

MEMORANDUM

AGENDA ITEM #IV.G

DATE: JUNE 28, 2021

TO: COUNCIL MEMBERS

FROM: STAFF

SUBJECT: 21st CENTURY SCHOOL BOND ADVISORY COMMITTEE (SBAC)

The Council has been asked to identify a voting member and alternate representative to the Miami-Dade County Public Schools 21st Century School Board Advisory Committee (SBAC). Currently the Executive Director serves as the voting member and there is no alternate representative.

Recommendation

Appoint a Miami-Dade County Council Member to serve as the designated voting representative and an alternate member to serve on the SBAC.

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Superintendent of Schools Alberto M. Carvalho

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November 8, 2019

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Ms. Isabel Cosio Carvallo, Executive Director South Florida Regional Planning Council 3440 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood, FL 33021

Dear Ms. Cosio Carvallo:

Every two years, your organization is requested to identify a voting member and alternate for membership on the 21st Century School Bond Advisory Committee (SBAC). Currently, there is no voting member and no alternate representative. Please complete the attached appointment form by November 29, 2019, and send to the address below.

Ms. Tabitha G. Fazzino Chief Administrative and Compliance Officer Miami-Dade County Public Schools Office of the Superintendent 1450 N.E. 2 Avenue, Suite 914 Miami, Florida 33132

Or via fax at: 305 995-2248

Or via email at: marencibia@dadeschools.net

In order to be eligible for an appointment to the SBAC, an individual must meet each of the requirements specified in Board Policy 9140 and may not have any conflict of interest, direct or indirect, in a contract with Miami-Dade County Public Schools or any financial interest in any School Board bond-related projects. If such a conflict should arise after a member has been appointed, he/she shall be required to self-disclose such conflict or financial interest and immediately resign from the SBAC. Further, all new appointees and alternates will be required to execute an Acknowledgement and Certification of Compliance with Florida's Code of Ethics form.

This administration feels strongly that the involvement of your organization on the SBAC is critical to the successful implementation of the Bond Program and we look forward to your participation.

Please feel free to contact Ms. Fazzino at 305 995-1206 if you have any questions or require additional information.

Sincerely,

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Superintendent of Schools

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Attachments

cc: School Board Attorney Mr. Jaime G. Torrens Ms. Tabitha G. Fazzino Ms. Celia Rubio

21ST CENTURY SCHOOL BOND ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

In order to facilitate your appointments to the 21st Century School Bond Advisory Committee, please complete both sides of this form and submit it to Ms. Tabitha G. Fazzino, Chief Administrative and Compliance Officer.

I/We hereby appoint as my/our representative to the Miami-Dade County
Public Schools 21 st Century School Bond Advisory Committee (SBAC).
shall be designated as a voting member representing
This appointment shall be for a term of two years; however the Appointing Entity/Organization reserves
the right to replace said representative at any time. This appointment is subject to the requirements of
School Board Policy 9140 and those specified in the Acknowledgement and Certification of Compliance
with Florida's Code of Ethics form which must be executed by the Representative.
I/We hereby appoint as my/our <u>ALTERNATE</u> representative to the Miami-Dade
County Public Schools 21 st Century School Bond Advisory Committee (SBAC).
shall be designated as an <u>ALTERNATE</u> member representing This Appointing Entity/Organization
appointment shall be for a term of two years; however the Appointing Entity/Organization reserves the
right to replace said ALTERNATE representative at any time. The Alternate shall only participate and/or
vote in the absence of the representative identified above. This appointment is subject to the
requirements of School Board Policy 9140 and those specified in the Acknowledgement and Certification
of Compliance with Florida's Code of Ethics form which must be executed by the ALTERNATE
Representative.

Signature of Individual Making Appointment (s)

Date_

Printed Name

cc: School Board Attorney School Board Clerk Mr. Rolando Martin

21ST CENTURY SCHOOL BOND ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPOINTMENT

Please provide the contact information for your representative and alternate as indicated below.

Name:
Home Address:
Phone:
Cell:
Fax:
Mailing Address
Email:
Employer
Alternate Representative Information
Name:
Name:Home Address:
Home Address:
Home Address:
Home Address: Phone: Cell:
Home Address: Phone: Cell: Fax:
Home Address: Phone: Cell:

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH FLORIDA'S CODE OF ETHICS FOR 21ST CENTURY SCHOOLS BOND ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Individuals who are appointed to and voluntarily serve on School Board advisory committees are public officers who must comply with Florida's Code of Ethics, § 112.313, F.S. School Board Policy 9140, *Citizens' Advisory Committees*, imposes additional criteria on advisory board member appointments. The School Board also requires that members of this Committee not have any direct or Indirect Interest in any contract with the School Board or any financial interest in any School Board project.

Accordingly, as an appointed member of the 21st Century Schools Bond Advisory Committee ("Committee"), I agree to conduct myself in accordance with the highest ethical principles in the course of participating in School Board related activities. As a Committee member, I further agree to act at all times In the best interest of the School Board and Miami-Dade County Public Schools, and to avoid conflicts of interests.

I therefore acknowledge and understand the following:

I shall not corruptly use or attempt to use my official position or any property or resource which may be within my trust, or perform my official dutles, to secure a special privilege, benefit, or exemption for myself, or others, including, but not limited to, family members, relatives, clients or business associates:

I shall not serve on this Committee if any Committee action, activity or recommendation would inure to my special private gain or loss, which I know would inure to the special private gain or loss of any principal by whom I am retained or to the parent organization or subsidiary of a corporate principal by which I am retained, or which I know would inure to the special private gain or loss of my relatives or of my business associates.

I do not have any direct or indirect interest in any contract with the School Board or any financial interest in any School Board project. If such a conflict should arise after my appointment to this Committee, I shall disclose the conflict or financial interest and will immediately resign from this Committee.

CERTIFICATION

I declare that I have read and understood these requirements and agree to abide by them and all relevant provisions of Florida's Code of Ethics, § 112.313, F. S. I further certify that I meet the requirements for membership in the Committee to which I have been appointed and I understand that if at any time during my membership on this Committee I no longer meet the qualifications and/or requirements for membership, I will resign. I also understand that should I fail to voluntarily resign under such a circumstance, I will be subject to removal from the Committee.

Name (Print): ______

Signature:

Date: