

**Meyers, Robert (COE)**

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**From:** Meyers, Robert (COE)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 09, 2009 5:22 PM  
**To:** Lee, Monte (Building)  
**Subject:** RE: Presentation to Community Council

Mr. Lee:

Under the county ethics code, County employees are prohibited from appearing before any County board or committee on behalf of a third party. Therefore, you should not make a presentation to the Community Council in support of the private school that employs your wife.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Robert Meyers, Executive Director  
 Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust

**From:** Lee, Monte (Building)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 09, 2009 12:31 PM  
**To:** Meyers, Robert (COE)  
**Subject:** Presentation to Community Council  
**Importance:** High

Mr. Meyers:

I recently spoke to Manny Diaz, in your office, and he suggested that I contact you about the above noted issue. My wife has taught at a private school in Kendall since 1980 and over the years we have become good friends of the family who own the school. I am a licensed architect who has worked for the Building Department since October 1996. At present, the school is in the process of putting together an application to amend their special use permit for the 3 parcels which they use for the school. Inasmuch as I was involved in their last zoning approval process, prior to my employment with the County, they have asked if I could assist them in making their presentation before the Community Council later this year. Please advise if assisting them in this matter would be acceptable. If additional information is required, please do not hesitate to contact me at 305-219-3142.

Thank you

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