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Amos Roundtree of Miami-Dade County ISD inquired regarding whether he could hold a meeting on a procurement matter and invite a staff member from each of two County Commission offices or whether that would create a Sunshine Law violation. I informed Mr. Roundtree that the Sunshine Law, F.S. 286.011, would not permit private communications between two sitting Commissioners regarding a matter that may foreseeably come before the Commission for a vote. In this situation it would not be improper for the staff members of two Commissioners to attend a meeting together provided that they did not discuss the opinions or positions of their respective Commission members resulting in communication back to one or both Commissioners of the thought process or opinion of another Commissioner. As long as they limit the discussion to questions and answers about the issue under consideration, there should be no violation.

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