

**Elwood
Intermediate
School**

**Title I –
1003(g) – SY
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Letters of
Support**





The Hope of Our Country

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Dr. Chris Daughtry
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July 6, 2015

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this letter to express my support for the Elwood Intermediate School submission of the Title I School Improvement Grant application. Elwood Intermediate has already demonstrated growth and has a great deal of potential for further growth. The School Improvement Grant has the potential to be the boost that helps Elwood Intermediate reach their ultimate potential. I am truly excited about the opportunity to work through the Schoolwide Transformational model and see the impact that the process will have on the overall educational environment of Elwood Intermediate School. I know that a transformation to the culture of the school will ultimately impact our students and the Elwood Community.

I thank you for your consideration and look forward to hearing the results of our application.

Sincerely,

Dr. Chris Daughtry, Superintendent
Elwood Community Schools

July 7, 2015

To Whom It May Concern:

On behalf of the Elwood Classroom Teachers' Association, I am writing to communicate support for the submission of a competitive, Title I 1003(g) School Improvement Grant for Elwood Intermediate School.

The local collective bargaining unit has had an opportunity to discuss the importance of this grant with district and school leaders and we understand that the purpose of this grant is to accelerate school turnaround at Elwood Intermediate School through professional development that seeks to increase the school's leadership capacity and through the use of research-based interventions to promote academic success. We further understand that the Title I 1003(g) School Improvement Grant application has been closely aligned to the School Turnaround Principles and Student Achievement Plan for Elwood Intermediate School.

The local bargaining unit retains its right to discuss all aspects of the Title I 1003(g) School Improvement Grant, but pledges to work collaboratively with district and school leaders to implement the grant as written.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Janet Stover". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.

Janet Stover

President, Elwood Classroom Teachers Association



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To Whom It May Concern,

This is a letter of support written on behalf of the Elwood Community School Board of Trustees for the submission of the Title 1 School Improvement Grant application. The Elwood Community Schools recognizes the fact that pursuing a Schoolwide Transformation Model will place an emphasis on leadership and character development, which will ultimately impact the school culture of Elwood Intermediate School. Ultimately, that transformation in school culture is a benefit to the children of Elwood Community Schools and the Elwood Community.

We thank you for your consideration in this matter and look forward to hearing the results of our application.

Sincerely,

Mr. Bob Savage, Board President
Elwood Community Schools