

FORM A

MSHSL Foundation Application for Grant for Student Participation

Mission Statement: Founded in 2007, the Minnesota State High School League Foundation is a nonprofit association, serving both public and private schools, created to complement the Minnesota State High School League by providing support for Minnesota's high school youth to participate in athletics and fine arts. Minnesota State High School League Foundation's goals are to promote the growth of high school students through participation in valuable extra-curricular activities.

Awarding of Grants: The primary goal of the Foundation will be to award grants that assist, recognize, promote, and fund extra-curricular participation by high school students in athletic and fine arts programs. These grants will be awarded based upon gender balance, school size and geographic location to the extent possible.

The Minnesota State High School League Foundation Board of Directors has determined that the number of Free and reduced lunch students in grades 9-12 will be used for classification purposes. The MSHSL Foundation wants to encourage each school to seek students whose family income may be limited and encourage them to participate in athletic and fine arts programs in each school community and to recognize the role you play in this endeavor and to assist you in your continued efforts to engage more students.

Please complete the following steps as identified in the FORM A WORKSHEET found on the reverse side of this form.

1. List the number of free/reduced lunch students identified in your schools' **October 1, 2014** report to the Department of Education.

| | | |
|-----------|-----------|--|
| Grade 9: | <u>20</u> | |
| Grade 10: | <u>19</u> | |
| Grade 11: | <u>14</u> | |
| Grade 12: | <u>14</u> | |
| | | TOTAL 67 |

2. Identify the total **UNDUPLICATED** number of free or reduced lunch students who participated in your schools' activity programs during the 2014-2015 school year.

55

TOTAL UNDUPLICATED COUNT

3. Attach an original MSHSL FOUNDATION RESOLUTION to this document and mail both items to:

MSHSL Foundation
2100 Freeway Blvd.
Brooklyn Center, MN 55430

OR

Email both documents to ljohnson@mshsl.org

4. All documentation **MUST** be submitted by email or postmarked **NO LATER** than November 1, 2015.

Name of School: Rush City Schools Federal Tax ID # 41-6008251

Street Address: 51001 Fairfield Ave.

City, State, Zip: Rush City, MN 55069

Lee Hood

Name of Person Completing this Form

Name of School Superintendent

Lee Hood

Signature

Signature

FORM A

RESOLUTION OF SCHOOL BOARD SUPPORTING FORM A APPLICATION TO MINNESOTA STATE HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE FOUNDATION

WHEREAS, the Minnesota State High School League Foundation was formed to provide support for Minnesota's high school youth to participate in athletics and fine arts;

WHEREAS, the District _____ School Board recognizes the value of students participation in extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, the MSHSL Foundation is offering grants and funding to assist school district in recognizing, promoting and funding extracurricular participation by high school students in athletic and fine arts programs.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the _____ School Board supports the District's application to the Minnesota State High School League Foundation for a FORM A grant to offset student activity fees.

Date

Board Chair

Date

Board Clerk - Treasurer