

Frigo, Victoria (COE)

From: Centorino, Joseph (COE)
Sent: Monday, October 15, 2012 10:05 AM
To: Castro, Vivian (DIST6)
Cc: Frigo, Victoria (COE)
Subject: INQ - Commissioner Rebeca Sosa

Ms. Castro,

You have inquired whether Commissioner would have a conflict of interest that would prohibit her from voting on an interlocal agreement between the County and Miami-Dade County Public Schools to install a sewer connection at the Isaac Withers Head Start facility, a site which is owned by the Miami-Dade County Public Schools, located at 21300 SW 122 Avenue. The request is made in view of Commissioner Sosa's fulltime employment with the Miami-Dade County Public Schools at the Lindsey Hopkins Technical Education Center.

It is my understanding that Commissioner Sosa has not personal or private interest in the project, and would not be affected either personally or professionally by it. Since approval of the agreement would not affect Commissioner Sosa in a manner distinct from the manner in which it would affect the public generally and Commissioner Sosa would not, directly or indirectly, profit or be enhanced by the project, I find that there is no conflict of interest such as would prohibit Commissioner Sosa from voting on this matter.

Sincerely,
Joe Centorino
Executive Director and General Counsel
Miami-Dade Commission on Ethics and Public Trust

From: Castro, Vivian (DIST6)
Sent: Friday, October 12, 2012 4:28 PM
To: Centorino, Joseph (COE)
Cc: Sosa, Rebeca (DIST6)
Subject: Commissioner Sosa requests your opinion on the attached item

Good afternoon, Mr. Centorino:

Commissioner Sosa has requested your opinion on an item coming before the Infrastructure and Land Use Committee next week. The item concerns an interlocal agreement between the County and Miami Dade County Public Schools to install a sewer connection at a Miami Dade County Public Schools-owned site at 21300 SW 122 AVE (the Isaac Withers Head Start Facility). For your convenience, I have attached the item to this email.

Thank you in advance for reviewing this item.

Respectfully,

Vivian Castro

Vivian Castro
Legislative Director
Miami-Dade County, District 6