

Frigo, Victoria (COE)

From: Frigo, Victoria (COE)
Sent: Thursday, July 25, 2013 5:13 PM
To: Valles, Silvia (ASD)
Cc: Centorino, Joseph (COE); Diaz-Greco, Gilma M. (COE)
Subject: Bimini trip (INQ 13-185)
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Ms. Valles,

As a contract worker at the Animal Services Dept., who is employed by a temporary agency and not by Miami-Dade County, you may accept a trip to Bimini offered by Resorts World, a County contractor. County employees are prohibited from accepting gifts involving travel from County contractors, vendors or service providers at Sec. 2-11.1 (w) of the County Code.

We understand that your contract with the Animal Services Dept. has not been designated by the Mayor as one in which contract staff are required to comply with sections of the County Ethics Code. See County Code at Sec. 2-11.1 (b)(13) and INQ 12-86.

Consequently, you may accept a gift from a County contractor. I do not have any additional information about the promotion, but you can contact the vendor directly at <http://www.rwbimini.com>.

Sincerely,

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