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Senator Rev. Rubén Díaz Announces \$3 Million in Capital Grants

Bronx, NY - State Senator Rev. Rubén Díaz (SD 32) today announced the availability of over \$3 million in capital grants to twenty organizations in his district.

“I am proud to announce these much-needed grants,” stated Senator Díaz. “The organizations that will receive these capital funds provide extremely important services to the community. These grants will improve services, and ultimately, the beneficiaries are the people who live in the 32nd Senatorial District,” concluded Senator Díaz.

Four organizations that have been awarded \$500,000 have already received three-way approval (Senate, Assembly and the division of the Budget) for their respective grants. They are:

The Children’s Aid Society Richard Buery, President/CEO 105 East 22 nd Street New York, NY 10010	\$100,000	Media Equipment and Installation Wiring and Electrical Work
NYC Board of Education P.S. 5/Port Morris School Mary Padilla, Principal 564 Jackson Avenue Bronx, NY 10455	\$100,000	Technological and Audio Visual Equipment and Stage Curtains
Urban Health Plan Paloma Hernandez, CEO 1065 Southern Boulevard Bronx, NY 10459	\$150,000	Construction of a LEED Certified Diagnostic and Treatment Center
Youth Ministries for Peace and Justice David R. Shuffler, Executive Director 1384 Stratford Avenue Bronx, NY 10472	\$150,000	Construction of a Community Facility

The remaining organizations have been notified that they will receive funding once their paperwork is complete. Senator Díaz has indicated that he has reached out to these groups to assist them in this process.

<p>The Children’s Aid Society Richard Buery, President/CEO 105 East 22nd Street New York, NY 10010</p>	<p>\$100,000</p>	<p>Purchase of Electronic Health Records System; Construction of a Children’s Play Room</p>
<p>Hyde Leadership Charter School Elizabeth Olney, Principal 730 Bryant Avenue Bronx, NY 10474</p>	<p>\$198,500</p>	<p>Technology Equipment</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education P.S. 75/Spotlight on Excellence Arrieta Cruz/Principal 984 Faile Street Bronx, NY 10459</p>	<p>\$245,000</p>	<p>Renovations to the School Library</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education P.S. 100/Isaac Clason School Chad Altman/Principal 800 Taylor Avenue Bronx, NY 10473</p>	<p>\$117,000</p>	<p>Upgrades to Air Conditioning</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education P.S. 5/Port Morris School Mary Padilla, Principal 564 Jackson Avenue Bronx, NY 10455</p>	<p>\$115,000</p>	<p>Upgrades to the Playground and Equipment</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education P.S. 69 Sheila Durant/Principal 560 Thieriot Avenue Bronx, NY 10473</p>	<p>\$226,000</p>	<p>Installation of Electrical Wiring</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education East Bronx Academy for the Future Sarah Scrogin/ Principal 1716 Southern Boulevard Bronx, NY 10460</p>	<p>\$300,000</p>	<p>Purchase of Computers and Equipment</p>
<p>NYC Board of Education Academy for Career of Living Skills Caron Martin/Principal 1434 Longfellow Avenue Bronx, NY 10459</p>	<p>\$200,000</p>	<p>Purchase of Equipment</p>
<p>Per Scholas, Inc. Plinio Ayala/President (CEO) 804 East 138th Street</p>	<p>\$250,000</p>	<p>Renovations to the Facility</p>

Bronx, NY 10454

NYC Board of Education
Banana Kelly High School
Joshua Laub/Principal
965 Longwood Avenue
Bronx, NY 10459

\$1,000,000 Construction of a Gymnasium

NYC Board of Education
P.S. 107
Pamela Lee/Principal
1695 Seward Avenue
Bronx, NY 10473

\$27,400 Installation of a Science Lab

NYC Board of Education
M.S. 302
Angel Rodriguez/Principal
681 Kelly Street
Bronx, NY 10455

\$24,100 Purchase and Installation of Bleachers and
Gymnasium

NYC Board of Education
Fannie Lou Hamer Freedom School
Nancy Mann/Principal
1021 Jennings Street
Bronx, NY 10460

\$50,000 Construction of an Outdoor Classroom

NYC Board of Education
Felisa Rincon de Gautier
Institute for Law and Public Policy
Grismaldy Laboy/Principal
1440 Story Avenue
Bronx, NY 10473

\$50,000 Purchase of Bicycle Equipment

NYC Board of Education
Pelham Preparatory Academy
Jane Aronoff/Principal
925 Astor Avenue
Bronx, NY 10469

\$50,000 Installation of Wiring for Air Conditioning

NY Metro Hawks
Hakiem A. Yahmadi/CEO
P.O. Box 139
New York, NY 10031

\$75,000 Purchase of a Passenger Van

Regional Aid for Interim Needs, Inc.
R.A.I.N. Boston Road Senior Center
2424 Boston Road/Director
Bronx, NY 10467

\$50,000 Purchase of a Van

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