

To: President, Samata Senate

Date: 4/27/2025

Subject: Recommendation of Final Grant Proposals for Funding Approval

Dear President,

On behalf of the Samata Grant Committee, I am pleased to forward our final recommendations for grant funding consideration. After a thorough evaluation process guided by our established selection criteria and scoring methodology, two proposals emerged as the top candidates:

1. **Bal Bikash School**, Bajhang (Karnali Province)
2. **Laxmi Pratisthan**, Kavre (Bagmati Province)

The original proposed budgets are NPR 400,000 for Bal Bikash School and NPR 600,000 for Laxmi Pratisthan, totaling approximately NPR 1,000,000 (around USD 7,200). However, this amount can be optimized and reduced to **USD 6,200**, with the following allocation:

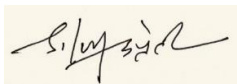
Laxmi Pratisthan – USD 3,400

Bal Bikash School – USD 2,800

We recommend supporting both organizations with this adjusted grant amount. These proposals align well with our mission and promise a strong comparative impact. We propose presenting this recommendation at the forth coming Executive Board meeting.

Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to your feedback and endorsement.

Best regards,



Prof. Gopi Upreti

Chair, Samata Grant Committee

Mr. Gopendra Bhattarai (member)

Mr. Thakur Gyawali (member)

Dr. Bishnu Joshi (member secretary)