School Operations Eddie T. Pearson, Deputy Superintendent

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ACCEPT A DONATION OF AUTOMATED ELECTRONIC DEFIBRILLATORS FROM ARVIDA REALTY SERVICES

Arvida Realty Services wishes to donate automated electronic defibrillators (AED) to selected senior high schools, and Miami-Dade County Public Schools will solicit funds from agencies and corporations to provide AED's at the other senior high schools. The AED's will be used by the athletic trainers and other trained staff members for sudden cardiac arrest incidents.

Arvida Realty Services, in collaboration with the American Heart Association, will provide the required training for certified cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) instructors and the AED training for the selected staff at the high schools.

Authorization is requested to accept this donation, and to solicit funding from agencies and corporations to provide AED's at the other senior high schools in the district.

If accepted, a formal letter of appreciation will be forwarded to the Arvida Realty Services and the American Heart Association.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, accept a donation of eight automated electronic defibrillators (AED) from Arvida

Realty Services for selected senior high schools, and authorize solicitation of funds from agencies and corporations to provide AED's

for all senior high schools in the district.

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