

PEW FOUNDATION PROPOSAL

April 10, 2007

TOTAL REQUESTED FUNDING: \$40,000 (\$10,000 for four (4) principals)

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT:

\$5,000 for each of four (4) restructuring principals to be used for professional development of their choice in Leadership (Harvard, University of Miami, etc.). Professional Development should be completed during the summer / fall of FY08 (June 2007 through November 2007). A two page summary of "lessons learned" will be provided by each principal upon completion.

INCENTIVES FOR STUDENT MOVEMENT:

Additionally, the principals will be able to earn a \$5,000 incentive provided they meet the following criteria as evidenced by the June 2008 test results:

- \$2,500 upon meeting the 4 criteria required for adequate progress
 1. School Grade of "C" or better
 2. Increase in writing scores by 1% or more
 3. Increase in graduation rate by 1% or more
 4. Participation rate in ALL subgroups must be 95% or above

- \$2,500 upon raising the percentage of students scoring Level 1 in Reading and/or Math by 20%

Attached to this proposal is the current data from which the principals' individual test score data will be compared.