## AGENDA REQUEST FORM THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Meeting Date			Agenda Item Number
3/15/05	Open Agenda Yes <u>X</u> No	Time Certain RequestYes _X_No	E-8
TITLE:			
Donation of Surplus Tangible Computer Equipment To The Institute for Community Empowerment			
Approve the donation of surplus tangible computer equipment to The Institute for Community Empowerment.			
SUMMARY EXPLANATION AND BACKGROUND:			
The computer equipment items on the attached list have been determined obsolete and no longer economical and efficient to operate in accordance with F.S. 274.05, 274.06 and School Board Policy 3202 - Disposal of Surplus and/or Obsolete Property. A committee appointed by the Superintendent has evaluated the items listed and recommends the surplus of these items. Therefore, it is recommended that these obsolete computers be donated to the Institute for Community Empowerment (I.C.E.), a non-profit agency located at 1121 NW 5 <sup>th</sup> Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida 33311. I.C.E. operates a program that provides educational assistance to students/parents in low income neighborhoods focusing on training, math and reading materials, and educational/other skill assessment tools. This program is delivered through the use of donated computers that are refurbished and used to set up technology centers. I.C.E. has two primary programmatic goals; (1) provide participating students with remedial reading and math assistance, and FCAT specific tutoring, and (2) provide family literacy/computer literacy programs to adults in low income neighborhoods. This program began in 1998 with the opening of Broward's first technology center, the ICE Cube @ Modello Park. I.C.E. has requested to receive ongoing computer donations as available in support of this educational and technology assistance program.			
SCHOOL BOARD GOALS:			
_•Goal One: All students will achieve at their highest potential.			
Goal Two: All schools will have equitable resources.			
$\sqrt{\bullet}$ Goal Three: All operations of the school system will demonstrate best practices while supporting			
student achievement.			
Goal Four: All stakeholders will work together to build a better school system.			
The Net Book Value of the items to be disposed and donated is \$0. Net Book Value is an accounting term			
used to describe the original cost of an asset, less accumulated depreciation, depletion or amortization.			
EXHIBITS: (List)			
1. Salvage List – Computer Equipment			
BOARD ACTION:		SOURCE OF ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:	
APPROVED Desir Control 754 221 2616			
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THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA Donnie Carter, Deputy Superintendent, Operations			
Approved in Open Board Meeting on:			
	Ву:	12/1/Sel	hool Board Chair

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