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Dear Encino Neighborhood Council,

I am writing on behalf of the Academy for Enriched Sciences Elementary Magnet (AES) to express our deep appreciation for your consideration of our grant application. We are seeking funds to host a Family STEM Night at our school in partnership with Impossible Science, an organization renowned for blending scientific principles with the intrigue of illusion to make learning both engaging and accessible.

Our school is committed to providing a dynamic, project-based learning environment that nurtures creativity, critical thinking, and collaboration. The STEM Night, facilitated by Impossible Science, will serve as a cornerstone event in our efforts to inspire our students and their families. By transforming science into an exciting and tangible experience, this event will spark curiosity and a passion for learning, particularly in STEM fields that are vital to future success.

The grant funds will be directly used to cover the costs associated with bringing Impossible Science to our school, including materials for hands-on activities, interactive demonstrations, and other resources that will make the event a memorable and educational experience for all attendees. This initiative will not only benefit our students but will also extend to the broader community by offering a free, inclusive, open-to-the-public event that promotes educational equity and fosters a lifelong love of learning.

The impact of this event will resonate far beyond the night itself. By encouraging our students to engage with STEM subjects in a fun and supportive environment, we aim to lay the foundation for future academic and professional success. This investment in our students' education will also contribute to the social and economic well-being of our community, as we prepare the next generation of innovators and problem solvers.

Thank you for your consideration of our proposal. We believe that with your support, the Family STEM Night will be an extraordinary opportunity for our school and community to come together in the pursuit of knowledge and discovery.

Sincerely,

Amy Petry

Amy Petry Principal Academy for Enriched Sciences Elementary Magnet