



Mercer County Public Schools

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Mr. Andy Neptune, Executive Director
School Building Authority of West Virginia
2300 Kanawha Blvd, E
Charleston, WV 25311

RE: Grant Extension Request for the new Timberwood Elementary School

Dear Mr. Neptune & Members of the Authority,

The Mercer County Board of Education (MCBOE) requests an extension to the “Needs” Grant from School Building Authority of West Virginia (SBA) for the construction of the new Timberwood Elementary School that was awarded in April 2021. Our original extension request through October 31, 2024, was made prior to bidding the project and before the contractor could establish a construction schedule.

Mercer County Schools requests a ten (10) month extension on the SBA-MCBOE Needs Grant from October 31, 2024 to August 31, 2025. Based upon the contractor’s submission, the completion dates are delayed due to weather and supply chain issues.

Thank you for your patience in working with our team to find a solution that is right for the students of this area of Mercer County. If you have any additional questions, my team and I are available to help.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Edward T. Toman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Edward T. Toman
Superintendent