State Of Maryland 2021 Bond Initiative Fact Sheet

1. Name Of Project						
Ivymount School, Inc						
2. Senate Sponsor	3. House Sponsor					
Feldman	Qi					
4. Jurisdiction (County or Baltimore City)	5. Requested Amount					
Montgomery County	\$400,000					
6. Purpose of Bond Initiative						
the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of HVAC-VAV boxes at the Ivymount School						
7. Matching Fund						
Requirements:	Туре:					
Grant						
8. Special Provisions						
[] Historical Easement	[X] Non-Sectarian					
9. Contact Name and Title	Contact Ph#	Email Address				
Senator Feldman		brian.feldman.district@senate.st ate.md.us				
Delegate Lily Qi						
		loppenheim@ivymount.org				
10. Description and Purpose of Organization (Limit length to visible area)						

Ivymount School, established in 1961, is a non-public special education facility located in Rockville & approved under COMAR 13A.09.10. Ivymount currently serves over 200 children & young adults w/developmental disabilities including autism & related disorders. Students receive public tuition funds under Education Articles 8-406 & 8-415. Since its inception, Ivymount has focused on meeting the needs of students for whom limited educational & therapeutic options exist. The complexity of their needs requires programs that are modeled on the integration of safe & appropriate facilities, therapeutic services, differentiated educational instruction, & the provision of tools & strategies that prepare students for independent & productive futures. The Maddux School, an Ivymount program, serves young children w/mild to moderate learning & social development challenges.

11. Description and Purpose of Project (Limit length to visible area)

Ivymount Schools building is home to Ivymount School, Maddux School, Ivymount Outreach Programs, Montgomery Child Care Association - Beverly Farms, & MOCO weekly COVID testing site. With the pandemic, the HVAC replacement project has become our top priority. As we all agree, Ivymount would like nothing better than to have our students return to some sort of in-person instruction. Ivymount has had two of our programs benefiting from inperson instruction and would like to have in-person learning for the rest of our programs. We need the tools to accomplish this. Like MCPS, we are installing censors & air filtration units in classrooms, as our current VAV boxes will not accommodate MERV 13 filters. The next stage is to replace the 20 year old VAV boxes. These boxes supply the conditioned air to the rooms. The upgrades will have long lasting effects on the ventilation in the building, helping us control the spread of viruses.

Round all amounts to the nearest \$1,000. The totals in Items 12 (Estimated Capital Costs) and 13 (Proposed Funding Sources) must match. The proposed funding sources must not include the value of real property unless an equivalent value is shown under Estimated Capital Costs.

12. Estimated Capital Costs							
Acquisition							
Design							
Construction	\$555,000						
Equipment							
Total	\$555,000						
13. Proposed Funding Sources - (List all funding sources and amounts.)							
State Bond Bill	\$400,000						
Ivymount School contribution	\$155,000						
Total	\$555,000						

14. Project Schedule (Enter a date or one of the following in each box. N/A, TBD or Complete)										
Begin Desi	ign	Comple		lete Design Beg		Segin Construction		Complete Construction		
12/15/2020)	03/3	03/31/2021			/2021		08/31/2021		
15. Total Private Funds and Pledges Raised			Pe	16. Current Numb People Served An Project Site		ually at Serve		umber of People to be ed Annually After the ct is Complete		
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18. Other	State (Capita	al Gra	ants to Re	ecipient	ts in the Past	15 Yea	urs		
Legislativ	ve Sess	sion	Ar	nount	ınt Pu			rpose		
FY21			S	\$150,000	Roof Replacement					
FY20	FY20			\$125,000	School Security Enhancements					
FY19				\$65,000	Roof	Fop Unit repla	cemen	t		
FY13			9	\$275,000	Renov	vation of Young Adult Center				
19. Legal N	Name	and A	ddre	ss of Gra	ntee	Project Add	ress (If	f Different)		
11614 Seven Locks Road Rockville, MD 2085420. Legislative District in Which Project is Located15 - Montgome										
21. Legal S		r –		-	Theck C					
Local Govt. Fo		For F	Profit		Non Profit		Federal			
[]	[]		[]		[X]	[]			
22. Grantee Legal Representative			23. If Match Includes Real Property:							
Name:	Image: Cathy Borten		en			Has An Appraisal Been Done?		Yes/No		
Phone:	Phone: 301.762.5212						No			
Address:			If Yes, List Appraisal Dates and Value							
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24. Impact of Pro	24. Impact of Project on Staffing and Operating Cost at Project Site								
Current # of Employees	Projected # of Employees	Curre	ent Operating Budget	Projec	Projected Operating Budget				
260	260	18	3000000.00	18	250000.00				
25. Ownership of Property (Info Requested by Treasurer's Office for bond purposes)									
A. Will the grantee own or lease (pick one) the property to be improved?									
B. If owned, does the grantee plan to sell within 15 years?									
C. Does the grante	hers?	No							
D. If property is o	wned by grantee any sp	pace is to	be leased, provide	e the follow	ing:				
	Lessee	Terms of Lease	Cost Covered by Lease						
	E. If property is leased by grantee - Provide the following: Name of Leaser Length of								
1	unic of Leaser	Length of Lease	Options to Renew						
Mon	atgomery County		13 years	Negotiati	ng additional 20				
26. Building Square Footage:									
Current Space G	SF		75,000						
Space to be Rend	ovated GSF								
New GSF									

27. Year of Construction of Any Structures Proposed for Renovation, Restoration or Conversion

28. Comments

The school building is in use 12 months of the year and serves a population of students with developmental disabilities and health conditions that put them at-risk for medical issues related to their respiratory systems and cross contamination of germs and viruses. As all other schools and businesses, Ivymount is actively working to secure a safe environment for our students and staff during these unprecedented times. In addition to the HVAC VAV box upgrades described above, Ivymount has invested in excess of \$400,000 in capital improvement projects to help create a COVID safe environment. Examples of these projects included a building health assessment and the upgrading to a touch free environment. All toilet fixtures, sinks, hand sanitizing stations, soap and paper towel dispensers and water coolers have been upgraded to touchless systems to assist in controlling cross contaminations. These projects, along with the investment in the air purification systems, and the HVAC/VAV replacement project are part of Ivymount's mitigation strategy to limit cross contamination of COVID, as well as other communicable diseases, and allow the students to return to a safe in-person learning environment.