

Richmond-Perrine Optimist Club, Inc., is a Community-Based Organization that provides alternative education for "At-Risk" students who need to continue their education. Richmond-Perrine served, on average, 60 students and reported \$352,000 in revenues. The agency has provided us with this program for several years, under contracts approved by the School Board.

The independent auditors reported in their unqualified opinion that the financial statements of this organization were fairly stated. The School Board Audit Committee reviewed the financial statements at its January 27, 2009 meeting, and recommended forwarding them to the School Board.

The statements may be viewed at [http://mca.dadeschools.net/CBO Charter 0809.asp](http://mca.dadeschools.net/CBO_Charter_0809.asp) or can be found on the accompanying compact disk (CD). CD copies of the financial statements were placed on file in the Office of the Recording Secretary to the School Board and in the Citizen Information Center. Additional copies will be provided upon request.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, receive and file the Audited Financial Statements for Twenty-eight Charter Schools listed above and One Community-Based Organization, Richmond-Perrine Optimist Club, Inc., for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2008.