Ms. Elsie Arntzen
State Superintendent
Office of Public Instruction
P.O. Box 202501
Helena, MT. 59620-2501

Dear Ms. Arntzen:

RE: Petition for Permission to Adopt a Resolution for a Budget Amendment

In accordance with Section 20-9-163, MCA, the Board of Trustees of Billings High School District No. 2, Yellowstone County, Montana, hereby petition for permission to adopt a resolution for a budget amendment under the provision of Section 20-9-161 (1), MCA.

As a result of an unanticipated enrollment increase, the district's budget for the high school general fund does not provide sufficient financing to properly maintain and support the district for the entire current school fiscal year. Therefore, the trustees have proclaimed a need for a budget amendment.

The district's current year enrollment count is on file with the Office of Public Instruction and was completed in accordance with the provisions of Section 20-9-311, MCA, and A.R.M. 10.20.102.

The budget amendment in the amount of $238,644.13 will affect the high school general fund budget for fiscal year 2021. The anticipated source of financing that will be utilized to fund the budget amendment is Direct State Aid (DSA).

Pursuant to A.R.M. 10.22.204(1)(a), the following amounts were appropriated within the current year final budgets of each fund affected by the enrollment increase:

	General Fund
Capital Outlay (700 object series)	$ -
Addition to Operating Reserve	$ -

Sincerely,

The 9 members of the Board of Trustees of Billings High School District No. 2, Yellowstone County, Montana.

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