

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Declaration of One Hundred Twenty-Six (126) Portables Located at School Sites Depicted in Exhibit 1 as Surplus

These portables are currently deemed as unsatisfactory by the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) in the District's Florida Inventory of School Houses (FISH) database. The one hundred twenty-six (126) portables located at several schools are deemed unsatisfactory due to compromising effects on the structural integrity or excessive physical deterioration. Additionally, the surplus of the portables and their subsequent demolition would allow for the restoration of the grounds at the affected facility sites where the portables occupied.

As noted in the District Educational Facilities Plan (DEFP), Fiscal Years 2016/17 – 2020/21, the one hundred twenty-six (126) portables were selected based on the District's annual inspection of portables process, whose purpose is to determine the condition of portables. Subsequently, the condition of the one hundred twenty-six (126) portables were confirmed by the Building Department, the Physical Plan Operations (PPO) and Safety Departments, and was accomplished in coordination with the affected school principals, Class Size Reduction, the Demographics and Student Assignments Department, the Facility Planning & Real Estate Department, and the Office of Facilities and Construction.

Additionally, the DEFP Fiscal Years 2016/17 – 2020/21, includes information on costs relating to technology cabling infrastructure to relocate and reconnect portables containing communication units that are still needed to serve the remaining portables on the subject school sites.

Staff will continue to work with school principals to examine and process additional portables that could be deemed as unsatisfactory, be qualified to be declared as surplus, and be subsequently demolished.

Upon authorization by the School Board to declare the one hundred twenty-six (126) portables surplus, the PPO Department will commence the process of demolishing the portables.