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To Whom It May Concern,

It is with great pleasure that I am writing this letter to inform you of how we would spend \$1500 if we were to receive it. Although we are a Title 1 School we have limited funding. Every year our budgets take a cut. We were very excited to find out about how we could become an Affiliated Charter School (that comes with a Block Grant) and enthusiastically wrote our proposal. Then the day before it was due found out that there would not longer be any Block Grant money for any Affiliated Charter Schools. It would have been about \$150,000.

What we are in need of now are funds to replace light bulbs on our LCD projectors and purchase 2 more document readers. The bulbs are about \$200 and we need several and document readers are about \$600. Our enrollment grew this year by two classrooms and they do not have document readers so I would like to provide them one.

I very much appreciate your making this available to my school.

Thank you.

Betsy Mayorga, Principal