

**Agenda Item Details**

Meeting	Mar 27, 2017 - BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
Category	H. Action Items
Subject	14. Smart Schools Investment Plan (SSIP)
Type	Action, Resolution
Recommended Action	<p>WHEREAS, The Smart Schools Bond Act (the "Act") was passed as part of the 2014-15 enacted state budget and was approved by voter referendum during the 2014 general election; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the Act authorizes New York State to issue \$2 billion in general obligation bonds to finance improved educational technology and infrastructure projects for public schools; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the District was allocated \$1,076,116 to finance improved educational technology and infrastructure projects in the District; and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the monies allocated are paid out as refunds to the District upon expenditure of funds under an approved Smart Schools Investment Plan ("SSIP"); and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the District, pursuant to its allocation of funds through the Act, has developed a preliminary SSIP to expend \$734,887 for Safety and Security, and \$305,029 for Switches and Wireless Access Points, and \$36,200 for Classroom Devices; for a total expenditure of \$1,076,116 and</p> <p>WHEREAS, the Board of Education has reviewed the preliminary SSIP and determined that approval of the preliminary SSIP is in the best interest of the District.</p> <p>NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the proposed preliminary Smart Schools Investment Plan to expend \$734,029 for Safety and Security, \$305,029 for Switches and Wireless Access Points, and \$36,200 for Classroom Devices totaling \$1,076,116 as more fully described in the District Plan is hereby approved.</p>