

Joseph H. Mathos, Deputy Superintendent
Education

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH THE DADE MARINE INSTITUTE IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AT A COST NOT TO EXCEED \$412,814, FOR THE 2000 SUMMER SESSION AND THE 2000-2001 SCHOOL YEAR

In compliance with Section 230.23 (4)(c), and (j), Florida Statutes, Miami-Dade County Public Schools Bureau of Adult/Vocational, Alternative and Dropout Prevention Programs and the Dade Marine Institute, a nonprofit organization in Miami-Dade County, Florida, have developed a contractual agreement providing educational and related services for school-age students. These students will be eligible for funding through the Florida Education Finance Program (FEFP). The summer program will be provided through the Supplemental Academic Instruction Program. This program is funded yearly at 95 percent of the earned FTE. Supervision of these programs will be provided by the principal of the Educational Alternative Outreach Program.

The Dade Marine Institute serves 94 delinquent youths, ages 14-19, who have been assigned by the Juvenile Court. Educational services will be provided for the 2000 summer session and the 2000-2001 school year at two campuses: north, 2701 NE 151 Street, North Miami, and south, 820 Arthur Lamb Road, Key Biscayne. The total cost for the program will not exceed \$412,814.

The appropriation for this item will be included in the 2000-2001 Tentative Budget to be recommended for adoption in July 2000 under Fund 0100, Function 5104, Program 6040, Object 5310, Locations 8017/8014.

Mr. Erik Hall is the director of the Dade Marine Institute.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contractual agreement with the Dade Marine Institute, in an amount not to exceed \$412,814, for the 2000 Summer Session and the 2000-2001 School Year.

The appropriation for this item will be included in the 2000-2001 Tentative Budget to be recommended for adoption in July 2000.

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