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Subject: \$21 million loss?

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Dr. Livingston,

Last night you claimed that the city would lose \$21 million in federal funds if it did not align its curriculum to Common Core.

Please provide the following information on that question:

- 1) Written proof, either the law, regulation, waiver provision that such a loss would occur.
- 2) A specific accounting of the funds that would be revoked.

Also, inasmuch as the C&I Committee has voted to table the proposed curriculum guidelines, please advise as to whether or not you will proceed with implementing those guidelines in conjunction with the start of school or whether or not you will wait for them to be approved by the committee and the board itself.

If you're going to proceed with implementation, please cite the authority by which you will act in the absence of any approvals.

Thank you for your attention to these questions.

Rich