

Alberto M. Carvalho, Associate Superintendent
Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, Grants, Marketing, and Community Services

SUBJECT: REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A GRANT AWARD FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (FLDOE) FOR FUNDING UNDER THE NO CHILD LEFT BEHIND ACT OF 2001, TITLE X, PART A, EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN AND YOUTH PROGRAM

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN: IMPROVE RETURN ON INVESTMENT OF GRANT DOLLARS

Authorization is requested to accept a grant award from the Florida Department of Education (FLDOE), in the approximate amount of \$120,000, under the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Title X, Part A, Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program (Stewart B. McKinney-Bruce Vento Homeless Assistance Act), for the grant period of July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2009. The goal of the program is to provide supplemental funding for school districts to ensure that homeless children and youth have equal access to the appropriate public education as provided to other children and youth. This grant is managed by the Division of Student Services and supports the District's goal to ensure achievement of high academic standards by all students.

This grant partially supports Project Up-Start which is in its 14th year of operation in Miami-Dade County Public Schools. Project Up-Start, funded through Title X and Title I funds, serves homeless children and youth by ensuring that they are furnished with an after-school tutorial program. Tutoring is available at 14 shelters throughout Miami-Dade County.

The project coordinator, funded through Title X funds, oversees districtwide services, such as school placement and registration, and provides homeless awareness activities for students, school-based personnel, and community groups. Title I supports this project by providing funds for hourly tutors and educational materials. In addition, Miami-Dade Transit Agency provides an in-kind contribution in the amount of \$10,000, to supplement transportation services.

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No matching funds are required as a condition to receive the grant funding. Grant funds provide for a full-time social worker, who serves as project coordinator, a data entry specialist who maintains and inputs student data and records, hourly tutors, and supplies.

Official notification of this grant award was received on May 1, 2008.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to:

1. accept a grant award from the Florida Department of Education (FLDOE) for funding under the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Title X, Part A, Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program, in the approximate amount of \$120,000, for the grant period of July 1, 2008, through June 30, 2009;
2. extend this program as authorized through official notification from the granting agency in order to complete the goals of the program;
3. retain funds from the grant in an amount not to exceed the annually negotiated indirect cost rate, as allowed and approved by the FLDOE; and
4. direct Financial Operations to establish appropriations in the amounts approved or as amended by the granting agency; such appropriations to be reported periodically to the Board.

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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BUDGET SUMMARY FORM



Yes
 No Are there any in-kind or matching funds required?
 Entitlement Grant
 Non-Entitlement/Contract

GRANT/PROGRAM NAME: Title X Part C Education for Homeless Children and Youth - Project Up-Start

Grant Period Beginning July 1, 2008 (Date) Ending June 30, 2009 (Date)

FUNCTION	Total Budget	Salaries (51XX)	Employee Benefits (52XX)	Purchased Services (53XX)	Energy Services (54XX)	Materials and Supplies (55XX)	Capital Outlay (56XX)	Other Expense (57XX)
INSTRUCTION SERVICES:								
SUPPORT SERVICES:								
5000 Pupil Personnel Services	1,994.00	1,655.00	339.00					
6100 Instructional Media Services	113,680.00	84,593.00	29,087.00					
6200 Instruction & Curriculum Development								
6300 Instructional Staff Training								
6400 Board of Education								
7100 General Administration								
7200 School Administration	4,326.00*							4,326.00*
7300 Facilities Acquisitions & Construction								
7400 Fiscal Services								
7500 Food Services								
7600 Concessions								
7700 Transportation Services								
7800 Operation of Plant								
7900 Maintenance of Plant								
8100 Community Services								
9100 Debt								
9200								
TOTAL INSTRUCTION AND SUPPORT SERVICES	120,000.00	86,248.00	29,426.00					4,326.00

*Includes Federal Indirect Costs of \$4,326.00

Submitted for Board Approval/Authorization:

Reviewed By: *[Signature]*
 Division of Budget

Agenda Item C-84 Board Meeting of June 18, 2008 (Date)
 (Number)

C-84 Attachment

Project Upstart Sites Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program

Camillus South Dade Transitional
12360 SW 283 Street
Homestead, FL 33032
Ph: 305 258-4777 Fax: 305 258-4957
Contact Person: Peggy Brooks

Emergency Housing Center-North
2301 SW 54 Street
Miami, FL 33142
Ph: 305 638-6001 Fax: 305 638-5608
Contact Person: Sheryl Hutchins

Emergency Housing Center-South
825 W. Palm Drive, Unit 21
Florida City, FL 33034
Ph: 305 245-5011 Fax: 305 242-7908
Contact Person: Dorothy Lowe

Homeless Assistance Center-1
1550 North Miami Avenue
Miami, FL 33132
Tel: 305 329-3000 Fax: 305 329-3051
Contact Person: Margie Butler-Pugh
Ph: 305 329-3025

Homeless Assistance Center-2
28205 SW 125 Avenue
Homestead, FL 33033
Ph: 305 416-7192 Fax: 305 416-7165
Contact Person: Dan Koger

Inn Transition North
13030 NE 6 Ave.
North Miami, FL 33261
Ph: 305 899-4601 Fax: 305 899-4615
Contact Person: Joyce Henry

Inn Transition South
11950 SW 202 Street, Unit 131
Miami, FL 33177
Tel: 786 293-3394 Fax: 305 969-4504
Contact Person: Earnestine Davis

Miami Bridge-Central
2810 NW South River Drive
Miami, FL 33125
Ph: 305 635-8953 Fax: 305 636-3521
Contact Person: Joan Shaw-Davis

Miami Rescue Mission Activity Center
2020 NW 1st Avenue
Miami, FL 33127
Ph: 305 572-2066 Fax: 305 571-2253
Contact Person: Terri Ramos (305 571-2226)

New Life Family Center
3620 NW 1st Avenue
Miami, FL 33127
Ph: 305 573-3333 Fax: 305 576-5111
Contact Person: Wilton Escarmant

Safe Space North
7831 NE Miami Ct.
Miami, FL 33138
Ph: 305 758-2546 Fax: 305 756-1347
Contact Person: Paula Owens

Safe Space South
51 Mowery Dr.
Homestead, FL 33033
Ph: 305 247-4249 Fax: 305 245-1299
Contact Person: Winifred Fountain

Salvation Army
1907 NW 38 Street
Miami, FL 33161
Ph: 305 637-6720 Fax: 305 635-1123
Contact Person: Michelle Inannuzzi

Sommerville Residence (Camillus North)
400 NW 3 Court
Miami, FL 33128
Ph: 786 425-0552 Fax: 786 425-9526
Contact Person: Alicia C. Simpson