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**To:** School District Personnel

From: Arizona School Facilities Board Staff

**RE:** ADVISORY: Contact 'The Trust' in Case of Monsoon Damage

Even though the Monsoon season is winding down, there is still plenty of opportunity for significant storms to cause major damage to school district facilities in various parts of Arizona.

With this in mind, SFB staff is reminding all school districts that damage caused by weather is not eligible for Building Renewal Grant funding. Districts with weather damage should contact the <u>Arizona School Risk Retention Trust</u> (The Trust) for assistance. The Trust provides school districts with property and liability coverage which specifically includes weather-related damage.

Please contact your Liaison with any questions.

## 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.