## CAMBRIDGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

159 Thorndike Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts 02141



August 2, 2016

TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE:

GRANT AWARD:

**FY17 Popplestone Foundation (SC17695)** 

RECOMMENDATION:

That the School Committee accept and approve the grant award below in

the amount and for the period indicated.

Amount:

\$269,348.00

Period:

7/1/2016 - 6/30/2017

Source:

Private

Administrator:

Susan Holm

Expense Category	FY16 Budget	FY16 FTE	FY17 Budget	FY17 FTE
Permanent Salaries & Benefits	\$268,891.79	2.6	\$268,898.00	2.4
Temporary Salaries	N=			
Other Expenses	\$800.00		\$450.00	
Total	\$269,691.79	2.6	\$269,348.00	2.4

## Description:

This foundation grant will continue to support the salary of 2.0 full-time music teachers in grades K-2 at the Peabody School and the Fletcher-Maynard Academy, as well as contribute funding for 0.4 of a 1.0 teacher FTE at the Tobin School. Funds will also be used to purchase sheet music and other instructional materials necessary to implement the program.

SUPPORTING DATA:

RULES OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE: Chapter III, Section 19, Acceptance of Grants for Expenditure. Pursuant to the provisions of M.G.L.c.44 & 53A, the Superintendent or his/her designee may submit applications for grants or gifts from federal, state, charitable foundation, private corporation or individual. Grant or gift awards for educational purposes must be submitted to the School Committee for acceptance and approval prior to expenditure.

Respectfully submitted,

Kenneth N. Salim, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools