



**DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES
OFFICE OF STATE PROCUREMENT
ACTION AGENDA
August 5, 2026**



SUPPLEMENTAL

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9-CGL. CAPITAL GRANTS AND LOANS

Recommendation: That the Board of Public Works enter into a grant agreement for the following grant:

Board of Directors of the Cal Ripken, Sr. Foundation Inc.

Cal Ripken Sr. Foundation (Statewide)

“For the acquisition, planning, design, construction, repair, renovation, reconstruction, site improvement, and capital equipping of science, technology, engineering, and math centers built by the Cal Ripken Sr. Foundation.

*Maryland Consolidated Capital Bond Loan of 2023 (MISC– Chapter 102, Acts of 2023) DGS Item 23-298, (SL-333-230-038) **\$600,000***

Matching Fund: No match is required.

Background:	Total Project	\$ 600,000
	23-298 (This Action)	\$ 600,000 (Non-match)
	Local Cost	\$ 0

(Prior Actions: None)

Remarks:

1. By retroactive authority, DGS is administratively correcting the grantee name and Grant name, pursuant to Section 1(3)(9)(b) and (d) of Ch 720, Acts of 2024.
2. The grant agreement explicitly allows the grantee to spend grant funds to benefit third parties insofar as such expenditures are consistent with the legislative purpose for the grant.
3. This action is in accordance with the enabling legislation and complies with the tax- exempt bond provisions of the Internal Revenue Code.
4. The grant recipient shall consult with the Maryland Historical Trust pursuant to Sections 5A-325 to 328, State Finance and Procurement Article, Annotated Code of Maryland, and convey a perpetual preservation easement pursuant to the terms of the enabling legislation.
5. Procurement/Contracts should be submitted to the Department of General Services for eligibility determination.
6. This project may include the installation of fully equipped STEM Centers in elementary schools and youth-serving organizations throughout Maryland.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

THIS ITEM WAS:

APPROVED

DISAPPROVED

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