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Interest meetings were held on March 11 and March 25, 2014 to determine the interest level in starting tennis, swimming, and bass fishing teams for females at Breckinridge County High School. The numbers of those in attendance are as follows:

March 11

March 25

Tennis

3 students

15 Students, 3 Parents

Swimming Bass Fishing 0 Students 0 Students 2 Students, 1 Parent 9 Students, 3 Parents

At this time, these numbers do not indicate a viable interest to create female swimming and bass fishing teams.

There are sufficient numbers for a female tennis team. However, the nearest usable tennis courts are located 20 miles from BCHS and the furthest we transport students to off-site facilities is approximately two miles. At this time, the district is unable to construct tennis courts either on district property or any nearby community lands. (See attached letter) Because of this, the creation of female tennis team is not feasible at this time. Interest meetings will be held during the 2014-2015 school year to gauge the interest in this area.

Respectfully,

Dale Butler

Breckinridge County District Title IX Coordinator

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Assistant Commissioner Darren Bilberry 2280 Executive Drive Lexington, KY 40505

Commissioner Bilberry,

The purpose of this letter is to regretfully inform the KHSAA that the Breckinridge County School District is unable to pursue the creation of tennis courts on district property or the renovation of courts located at the Kentucky Leadership Center in Hardinsburg, KY. We are currently constructing a multi-purpose facility at a cost of \$630,643, which will benefit the following teams and programs: baseball, softball, volleyball, archery, dance, and cheer.

In addition, the district currently has two schools ranked in the top ten poorest facilities as identified in the Parsons' MGT Report created for the Kentucky General Assembly in November of 2011. The total cost of these two schools is estimated at \$30 million and our current bonding capacity is approximately \$11 million.

Creating opportunities for our students is always a priority in our district and we will continue to assess the feasibility of locating a nearby facility which allows the creation of a tennis program.

Respectfully,

Janet L. Meeks

Superintendent of Schools