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Good afternoon,

My name is Megan Goll and I am the President of The Goll Group, LLC. We provide professional development to schools and universities across the nation; specifically regarding the use of technology in schools.

I have had the pleasure of working with Southern Local Schools for the past two years, providing multiple professional development sessions both to their high school and elementary school. During this time, I realized just how dedicated the staff, and especially Principal Saunders, is to integrating technology into every facet of their learning program.

The school plans to use the grant money to fund a 1 to 1 initiative with Chrome Books. They are also planning on purchasing curriculum in all four of the main content areas. I believe that Southern Local is committed to providing a 21st century learning environment. Working closely with this school has inspired me as an educator because the immense pride they take in sharing technology with their students is contagious. As we know, technology is vital to pushing our students to the next level, especially in areas where it is not readily available. But, more than that, the school also needs dedicated staff to make the technology integration possible. Southern Local meets all of that criteria.

If Southern Local receives this grant, it will provide students a better future. The math classes are already implementing a 1 to 1 program and are having much success. If grades 7 through 12 were able to obtain Chrome Books and all students could use them in the 4 core classes, I have no doubt that they would not only meet, but exceed, school and state goals.

Sincerely yours,

Megan Goll

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