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Machias Savings Bank – Request for Approval to Pursue Machias Savings Bank Grant: \$12,000.00

Sumner Memorial High School and the Pathways program are requesting approval from the RSU #24 Board to pursue this grant for the purpose of creating an expanded model for the SMHS Pathways' Alternative Education Model that is sustainable, while supporting the local community work force and the student population. Funds from this grant will be used locally and reinvested into the local community. Sustainability within the program is on the radar of teachers and administrators due to the ever-changing needs of students within the program, as well as the ever-changing approaches to experiential and authentic learning that is taken by facilitators of the program itself. This is not an attempt to supplant current offerings, but supplement current programming.

Potential grant uses and the activities and programs associated with those uses are listed below:

Transportation to sites for career exploration (\$2,000.00):

Student trips to local community colleges, trade schools, and businesses.

Service clothing (\$1,000.00):

Scrubs, Welding Masks, Steel Boots, Gloves, and other associated career clothing and equipment for internships and job experiences.

Specialized instruction for trades and skills- (\$9,000.00):

Through local Adult Ed. programs, Northeastern Technical Institute, Beal College, community colleges- featuring areas in Health, Biology Research, Archeology, Welding, & Financial Literacy.

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