Financial Services Richard H. Hinds, Chief Financial Officer

SUBJECT:

APPROVAL OF **MEMORANDUM** REQUEST FOR UNDERSTANDING (MOU) MODIFYING PROVISIONS OF THE LABOR CONTRACT BETWEEN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS (M-DCPS) AND THE UNITED TEACHERS OF DADE (UTD) RELATING TO A CHANGE IN WORK YEAR FOR PARAPROFESSIONALS/SCHOOL 12-MONTH SUPPORT

PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EMPLOYEES

COMMITTEE:

SCHOOL SUPPORT ACCOUNTABILITY

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN: NEGOTIATE AND DEVELOP CONTRACTS WITH EACH

BARGAINING UNIT

M-DCPS and UTD have agreed to modify Articles XIV, Leaves/Vacation/Temporary Duty, Article XVII, Paraprofessional/Associate Educator/School Support Personnel and Article XVIII, Office Employees of the M-DCPS/UTD labor contract authorizing implementation of a 12-month (250-day) work year, including holidays, for Paraprofessionals/School Support Personnel and Office Employees currently on a 12-month (260-day) work year.

The parties have further agreed to the attached Memorandum of Understanding authorizing implementation of the modified contract provisions as stated above.

RECOMMENDED:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the attached M-DCPS/UTD Memorandum of Understanding authorizing a 250-day work year, including holidays, for 12-month Paraprofessionals/School Support

Personnel and Office Employees.

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING Contract Modification/Implementation

Pursuant to the current labor contract between Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) and the United Teachers of Dade (UTD), the Superintendent of Schools (or designee) and the UTD President (or designee) have met to discuss a reduced work year for Paraprofessionals/School Support Personnel and Office Employees. Accordingly the parties have negotiated and agreed to the modification and implementation of the following M-DCPS/UTD contract provisions: Article XIV, Leaves/Vacation/Temporary Duty, Article XVII, Paraprofessionals/Associate Educator/School Support Personnel and Article XVIII, Office Employees.

The parties agree as follows:

- Modify the work year for paraprofessionals/school support personnel and office employees who currently work 12-months (260 days), effective July 1, 2009, to 250 paid days, including holidays, during a 12-month period.
- Reduce the salaries of all affected employees working a 250 paid days work year during a 12-month period by 3.85 percent effective July 1, 2009.
- Modify the work year so that impacted staff will not work during winter recess (5 days) and spring recess (5 days). Winter recess will continue to include two legal holidays, two Board-approved holidays and one discretionary holiday as authorized by the Superintendent.
- Revise Article XIV, Leaves/Vacation/Temporary Duty, Section 16 to state that 12-month (250 days) employees shall accrue annual leave as follows:

Paraprofessionals/School Support Personnel

- First through fifth year 11.5 days maximum per fiscal year
- Sixth through 10th year 14.5 days maximum per fiscal year
- o More than 10 years 19.5 days maximum per fiscal year

Office Employees

- First through third year 14.5 days maximum per fiscal year
- o Four years or more 19.5 days maximum per fiscal year
- Revise Articles XVII and XVIII to indicate that a year is defined as 111 days for salary purposes for 12-month (250 days) employees.

- Revise Article XVII, Paraprofessionals/Associate Educators/School Support Personnel, 12-month Salary Schedule and Article XVIII, Office Employees, 12-month Salary Schedule by decreasing each step of the current 12-month (260 days) calendars by 3.85 percent to establish the 12-month (250 days) calendars. The revised salary schedules are attached to this Memorandum of Understanding.
- The parties agree that salary schedules will be a subject of the 2009 successor contract negotiations.

The provisions of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be incorporated within the M-DCPS/UTD successor contract subject to approval by the parties.

Date this day of October THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MI	AMI-DADE	UNITED TEACHERS C	OF DADE
COUNTY, FLORIDA			
Dr. Solomon C. Stinson Chair	Date	Ms. Karen Aronowitz President	Date
Dr. Marta Pérez Vice Chair	Date		
Mr. Alberto M. Carvalho Superintendent of Schools	Date		
APPROVED AS TO FORM			
School Board Attorney			

ARTICLE XVII - PARAPROFESSIONALS/ASSOCIATE EDUCATORS/SCHOOL SUPPORT PERSONNEL MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 12-Month <u>260 Day Work Year (U1)</u> - Effective 7/1/2007 12-Month <u>250 Day Work Year (U1)</u> - Effective 7/1/2009

STEP15	32,580 33,884	33.916 35,274	36,440 37,899	37,370 38,866	38,101 39,626	40,443 42,062	44,962 46,762	50,317 52,334
STEP14	24,510 25,494	25,551 26,574	28,390 29,526	29,324 30,498	30,059 34,262	32,113 33,398	36.955 38,434	42,336
STEP13	22,209 23,098	23,153 24,080	<u>26,090</u> 27,134	27,024 28,106	27,758 28,869	<u>29,714</u> 30,903	34,654	40.035 41,638
STEP41	21,027 24,868	21,921 22,798	<u>24,907</u> 2 <mark>5,90</mark> 4	25,842 26,876	<u>26,575</u> 27,639	28,481 29,621	33,471 34,811	38,853 40,408
STEP10	20,080 20,884	20.934 24,772	23,961 24,920	24,896 25,882	25,628 26,654	27,495 28,595	32,525 33,827	37,907 39,424
STEP09	17,844 18,558	18,603 19,347	21,213 22,062	22,744	23,710 24,659	25,453 26,472	29,195 30,363	34,116 35,482
STEP08	16.793 17,465	17,507	19,959 20,758	20,842 21,676	22,742	<u>24.475</u> 25,454	28,095 29,219	32,838 34,152
STEP07		<u>16,731</u> 17,400	19.064 49,827	19,762 20,553	20.519 24,340	<u>23,476</u> <u>24,416</u>	26,765 27,836	31,294 32,547
STEP06		16,364	18.581 19,324	19,314 20,087	20,024	21,391	26.028 27,070	30,453
***	15,541 16,163	16,203 46,854	18,397 18,133	19,123 19,888	19,826 20,619	20.876 24,711	25,771 26,802	30,152 31,359
		16,042 16,684	18.215 18,944	18.933 18,691	19,630 20,415	20.669 21,486	25,516 26,537	29.853 31,048
STEP03	15,235 15,845	15,883 16,518	18.034 48,756	18.747 49,497	19,435 20,213	20,463 24,282	25,263 26,274	29,558 30,744
STEP02 STEP03 STEP04	15,085 15,688	15,726	17,856 18,570	18,561 19,304	19,243 20,043	20,261 21,072	25,013 26,014	29,265 30,436
	:	10 Annual	12 Annual	13 Annual	14 Annual	15 Annual	21 Annual	23 Annual

The top step of this schedule has been increased by \$1,200 over the prior schedule, effective July 1, 2007.

All 2006-2007 employees meeting eligibility requirements as defined in Article XVII, Section 1(L)(4) and Section 2(I)(4), shall advance a step effective July 1, 2007.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS
ARTICLE XVIII - OFFICE EMPLOYEES
12-Month 260 Day Work Year (U0) - Effective 07/01/2007
12-Month 250 Day Work Year (U0) - Effective 07/01/2009

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16 Annuai	15,106	15,257	15,409	15,824	16.574	17,361	18,186	20,215	21,410	22.401	24,700	32,769
	15,710	15,867	16,026	16,457	47,237	18,066	18,914	21,024	22,267	23,297	25,689	34,084
17 Annual	15,824	15,983	16,142	16,574	17.361	18,186	19,053	21 178	22,372	23,362	25,662	33,726
	16,457	16,622	16,788	47,237	18,056	18,914	19,815	22,025	23,267	24,297	26,689	35,076
18 Annual	17,361	17,535	17,710	18,186	19,053	19.958	20.905	23.237	24,432	25,423	27,722	35,776
	18,056	18,237	18,419	18,914	19,815	20,757	21,742	24,467	25,410	26,440	28,832	37,208
19 Annual	<u>18,186</u> 18,914	18,368 19,103	18,552 19,294	19,053 19,815	19,958 20,757	20,905 21,742	21,901	24,340 25,314	25,535 26,567	<u>26.525</u> 27,587	28,825 29,979	36,873 38,349
20 Annual	<u>19,958</u>	<u>20,158</u>	<u>20,359</u>	<u>20,905</u>	21,901	22,938	24,030	<u>26.715</u>	27.909	28,900	31,200	39,236
	20,757	20,965	21,174	21,742	22,777	23,856	24,992	27,784	29,026	30,057	32,449	40,807
21 Annual	21,901	22,120	22,341	22,938	24,030	25,176	26.370	29,308	30,502	31,493	33,793	41.817
	22,777	23,006	23,235	23,856	24,892	26,184	27,425	30,484	34,723	32,754	35,146	43,494
22 Annual	22,938 23,856	23,168 24,085	23,400 24,336	24,030 24,992	25,176 26,184	26,370	27,620 28,725	30,699 31,928	31,895 33,172	32.886 34,202	35,186 36,594	43,202 44,934
23 Annual	24,030	24,271	24,513	<u>25,176</u>	<u>26,370</u>	27,620	28.932	32,160	33,354	34,344	36.644	44,654
	24,992	25,242	25,494	26,184	27,425	28,725	30,090	33,447	34,689	36,719	38,111	46,444
24 Annual	<u>25,176</u> 26,184	<u>25,428</u> 26,446	25,682 26,740	<u>26.370</u> 27,425	27,620 28,725	28,932	30,307 31,520	33,687 35,035	34,882 36,278	35,872 37,308	38.172 39,700	46,174 48,022
25 Annual	26,370 27,425	26,633 27,699	26.899 27,976	27,620 28,725	28,931 30,089	30,308	33,074	35,126 36,532	35,883	36,849 38,324	39.149 40,746	47.146 49,033
26 Annual	27.688 28,796	27,965 29,084	28,245 29,375	29,000	30,377	31,823 33,097	33,389	36,883	37,677 39,485	38,691 40,240	41,107	49,446 51,426
27 Annuai	29,072	29,363	29,657	30,450	31.896	33,415	35,058	38,727	<u>39.560</u>	40,626	43,161	51.860
	30,236	30,538	30,844	31,669	33,173	34,752	36,461	40,277	41,144	42,252	44,889	63,936

The top step of this schedule has been increased by \$1,200 over the prior schedule, effective July 1, 2007.

All 2006-2007 employees meeting eligibility requirements as defined in Article XVIII, Section 12(B), shall advance a step effective July 1, 2007.