

Mrs. Valţena G. Brown, Deputy Superintendent/Chief Operating Officer
School Operations

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR AUTHORIZATION TO ENTER INTO
CONTRACTUAL AGREEMENTS WITH COMMUNITY AGENCIES
FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FOOD AND NUTRITION TO
PROVIDE SNACKS/MEALS FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THEIR
PROGRAMS FROM AUGUST 20, 2014, THROUGH AUGUST 19,
2015**

COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

**LINK TO STRATEGIC
FRAMEWORK: FINANCIAL EFFICIENCY/STABILITY**

The Superintendent of Schools requests authorization to enter into contractual agreements with the following community agencies for the Department of Food and Nutrition to provide snacks and/or meals for participants in their programs.

- A. The Family Christian Association of America (FCAA)
- B. The Young Men's Christian Association of Greater Miami, Inc. (YMCA)
- C. I Have A Dream Foundation of Miami, Inc.
- D. South Florida After-School All Stars, Inc.
- E. St. Thomas University, by and through the 21st Century Program
- F. Regis House, Inc.
- G. Portrait of Empowerment, Inc.
- H. YWCA of Greater Miami-Dade, Inc.
- I. The City of Hialeah, by and through Education and Community Services

Agencies A through H sponsor after school programs for Miami-Dade County Public Schools' students. The Department of Food and Nutrition receives federal reimbursement for snacks/meals served to students in these programs.

Agency I sponsors after school programs for Miami-Dade County Public Schools' students, and claims its own federal reimbursement for snacks/meals served. The Department of Food and Nutrition charges the agency for snacks/meals provided based on the type and amount of service requested.

The school food service manager maintains daily billing records for the snacks/meals served and the Food Service Accounting department provides monthly billings to the agency.

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the Superintendent of Schools to enter into contractual agreements with community agencies for the Department of Food and Nutrition to provide snacks/meals for participants in their programs from August 20, 2014, through August 19, 2015.

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