

School Operations
Eddie T. Pearson, Deputy Superintendent

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A DONATION FROM
SCHOOLFIRST FOUNDATION, INC.**

SchoolFirst Foundation, Inc. is committed to setting the standard for effective integration of technology in schools. Their goal is to provide selected K-12 schools with access to technology and teaching resources that clearly improve the learning environment. The foundation wishes to donate equipment and staff development to Biscayne Elementary School. This equipment will be utilized for digitizing video and delivering it to classrooms at Biscayne Elementary School.

SchoolFirst Foundation, Inc. with support from its contributors, will implement at the school a turnkey information delivery system combined comprehensive technical and professional development services. The information delivery system bundles together powerful learning tools with advanced control technology to benefit students, educators, administrators, and the community.

The President and Executive Director of SchoolFirst Foundation, Inc. is Mr. Christopher Curran, and Mr. Robert Harvey is the Chairman.

Authorization is requested to accept this donation from SchoolFirst Foundation, Inc., for Biscayne Elementary School.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, accept a donation from SchoolFirst Foundation, Inc., for Biscayne Elementary School.

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