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January 2, 2024

**ORDERED:**

That Superintendent's Recommendation #24-007, Grant Award, be adopted as follows: that the School Committee accept and approve the increased grant award below in the amount and for the period indicated:

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Part B (IDEA) Federal Targeted Special Education Program Improvement Grant (SC24674) from Federal through State in the amount of \$63,507.00 for the period of December 10, 2023 to September 30, 2024.

Description: This federal entitlement program provides funding to support schools and districts to implement the IEP Improvement Project, with a strong emphasis on transitioning to the utilization of newly revised IEP forms and processes. Funds will support:

- Training and professional development for CPS staff on the new IEP form and processes;
- Stipends for staff trained as trainers to provide instruction and support to other staff in the transition to the new IEP;
- Professional learning in the use of an updated web-based IEP creation tool from our current IEP software provider.

A true copy:

Attest:

Ariel B. Kennebrew  
Executive Secretary to the Cambridge School Committee

c: Superintendent