partner LEA/District | SED BEDS Code |
|----------------------|---------------|
| (No Response)        | (No Response) |

- 10. Please upload a signed Memorandum of Understanding with all of the participating Consortium partners.
  (No Response)
- 11. Your district's Smart Schools Bond Act Allocation is: \$1,043,273

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|            | Public Enrollment | Nonpublic Enrollment | Total Enrollment | Nonpublic Percentage |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| Enrollment | 2,822             | 1,173                | 3,995.00         | 29.36                |

13. This table compares each category budget total, as entered in that category's page, to the total expenditures listed in the category's expenditure table. Any discrepancies between the two must **be resolved before submission**.

|                                       | Sub-Allocations | Expenditure Totals | Difference |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|------------|
| School Connectivity                   | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| Connectivity Projects for Communities | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| Classroom Technology                  | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| Pre-Kindergarten<br>Classrooms        | 1,043,272.00    | 1,043,272.00       | 0.00       |
| Replace Transportable Classrooms      | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| High-Tech Security Features           | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| Nonpublic Loan                        | 0.00            | 0.00               | 0.00       |
| Totals:                               | 1,043,272       | 1,043,272          | 0          |

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In order for students and faculty to receive the maximum benefit from the technology made available under the Smart Schools Bond Act, their school buildings must possess sufficient connectivity infrastructure to ensure that devices can be used during the school day. Smart Schools Investment Plans must demonstrate that:

- sufficient infrastructure that meets the Federal Communications Commission's 100 Mbps per 1,000 students standard currently exists in the buildings where new devices will be deployed, or
- is a planned use of a portion of Smart Schools Bond Act funds, or
- is under development through another funding source.

Smart Schools Bond Act funds used for technology infrastructure or classroom technology investments must increase the number of school buildings that meet or exceed the minimum speed standard of 100 Mbps per 1,000 students and staff within 12 months. This standard may be met on either a contracted 24/7 firm service or a "burstable" capability. If the standard is met under the burstable criteria, it must be:

- 1. Specifically codified in a service contract with a provider, and
- 2. Guaranteed to be available to all students and devices as needed, particularly during periods of high demand, such as computer-based testing (CBT) periods.

Please describe how your district already meets or is planning to meet this standard within 12 months of plan submission.

(No Response)

- 1a. If a district believes that it will be impossible to meet this standard within 12 months, it may apply for a waiver of this requirement, as described on the Smart Schools website. The waiver must be filed and approved by SED prior to submitting this survey.
  - ☐ By checking this box, you are certifying that the school district has an approved waiver of this requirement on file with the New York State Education Department.
- 2. Connectivity Speed Calculator (Required). If the district currently meets the required speed, enter "Currently Met" in the last box: Expected Date When Required Speed Will be Met.

|                  | Number of     | Required Speed in | Current Speed in | Expected Speed to  | Expected Date     |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|                  | Students      | Mbps              | Mbps             | be Attained Within | When Required     |
|                  |               |                   |                  | 12 Months          | Speed Will be Met |
| Calculated Speed | (No Response) | 0.00              | (No Response)    | (No Response)      | (No Response)     |

3. Describe how you intend to use Smart Schools Bond Act funds for high-speed broadband and/or wireless connectivity projects in school buildings.

(No Response)

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Describe the linkage between the district's District Instructional Technology Plan and how the proposed projects will improve teaching and learning. (There should be a link between your response to this question and your responses to Question 1 in Section IV - NYSED Initiatives Alignment: "Explain how the district use of instructional technology will serve as a part of a comprehensive and sustained effort to support rigorous academic standards attainment and performance improvement for students."

Your answer should also align with your answers to the questions in Section II - Strategic Technology Planning and the associated Action Steps in Section III - Action Plan.)

(No Response)

5. If the district wishes to have students and staff access the Internet from wireless devices within the school building, or in close proximity to it, it must first ensure that it has a robust Wi-Fi network in place that has sufficient bandwidth to meet user demand.

Please describe how you have quantified this demand and how you plan to meet this demand. (No Response)

6. Smart Schools plans with any expenditures in the School Connectivity category require a project number from the Office of Facilities Planning. Districts must submit an SSBA LOI and receive project numbers prior to submitting the SSIP. As indicated on the LOI, some projects may be eligible for a streamlined review and will not require a building permit.

Please indicate on a separate row each project number given to you by the Office of Facilities Planning.

| Project Number |  |  |
|----------------|--|--|
|                |  |  |
| (No Response)  |  |  |

7. Certain high-tech security and connectivity infrastructure projects may be eligible for an expedited review process as determined by the Office of Facilities Planning.

Was your project deemed eligible for streamlined review?

(No Response)

8. Include the name and license number of the architect or engineer of record.

| Name          | License Number |
|---------------|----------------|
| (No Response) | (No Response)  |

9. Public Expenditures – Loanable (Counts toward the nonpublic loan calculation)

| Select the allowable expenditure type.      | PUBLIC Items to be | Quantity  | Cost Per Item | Total Cost |  |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|---------------|------------|--|
| Repeat to add another item under each type. | Purchased          |           |               |            |  |
| (No Response)                               | (No Response)      | (No       | (No           | 0.00       |  |
|                                             |                    | Response) | Response)     |            |  |

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| Select the allowable expenditure type.      | PUBLIC Items to be | Quantity | Cost Per Item | Total Cost |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|----------|---------------|------------|
| Repeat to add another item under each type. | Purchased          |          |               |            |
|                                             |                    | 0        | 0.00          | 0          |

## **10.** Public Expenditures – Non-Loanable (Does not count toward nonpublic loan calculation)

| Select the allowable expenditure | PUBLIC Items to be purchased | Quantity      | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| type.                            |                              |               |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                              |               |               |            |
| each type.                       |                              |               |               |            |
| (No Response)                    | (No Response)                | (No Response) | (No Response) | 0.00       |
|                                  |                              | 0             | 0.00          | 0          |

## 11. Final 2014-15 BEDS Enrollment to calculate Nonpublic Sharing Requirement (no changes allowed.)

|            | Public Enrollment | Nonpublic Enrollment | Total Enrollment | Nonpublic Percentage |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| Enrollment | 2,822             | 1,173                | 3,995.00         | 29.36                |

## 12. Total Public Budget - Loanable (Counts toward the nonpublic loan calculation)

|                                            | Public Allocations | Estimated Nonpublic Loan Amount | Estimated Total Sub-Allocations |
|--------------------------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Network/Access Costs                       | (No Response)      | 0.00                            | 0.00                            |
| School Internal Connections and Components | (No Response)      | 0.00                            | 0.00                            |
| Other                                      | (No Response)      | 0.00                            | 0.00                            |
| Totals:                                    | 0.00               | 0                               | 0                               |

## **13.** Total Public Budget – Non-Loanable (Does not count toward the nonpublic loan calculation)

|                                            | Sub-          |
|--------------------------------------------|---------------|
|                                            | Allocation    |
| Network/Access Costs                       | (No Response) |
| Outside Plant Costs                        | (No Response) |
| School Internal Connections and Components | (No Response) |
| Professional Services                      | (No Response) |
| Testing                                    | (No Response) |
| Other Upfront Costs                        | (No Response) |
| Other Costs                                | (No Response) |
| Totals:                                    | 0.00          |

## 14. School Connectivity Totals

| <u></u>              |                       |  |  |
|----------------------|-----------------------|--|--|
|                      |                       |  |  |
|                      | Total Sub-Allocations |  |  |
| Total Loanable Items | 0.00                  |  |  |

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|                          | Total Sub-Allocations |
|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| Total Non-loanable Items | 0.00                  |
| Totals:                  | 0                     |

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Community Connectivity (Broadband and Wireless)

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 Describe how you intend to use Smart Schools Bond Act funds for high-speed broadband and/or wireless connectivity projects in the community.

(No Response)

Please describe how the proposed project(s) will promote student achievement and increase student and/or staff access to the Internet in a manner that enhances student learning and/or instruction outside of the school day and/or school building.

(No Response)

- 3. Community connectivity projects must comply with all the necessary local building codes and regulations (building and related permits are not required prior to plan submission).
  - ☐ I certify that we will comply with all the necessary local building codes and regulations.
- 4. Please describe the physical location of the proposed investment.
  - (No Response)
- Please provide the initial list of partners participating in the Community Connectivity Broadband Project, along with their Federal Tax Identification (Employer Identification) number.

| Project Partners | Federal ID #  |
|------------------|---------------|
| (No Response)    | (No Response) |

6. Please detail the type, quantity, per unit cost and total cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be purchased | Quantity      | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| type.                            |                      |               |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                      |               |               |            |
| each type.                       |                      |               |               |            |
| (No Response)                    | (No Response)        | (No Response) | (No Response) | 0.00       |
|                                  |                      | 0             | 0.00          | 0          |

7. If you are submitting an allocation for Community Connectivity, complete this table.

Note that the calculated Total at the bottom of the table <u>must</u> equal the Total allocation for this category that you entered in the SSIP Overview overall budget.

|                             | Sub-Allocation |
|-----------------------------|----------------|
| Network/Access Costs        | (No Response)  |
| Outside Plant Costs         | (No Response)  |
| Tower Costs                 | (No Response)  |
| Customer Premises Equipment | (No Response)  |
| Professional Services       | (No Response)  |
| Testing                     | (No Response)  |
| Other Upfront Costs         | (No Response)  |
| Other Costs                 | (No Response)  |

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|         | Sub-Allocation |
|---------|----------------|
| Totals: | 0.00           |

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Classroom Learning Technology

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Please describe how your district already meets or is planning to meet this standard within 12 months of plan submission.

(No Response)

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|                  | Number of     | Required Speed in | Current Speed in | Expected Speed to  | Expected Date     |
|------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
|                  | Students      | Mbps              | '                | be Attained Within | •                 |
|                  |               |                   |                  | 12 Months          | Speed Will be Met |
| Calculated Speed | (No Response) | 0.00              | (No Response)    | (No Response)      | (No Response)     |

3. If the district wishes to have students and staff access the Internet from wireless devices within the school building, or in close proximity to it, it must first ensure that it has a robust Wi-Fi network in place that has sufficient bandwidth to meet user demand.

Please describe how you have quantified this demand and how you plan to meet this demand.

(No Response)

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4. All New York State public school districts are required to complete and submit an Instructional Technology Plan survey to the New York State Education Department in compliance with Section 753 of the Education Law and per Part 100.12 of the Commissioner's Regulations.

Districts that include educational technology purchases as part of their Smart Schools Investment Plan must have a submitted and approved Instructional Technology Plan survey on file with the New York State Education Department.

- ☐ By checking this box, you are certifying that the school district has an approved Instructional Technology Plan survey on file with the New York State Education Department.
- Describe the devices you intend to purchase and their compatibility with existing or planned platforms or systems. Specifically address the adequacy of each facility's electrical, HVAC and other infrastructure necessary to install and support the operation of the planned technology.

  (No Response)
- 6. Describe how the proposed technology purchases will:
  - > enhance differentiated instruction:
  - > expand student learning inside and outside the classroom;
  - > benefit students with disabilities and English language learners; and
  - > contribute to the reduction of other learning gaps that have been identified within the district.

The expectation is that districts will place a priority on addressing the needs of students who struggle to succeed in a rigorous curriculum. Responses in this section should specifically address this concern and align with the district's Instructional Technology Plan (in particular Question 2 of E. Curriculum and Instruction: "Does the district's instructional technology plan address the needs of students with disabilities to ensure equitable access to instruction, materials and assessments?" and Question 3 of the same section: "Does the district's instructional technology plan address the provision of assistive technology specifically for students with disabilities to ensure access to and participation in the general curriculum?")

In addition, describe how the district ensures equitable access to instruction, materials and assessments and participation in the general curriculum for both SWD and English Language Learners/Multilingual Learners (ELL/MLL) students.

Please note: If this plan has been identified as a Remote Learning Plan to be submitted and reviewed on an expedited basis, the district should explain how this plan will facilitate remote and hybrid learning, in lieu of responding to the question above.

(No Response)

Where appropriate, describe how the proposed technology purchases will enhance ongoing communication with parents and other stakeholders and help the district facilitate technology-based regional partnerships, including distance learning and other efforts.

(No Response)

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8. Describe the district's plan to provide professional development to ensure that administrators, teachers and staff can employ the technology purchased to enhance instruction successfully.

Note: This response should be aligned and expanded upon in accordance with your district's response to Question 1 of F. Professional Development of your Instructional Technology Plan: "Please provide a summary of professional development offered to teachers and staff, for the time period covered by this plan, to support technology to enhance teaching and learning. Please include topics, audience and method of delivery within your summary."

Please note: If this plan has been identified as a Remote Learning Plan to be submitted and reviewed on an expedited basis, the district should provide a statement confirming that the district has provided or will provide professional development on these devices to its staff, in lieu of responding to the question above.

(No Response)

- Districts must contact one of the SUNY/CUNY teacher preparation programs listed on the document on the left side of the page that supplies the largest number of the district's new teachers to request advice on innovative uses and best practices at the intersection of pedagogy and educational technology.
  - □ By checking this box, you certify that you have contacted the SUNY/CUNY teacher preparation program that supplies the largest number of your new teachers to request advice on these issues.
    - 9a. Please enter the name of the SUNY or CUNY Institution that you contacted.
      (No Response)
    - 9b. Enter the primary Institution phone number.
      (No Response)
    - 9c. Enter the name of the contact person with whom you consulted and/or will be collaborating with on innovative uses of technology and best practices.
      (No Response)
- To ensure the sustainability of technology purchases made with Smart Schools funds, districts must demonstrate a long-term plan to maintain and replace technology purchases supported by Smart Schools Bond Act funds. This sustainability plan shall demonstrate a district's capacity to support recurring costs of use that are ineligible for Smart Schools Bond Act funding such as device maintenance, technical support, Internet and wireless fees, maintenance of hotspots, staff professional development, building maintenance and the replacement of incidental items. Further, such a sustainability plan shall include a long-term plan for the replacement of purchased devices and equipment at the end of their useful life with other funding sources.
  - ☐ By checking this box, you certify that the district has a sustainability plan as described above.
- Districts must ensure that devices purchased with Smart Schools Bond funds will be distributed, prepared for use, maintained and supported appropriately. Districts must maintain detailed device inventories in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.
  - ☐ By checking this box, you certify that the district has a distribution and inventory management plan and system in place.

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#### Please detail the type, quantity, per unit cost and total cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be Purchased | Quantity      | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| type.                            |                      |               |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                      |               |               |            |
| each type.                       |                      |               |               |            |
| (No Response)                    | (No Response)        | (No Response) | (No Response) | 0.00       |
|                                  |                      | 0             | 0.00          | 0          |

## 13. Final 2014-15 BEDS Enrollment to calculate Nonpublic Sharing Requirement (no changes allowed.)

|            | Public Enrollment | Nonpublic Enrollment |          | Nonpublic Percentage |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------|----------------------|
| Enrollment | 2,822             | 1,173                | 3,995.00 | 29.36                |

## 14. If you are submitting an allocation for Classroom Learning Technology complete this table.

|                         | Public School Sub-Allocation | Estimated Nonpublic Loan    | Estimated Total Public and |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
|                         |                              | Amount                      | Nonpublic Sub-Allocation   |
|                         |                              | (Based on Percentage Above) |                            |
| Interactive Whiteboards | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Computer Servers        | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Desktop Computers       | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Laptop Computers        | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Tablet Computers        | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Other Costs             | (No Response)                | 0.00                        | 0.00                       |
| Totals:                 | 0.00                         | 0                           | 0                          |

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Pre-Kindergarten Classrooms

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## Provide information regarding how and where the district is currently serving pre-kindergarten students and justify the need for additional space with enrollment projections over 3 years.

Amherst Central School currently offers a Pre-K program supported by the Universal Pre-K grant. Due to space limitations they currently host full and half time classes and use a mix of district spaces and contracted spaces in the community. The population of students eligible for these Pre-K spaces is increasing as well as enrollment in other Primary grade level programs.

A short time ago, the voters in the Amherst Central School District approved a referendum to construct seven Pre-K classrooms as additions to existing elementary level buildings within the district. The goal is to move the students to these locations where they can continue to receive Pre-K regular education services and in addition receive other services that might be appropriate such as speech therapy, occupational therapy, and physical therapy. Additionally, placing these students in district facilities will allow them to take full advantage of meal programs such as breakfast and lunch that they are usually eligible for.

In the **2021-22** school year Amherst hosted 72 half day pre-k students at the Windermere Boulevard Elementary School and 66 half day pre-k students in rented facilities at the Amherst Community Church Child Care Center. This totals **138** half day students.

In the 2022-23 the district hosted 36 full day students at the Windermere Elementary School. They also host 36 full day students at the Smallwood Drive Elementary School. They continue to host 63 half day students at the Amherst Community Church Child Care Center and 17 students at the Amherst Nursery School. They were able to host a total of 152 pre-k students during 22-23.

In the 2023-24 school year, Amherst is servicing a reduced number of students due to limitations on space. At Windemere Elementary and Smallwood Elementary, the district is providing service to 36 students at each site. The district also provides services to 17 half day students at Amherst Nursery School. At the Amherst Community Church Childhood Center the district converted to 48 Full Day pre-K. The total enrollment for the 2023-24 school year is 137.

For the 2024-25 school year, Amherst can only provide Pre-K services to 137 students.

By the 2025-26 school year, the district anticipates being able to increase to 191 Full Time students. 60% of those students will be

housed in district facilities and the remaining students will continue to be housed in our Community Based partners.

| Location                  | 21-22       |             | 23-24       | , ,          | 25-26                      |
|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Windmere Elem             | 72 half Day | 36 Full Day | 36 Full Day | 108 Full Day | 108 Full Day               |
| Smallwood Elem            | 0           | 36 Full Day | 36 Full Day | 18 Full Day  | 18 Full Day                |
| Amherst Community         | 66 half Day | 63 half Day | 48 Full Day | Í            | 12 Half Day<br>36 Full Day |
| Amherst Nursery<br>School | 0           | 17 half day | 17 half Day | 17 half Day  | 17 half Day                |
| FTE Totals                | 138         | 152         | 137         | 191          | 191                        |

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Pre-Kindergarten Classrooms

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- **2.** Describe the district's plan to construct, enhance or modernize education facilities to accommodate pre-kindergarten programs. Such plans must include:
  - Specific descriptions of what the district intends to do to each space;
  - An affirmation that new pre-kindergarten classrooms will contain a minimum of 900 square feet per classroom;
  - The number of classrooms involved;
  - The approximate construction costs per classroom; and
  - Confirmation that the space is district-owned or has a long-term lease that exceeds the probable useful life of the improvements.

There will be seven classrooms constructed at the Windemere Blvd Elementary School, a district owned facility. This was decided for two reasons. The area surrounding the Windermere Elementary School has the highest concentration of students with high socioeconomic needs. Additionally, the highest concentrations of English Language Learners is also in this area.

All classrooms constructed will meet the requirements from the Office of Facilities Planning for Early Childhood spaces. All rooms will be 1000 square feet with dedicated restroom facilities. All furniture and fixtures will be of appropriate size for 3 to 5 year old students.

The total construction of these seven new spaces is estimated at \$6,300,000 or \$900,000 per room.

3. Smart Schools Bond Act funds may only be used for capital construction costs. Describe the type and amount of additional funds that will be required to support ineligible ongoing costs (e.g. instruction, supplies) associated with any additional pre-kindergarten classrooms that the district plans to add.

The cost of construction and initial furniture and fixtures is totally funded by the bond project approved by the Amherst Central School voters. Additional costs for the staffing of these classrooms and the ongoing cost of supplies are primarily funded by the Universal Pre-K grant and to a limited extent by the taxpayers of the Amherst Central School district.

4. All plans and specifications for the erection, repair, enlargement or remodeling of school buildings in any public school district in the State must be reviewed and approved by the Commissioner. Districts that plan capital projects using their Smart Schools Bond Act funds will undergo a Preliminary Review Process by the Office of Facilities Planning.

Please indicate on a separate row each project number given to you by the Office of Facilities Planning.

Project Number
14-02-01-06-0-007-025

5. Please detail the type, quantity, per unit cost and total cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

|                                  |                                                                  |          |               | <u> </u>   |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|---------------|------------|
| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be purchased                                             | Quantity | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
| type.                            |                                                                  |          |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                                                                  |          |               |            |
| each type.                       |                                                                  |          |               |            |
| Construct Classrooms             | General Construction of Seven classrooms, Local Share of project | 7        | 100,100.00    | 700,700.00 |
| Construct Classrooms             | HVAC                                                             | 7        | 18,590.00     | 130,130.00 |

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Pre-Kindergarten Classrooms

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| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be purchased             | Quantity | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|----------|---------------|------------|
| type.                            |                                  |          |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                                  |          |               |            |
| each type.                       |                                  |          |               |            |
| Construct Classrooms             | Plumbing                         | 7        | 7,190.00      | 50,330.00  |
| Construct Classrooms             | Electrical                       | 7        | 11,400.00     | 79,800.00  |
| Construct Classrooms             | Furniture Fixtures and Equipment | 7        | 5,720.00      | 40,040.00  |
| Other Costs                      | Architect Fees                   | 1        | 42,272.00     | 42,272.00  |
|                                  |                                  | 36       | 185,272.00    | 1,043,272  |

6. If you have made an allocation for Pre-Kindergarten Classrooms, complete this table.

Note that the calculated Total at the bottom of the table <u>must</u> equal the Total allocation for this category that you entered in the SSIP Overview overall budget.

|                                          | Sub-Allocation |
|------------------------------------------|----------------|
| Construct Pre-K Classrooms               | 1,001,000.00   |
| Enhance/Modernize Educational Facilities | 0.00           |
| Other Costs                              | 42,272.00      |
| Totals:                                  | 1,043,272.00   |

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#### Smart Schools Investment Plan - Revised - Pre Kg Classroom Project

Replace Transportable Classrooms

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1. Describe the district's plan to construct, enhance or modernize education facilities to provide high-quality instructional space by replacing transportable classrooms.

(No Response)

2. All plans and specifications for the erection, repair, enlargement or remodeling of school buildings in any public school district in the State must be reviewed and approved by the Commissioner. Districts that plan capital projects using their Smart Schools Bond Act funds will undergo a Preliminary Review Process by the Office of Facilities Planning.

Please indicate on a separate row each project number given to you by the Office of Facilities Planning.

Project Number
(No Response)

For large projects that seek to blend Smart Schools Bond Act dollars with other funds, please note that Smart Schools Bond Act funds can be allocated on a pro rata basis depending on the number of new classrooms built that directly replace transportable classroom units.

If a district seeks to blend Smart Schools Bond Act dollars with other funds describe below what other funds are being used and what portion of the money will be Smart Schools Bond Act funds.

(No Response)

4. Please detail the type, quantity, per unit cost and total cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

|                                  |                      | 0             | 0.00          | 0          |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| (No Response)                    | (No Response)        | (No Response) | (No Response) | 0.00       |
| each type.                       |                      |               |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                      |               |               |            |
| type.                            |                      |               |               |            |
| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be purchased | Quantity      | Cost per Item | Total Cost |

5. If you have made an allocation for Replace Transportable Classrooms, complete this table.

Note that the calculated Total at the bottom of the table <u>must</u> equal the Total allocation for this category that you entered in the SSIP Overview overall budget.

|                                                | Sub-Allocation |  |  |  |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------|--|--|--|
| Construct New Instructional Space              | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Enhance/Modernize Existing Instructional Space | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Other Costs                                    | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Totals:                                        | 0.00           |  |  |  |

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 Describe how you intend to use Smart Schools Bond Act funds to install high-tech security features in school buildings and on school campuses.

(No Response)

2. All plans and specifications for the erection, repair, enlargement or remodeling of school buildings in any public school district in the State must be reviewed and approved by the Commissioner. Smart Schools plans with any expenditures in the High-Tech Security category require a project number from the Office of Facilities Planning. Districts must submit an SSBA LOI and receive project numbers prior to submitting the SSIP. As indicated on the LOI, some projects may be eligible for a streamlined review and will not require a building permit. Please indicate on a separate row each project number given to you by the Office of Facilities Planning.

| Project Number |  |  |
|----------------|--|--|
|                |  |  |
| (No Response)  |  |  |

3. Was your project deemed eligible for streamlined Review?

□ Yes

□ No

4. Include the name and license number of the architect or engineer of record.

| Name          | License Number |  |
|---------------|----------------|--|
| (No Response) | (No Response)  |  |

5. Please detail the type, quantity, per unit cost and total cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

| Select the allowable expenditure | Item to be purchased | Quantity      | Cost per Item | Total Cost |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|------------|
| type.                            |                      |               |               |            |
| Repeat to add another item under |                      |               |               |            |
| each type.                       |                      |               |               |            |
| (No Response)                    | (No Response)        | (No Response) | (No Response) | 0.00       |
|                                  |                      | 0             | 0.00          | 0          |

6. If you have made an allocation for High-Tech Security Features, complete this table.

Enter each Sub-category Public Allocation based on the the expenditures listed in Table #5.

| Enter cash cas satisfier a she Anosation saced on the experience noted in Table no. |                |  |  |  |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|--|--|--|
|                                                                                     | Sub-Allocation |  |  |  |
| Capital-Intensive Security Project (Standard Review)                                | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Electronic Security System                                                          | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Entry Control System                                                                | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Approved Door Hardening Project                                                     | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Other Costs                                                                         | (No Response)  |  |  |  |
| Totals:                                                                             | 0.00           |  |  |  |

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#### Smart Schools Investment Plan - Revised - Pre Kg Classroom Project

Non-Public Schools

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Describe your plan to utilize SSBA funds to purchase devices and loan to the nonpublic schools within your district. Please specify what devices have been requested by the nonpublic schools. If the nonpublic schools have not finalized requests, the district should provide the date nonpublic schools will submit the request by.

Please note: If this plan has been identified as a Remote Learning Plan to be submitted and reviewed on an expedited basis, the district should state that they will reach out to the nonpublic schools upon submission of the application, in lieu of responding to the question above.

(No Response)

- 2. A final Smart Schools Investment Plan cannot be approved until school authorities have adopted regulations specifying the date by which requests from nonpublic schools for the purchase and loan of Smart Schools Bond Act classroom technology must be received by the district.
  - ☐ By checking this box, you certify that you have such a plan and associated regulations in place that have been made public.
    - Please enter the date each year nonpublic schools must request loanable items from the school district.

      This date cannot be earlier than June 1 of the previous school year.

      (No Response)
- 3. Final 2014-15 BEDS Enrollment to calculate Nonpublic Sharing Requirement (no changes allowed.)

|            | Public Enrollment | Nonpublic Enrollment | Total Enrollment | Nonpublic Percentage |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| Enrollment | 2,822             | 1,173                | 3,995.00         | 29.36                |

4. Nonpublic Loan Calculator

|                                                           | Loanable<br>School<br>Connectivity | Loanable Classroom Technology | Additional Nonpublic Loan | Estimated Per Pupil Amount - | ,         | Cumulative Per Pupil Loan Amount | Final Per<br>Pupil Loan<br>Amount - | Final Total Loan Amount - This Plan |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
|                                                           |                                    |                               | (Optional)                | This Plan                    | Amount(s) |                                  | This Plan                           |                                     |
| Required<br>Nonpublic Loan                                | 0.00                               | 0.00                          |                           | 0.00                         | 0.00      | 0.00                             | 0.00                                | 0.00                                |
| Final Adjusted<br>Loan - (If<br>additional loan<br>funds) | 0.00                               | 0.00                          | (No<br>Response)          | 0.00                         | 0.00      | 0.00                             | 0.00                                | 0.00                                |

5. Nonpublic Share

|                                          | Final Per Pupil Amount | Final Nonpublic Loan Amount |
|------------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Pending and Previously<br>Approved Plans | 0.00                   | 0.00                        |
| This Plan                                | 0.00                   | 0.00                        |
| Total                                    | 0.00                   | 0.00                        |

6. Distribution of Nonpublic Loan Amount by School

| Nonpublic School Name         | 2018-19 K-12 Enrollment | Special Ed School? If Yes, not eligible |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| AUTISM SERVICES INC - AMHERST |                         | Yes                                     |

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Non-Public Schools

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| Nonpublic School Name               | 2018-19 K-12 Enrollment | Special Ed School? If Yes, not eligible |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------------------|
| BUFFALO ACADEMY OF THE SACRED HEART | 498                     | No                                      |
| CHC LEARNING CENTER                 | 43                      | Yes                                     |
| CHRIST THE KING SCHOOL              | 168                     | No                                      |
| (No Response)                       | (No Response)           | (No Response)                           |
| PARK SCHOOL OF BUFFALO              | 263                     | No                                      |
| ST BENEDICT SCHOOL                  | 217                     | No                                      |
| SUMMIT CENTER INC (THE)             |                         | Yes                                     |

# 7. Please detail the type, quantity and per unit cost of the eligible items under each sub-category.

| Repeat to add another item under each type.  (No Response) (No Response) (No Response) 0.00 | 10      |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
|                                                                                             |         |
| Repeat to add another item under                                                            |         |
|                                                                                             |         |
| type.                                                                                       |         |
| Select the allowable expenditure                                                            | al Cost |

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