



HALLANDALE BEACH COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY (HBCRA)

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 17, 2017
TO: Chair and Board Members of the HBCRA
FROM: Roger M. Carlton, City Manager/Executive Director
SUBJECT: Gulfstream Early Childhood Center of Excellence

Staff from the School Board and Broward County have approached the City of Hallandale Beach and HBCRA in regards to the transformation of the former Gulfstream Middle School into the Gulfstream Early Childhood Center for Excellence.

The Gulfstream Early Childhood Center of Excellence created at the former site of the Gulfstream Middle School will be designed for high quality early care and education with engaging community-focused services (See Attachment 1). The proposal will provide high quality early care and education while engaging in community focused services to include adult education, family strengthening, health and wellness, and professional development opportunities for early childhood educators through Broward Schools and the community. The site will serve infants, toddlers and pre-k children. Further, it will provide classes and services for GED, ESOL, CDA, Social Service Connections and a health clinic.

This proposal has been placed in the HBCRA agenda because the School Board staff has requested CRA funding assistance for FY 2017-2018.