MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, is entered into this 11th day of May, 2006, by and between the State of Illinois, acting through the Illinois State Board of Education and hereinafter called the "State" and Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19.

WITNESSETH

WHEREAS, the State has the duty to provide for the health, safety, and welfare of its residents, and

WHEREAS, the Illinois State Board of Education sets educational policies and guidelines for public and private schools, preschool through grade 12, as well as vocational education, and analyzes the aims, needs, and requirements of education and recommends legislation to the General Assembly and Governor for the benefit of the more than 2 million school children in Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19 provides proper after school care or extra-curricular activities that are critical elements to childhood development; and

WHEREAS, the parties shall enter into a grant or award agreement, subject to compliance with all applicable State law and necessary certifications, on the basis of the following terms, among others:

The State agrees:

1. To provide Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19 a total of $30,000 for after school and extracurricular programming.

The Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19 agrees:

2. To meet all duties and obligations imposed by state law respecting nonfederal-aid projects;

3. To promptly pay all contractors engaged in projects undertaken pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding; and

4. To assume the responsibility for the funded services.

The parties mutually agree:

5. That, with respect to the State funding, project initiation will be the responsibility of Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19 and is to be coordinated with the State.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, State and the Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19 caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed by their authorized representatives on the 16 day of May, 2006.

FOR ALDEN-HEBRON COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT 19

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Kurt Stahr
Superintendent
Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated School District 19

FOR THE STATE

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Dr. Randy Dannah
State Superintendent
Illinois State Board of Education