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May 20, 2016

Chris Downing, Superintendent  
 RSU 20  
 6 Mortland Road  
 Searsport, ME 04974

Dear Superintendent Downing,

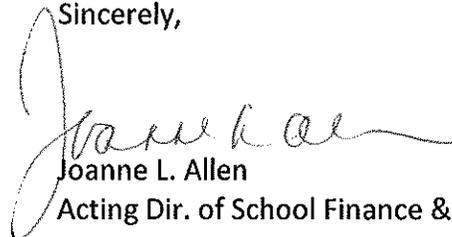
Congratulations, the Initial Application for Gifted and Talented Educational Program Approval and Approval of Program Costs for State Subsidy (form EF-S-206) submitted by RSU 20 has been approved for the 2015-16 school year. The application was reviewed pursuant to M.R.S.A. Title 20-A, Chapter 311 and Maine Department of Education (05-071) Rules Chapter 104, and the approval is based on the expectation that the program is fully implemented in grades K-12 in all required content areas.

The approved program budget with any adjustments is noted below. Adjustments may be costs that are not allowable based on the information provided in your application. All expenditures must be reported to the MEDMS financial system and only allowable costs are permitted to be included for subsidy calculations.

Elementary	\$ 20,988.00
Secondary	\$ 20,738.00
Total	\$ 41,726.00

Thank you for your continued effort and support of Maine's students.

Sincerely,



Joanne L. Allen  
 Acting Dir. of School Finance & Operations

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cc: Ann McClellan  
 Lee Worcester, Gifted and Talented Consultant