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Project Number

377-A

Project Title

Youth Initiatives
Kuspuk School District

Performance Period

April 7, 2008 to June 30, 2009

Commission Amount

\$23,000

Match Source (s)

Kuspuk School District

Match Amount

\$41,314

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MILESTONES

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