

Freddie Woodson, Deputy Superintendent  
District/School Operations

**SUBJECT:                   REQUEST AUTHORIZATION FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF A MCDONNELL DOUGLAS, DC-9-82 AIRCRAFT FROM AMERICAN AIRLINES, VALUED AT \$6,000,000 TO BE UTILIZED TO ENHANCE TRAINING IN THE AVIATION MAINTENANCE AND AVIONICS PROGRAMS AT GEORGE T. BAKER AVIATION SCHOOL**

**COMMITTEE:               INSTRUCTIONAL   EXCELLENCE    AND   COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN:   IMPROVE AND EXPAND CURRENT CURRICULUM**

George T. Baker Aviation School was recently chosen to receive a McDonnell Douglas, DC-9-82 (MD-82), Aircraft, Serial Number 49181, from American Airlines. The aircraft is valued at \$6,000,000. If accepted, a letter of appreciation will be sent to the donor.

The donation will be utilized to upgrade and enhance students' skills in the Aviation Maintenance and Avionics training programs.

No local funds are required.

**RECOMMENDED:**       That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to accept a donation of a McDonnell Douglas, DC-9-82 (MD-82) aircraft from American Airlines valued at \$6,000,000, to be utilized to enhance training in the Aviation Maintenance and Avionics programs at George T. Baker Aviation School.

No local funds are required.

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