

Overcrowding Relief Grant Funding

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An item was approved at the August 4, 2010 State Allocation Board meeting to grant unfunded approvals for 20 Overcrowding Relief Grant (ORG) Program projects with a State share totaling nearly \$118 million. This funding will contribute to the replacement of 266 portable classrooms with permanent facilities in six school districts.

In addition, 11 of the 20 approved ORG projects qualified for High Performance Incentive grants, representing an additional cumulative State share amount of \$1.2 million.

The Office of Public School Construction (OPSC) is currently processing applications for the sixth ORG funding cycle, which were due to the OPSC by July 30, 2010. Approximately \$450 million is available for the sixth funding cycle and any subsequent ORG funding cycles.

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