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**To:** School District Personnel

From: Arizona School Facilities Board Staff

**RE:** August 2019 School Facilities Board Meeting Recap

At today's August 2019 Arizona School Facilities Board meeting, the Board approved \$17.7 Million in Building Renewal Grant funding to 51 Arizona K-12 School Districts covering 112 separate projects to correct facilities deficiencies. The majority of awards were for HVAC projects, followed by roofing, and weatherization of surfaces projects.

The Board also approved 3 Adjacent Ways validations performed by SFB staff for 3 school districts.

The Board's actions provide funding needed to ensure Arizona's students have adequate facilities to foster a creative learning environment. The SFB encourages Districts to apply for BRG funding if deficiencies exist. The next Board meeting will be held on September 4, 2019.

## About the Arizona School Facilities Board

Created in 1998, the Arizona School Facilities Board (AZSFB) is a cabinet-level, state-government agency managing nearly \$300 Million in state funding appropriated for K-12 school district facilities. The 10-member board meets monthly to grant funding for new school construction and to correct deficiencies at existing school facilities. AZSFB staff is a partner and advocate for school districts in facilitating successful grant requests.