

GEER Prior Approval –
Other Capital Expenditures

Request for Prior Approval Other Capital Expenditures/Improvements funded under GEER

**\*** Denotes a required field.

# Capital Expenditures Detail

**\*LEA Name**:

**\*AUN#:**

**\*LEA Contact Information**

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|  | Name | Job Title | Email |
| **Superintendent/CEO** |  |  |  |
| **Contact Name** |  |  |  |

The above LEA is requesting prior approval for the following project to be funded in full or in part from federal grant funds as permitted in GEER.

LEAs are required to obtain prior approval for certain expenditures in accordance with Federal Uniform Guidance. See [2 CFR § 200.407](https://ecfr.federalregister.gov/current/title-2/subtitle-A/chapter-II/part-200/subpart-E/subject-group-ECFRea20080eff2ea53/section-200.407) for a list of items that require prior approval. For purposes of GEER, LEAs must obtain prior approval from PDE to use GEER funds for construction, capital expenditures (including equipment with a per-unit cost of $5,000 or more), buildings, and land. Prior approval is also required for travel and entertainment costs.

## Type of Project: Other Capital Expenditures/Improvements

**\*Describe the proposed project that is requested to be funded in full or part from federal GEER funds.** (3000 characters)

**\*Explain how the LEA has determined that the proposed project complies with the Cost Principles in 2 CFR Part 200, subpart E (e.g., the cost must be “necessary and reasonable” (2 CFR §§ 200.403-200.404) ;** (3000 characters)

**\*Please note that the burden remains on grantees and subgrantees to maintain the appropriate documentation that supports the expenditure.**

**Projected Costs by Funding Source** (Note: obligation dates are included. Each project has an additional 90 days for liquidation):

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|  | GEER I (September 30, 2022) | GEER II (September 30, 2023) | State/Local Funds |
| **Total Cost** | $ | $ | $ |

# Assurances

By reviewing and agreeing to the assurance statements below, the LEA is verifying that the approved projects:

[ ]  **\***This proposed project meets the overall purpose of the GEER program(s), which is “to prevent, prepare for, and respond to” COVID-19 as well as a specific allocable use of funds as outlined in the laws and/or guidance.

[ ]  **\***LEAs will comply with Davis-Bacon Act:

* Applicable to all federal contracts and subcontracts over $2,000 for:
	+ Construction
	+ Alteration
	+ Repairs
	+ Painting/decorating
* Rule – must pay works no less than the locally prevailing wage and fringe benefits for corresponding work in the area (Department of Labor)

[ ]  **\***If an LEA uses funds for HVAC systems, the US Education Department’s regulation at 34 CFR § 75.616(c) requires the use of American Society of Heating, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE) standards.

[ ]  **\***The LEA agrees it will comply with all other applicable federal laws and regulations.

**\***Authorized Sign-Off

The following signoff is required prior to uploading/submitting your approval form. By signing off, I understand that I have reviewed this document on behalf of my organization, intending to be legally bound thereby and attest that I am authorized to do so. Enter the name, title, date of the person signing this document.

Print Name:

Date:

Signature: