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Office of Human Capital Management

- SUBJECT:
- 1) RECOMMENDED ACCEPTANCE OF AGREED UPON DISCIPLINARY ACTION
 - 2) RECOMMENDED ACCEPTANCE OF DISCIPLINARY ACTION PENDING APPEAL

LINK TO STRATEGIC PLAN: **HIGHLY EFFECTIVE TEACHERS, LEADERS AND STAFF**

This item seeks the Board's approval for employee disciplinary actions that are 1) agreed upon by the employee and 2) pending the outcome of an administrative hearing or grievance/arbitration proceeding, if requested. The employees listed herein were provided written notice of the recommended disciplinary action in their respective cases.

- RECOMMENDED:**
- 1) That the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the Superintendent's recommendation for disciplinary action, which has been agreed to by the employees.
 - A) Ingrid K. Joseph: suspension without pay from her position as Teacher at Gratigny Elementary School, for ten (10) workdays, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; and violation of School Board Policies 3210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; and 3210.01, Code of Ethics. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.33, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and State Board Rules 6A-5.056 and 6A-10.081, FAC.
 - B) Saint Cyr Louissaint: suspension without pay from his position as Teacher at Lindsey Hopkins Technical College, for five (5) workdays, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; and violation of School Board Policies 3210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; 3210.01, Code of Ethics; and 3213, Student Supervision and Welfare. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.33, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and State Board Rules 6A-5.056 and 6A-10.081, FAC.

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- C) Xazaivor C. Slocum: suspension without pay from his position as Lead Custodian at Lakeview Elementary School, for five (5) calendar days, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: gross insubordination; excessive absenteeism; and violation of School Board Policies 4210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; 4210.01, Code of Ethics; and 4430, Leaves of Absence. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.67, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and Articles II and XI of the Contract between the Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME).
- 2) That the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve the Superintendent's recommendation for disciplinary action, pending the outcome of an administrative hearing or grievance/arbitration proceeding, if requested.
- A) Antoinette S. McKay: suspension without pay from her position as Teacher at West Homestead K-8 Center, for five (5) workdays, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; gross insubordination; and violation of School Board Policies 3210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; 3210.01, Code of Ethics; and 3213, Student Supervision and Welfare. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.33, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and State Board Rules 6A-5.056 and 6A-10.081, FAC.
- B) Beatriz Mejia: suspension without pay and initiation of dismissal proceedings from her position as Teacher at Arcola Lake Elementary School, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; gross insubordination; and violation of School Board Policies 3121.01, Employment Standards and Fingerprinting of All Employees; 3210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; and 3210.01, Code of Ethics. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.32, 1012.33, 435.04, 435.06, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and State Board Rules 6A-5.056 and 6A-10.081, FAC.
- C) Alexis J. Villalta: suspension without pay from her position as Teacher at Ruth K. Broad/Bay Harbor K-8 Center, for ten (10) workdays, effective April 20, 2023, for just cause, including, but not limited to: misconduct in office; gross insubordination; and violation of School Board Policies 3210, Standards of Ethical Conduct; 3210.01, Code of Ethics; and 3213, Student Supervision and Welfare. This action is taken in accordance with Sections 1001.32(2), 1012.22(1)(f), 1012.33, and 447.209, Florida Statutes; and State Board Rules 6A-5.056 and 6A-10.081, FAC.

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