



ADDED ITEM

# AGENDA REQUEST FORM

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEETING DATE	2018-04-10 10:05 - School Board Operational Meeting
AGENDA ITEM	ITEMS
CATEGORY	II. OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
DEPARTMENT	Legislative Affairs

<b>Special Order Request</b>
<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No
<b>Time</b>
<b>Open Agenda</b>
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No

ITEM No.:

**II-1.**

**TITLE:**

Non-Participation in the Guardian Program

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

Authorize Superintendent Robert W. Runcie to communicate the intent of this Board regarding the Coach Aaron Feis Guardian Program with appropriate outlets inclusive of the Governor, the Commissioner of Education, the State Board of Education, and the State Legislature.  
The School Board of Broward County, Florida, supports the proposal to redirect funding for this program into additional funding for School Resource Officers included in the Safe Schools Allocation.

**SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:**

Following the tragedy at Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School, the legislature passed Senate Bill 7026. This legislation includes the Coach Aaron Feis Guardian Program provision, Florida Statute 30.15(1)(k), to allow certain school board employees to be armed. It is the intent of this Board to not participate in this program. The School Board of Broward County, Florida, supports the proposal to redirect funding for this program into additional funding for School Resource Officers included in the Safe Schools Allocation.  
 Please see attached bill summary.

**SCHOOL BOARD GOALS:**

Goal 1: High Quality Instruction  Goal 2: Continuous Improvement  Goal 3: Effective Communication

**FINANCIAL IMPACT:**

There is no financial impact to the District.

**EXHIBITS: (List)**

(1) Senate Bill 7026 Summary

**BOARD ACTION:**

**APPROVED AS AMENDED**

(SEE AMENDED REQUESTED ACTION)

**SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

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## THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

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Approved In Open Board Meeting On:

By: APR 10 2018  
*Nora Rupert*  
School Board Chair