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Office of Intergovernmental Affairs, Grants Administration, and Community Services

**SUBJECT:       REQUEST AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENT WITH THE DORAL GOLF RESORT & SPA TO PROVIDE SERVICES RELATED TO THE 2010 FRANCISCO R. WALKER MIAMI-DADE COUNTY DISTRICT TEACHER OF THE YEAR RECOGNITION CEREMONY**

**COMMITTEE:   INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT STRATEGIC PLAN:       RECRUIT, DEVELOP AND RETAIN HIGH-PERFORMING, DIVERSE, AND MOTIVATED FACULTY AND STAFF**

Authorization is requested to enter into a contractual agreement in an amount not to exceed \$55,000, with the Doral Golf Resort & Spa to provide services related to the District 2010 Francisco R. Walker Miami-Dade County District Teacher of the Year Recognition Ceremony on February 17, 2009. The recognition ceremony provides an opportunity to honor the Teacher of the Year finalist from each Regional Center and to present the award to the District Teacher of the Year. This year, for the first time, the District and United Teachers of Dade have agreed to incorporate the recognition of the Rookie Teacher of the Year finalist from each of the Regional Centers. The cost of the evening event will be covered by proceeds from tickets sold to participants. Approximately 1,000 participants are expected to attend the event.

The event is managed by the Office of Community Services. The Trust & Agency budget structure for the event is as follows: Fund 0491; Location 9619; Program 9135; Object 5390; and Function 9100. There is no cost to the District.

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**RECOMMENDED:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent to enter into a contractual agreement with the Doral Golf Resort & Spa to provide services related to the 2010 Francisco R. Walker Miami-Dade County District Teacher of the Year Recognition Ceremony on February 17, 2009, in an amount not to exceed \$55,000.

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