

## State and Federal Aid Eligibility and Grant Proposals

The BOCES shall use state and federal funds to the fullest extent. Therefore, the Board authorizes the executive director to apply for such funds from the appropriate state and federal agencies, provided that none of the conditions of acceptance are inconsistent with Board policy, the objectives of the BOCES or applicable state and federal law.

The BOCES is authorized by state law to use the contributions from the participating school districts to match state, federal and other special agency funds when required for the acceptance of such matching funds.

The executive director shall keep the Board informed of available sources of state, federal and other special funds outside regular BOCES sources for the support of the BOCES and/or for the enhancement of BOCES programs.

To ensure coordination and avoid confusion in developing proposals and making application for specially funded projects, the executive director or designee shall be ultimately responsible for the preparation of proposals and their review. No grant will be approved without the review of the executive director or designee. No proposal for a grant may be submitted nor may any grant be accepted without the Board's approval.

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LEGAL REFS.: 34 C.F.R. (multiple parts) (*regarding federal grants accounting (EDGAR)*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-106 (1) (*financing from participating member districts*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-109 (*matching power*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-110 (*state and federal payments*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-114 (*eligibility for state funds*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-115 (*financing from state*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-118 (*financing of regional education and support services*)  
C.R.S. 22-5-122 (*financing for implementing and meeting state educational priorities*)  
1 CCR 301-89 (*rules for administration of funding assistance to BOCES in implementing and meeting state educational priorities*)