

BILL/ RESOLUTION REQUEST

- 1. Title:** Approves an Ordinance to extend the Head Start contract with Mile High Montessori Early Learning Centers and increase funding from \$864,749 to \$1,760,045 (GE00333-1).
- 2. Requesting Agency:** Mayors office for education and Children
- 3. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance***
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- 4. Contact Person *with actual knowledge of proposed ordinance who will present the item at Mayor Council and who will be available for first and second reading, if necessary***
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- 5. Describe the proposed ordinance, including what the proposed ordinance is intended to accomplish, who's involved**
 - a. Scope of Work**
The ordinance request is to amend a contract with Mile High Montessori Early Learning Centers. The contractor will provide Head Start services to 275 eligible children and families from July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2011.
 - b. Duration**
12 months (term was December 31, 2010; term is now June 30, 2011).
 - c. Location**
Edna Oliver Montessori ELC 2851 Tremont, Northeast Montessori ELC 3503 Marion Street, Sun Valley Montessori ELC, 990 Alcott, Rude Park Montessori ELC 1275 Decatur, Westwood Montessori ELC 1000 S Lowell Blvd, Lowry Montessori ELC 957 Ulster Way
 - d. Affected Council District**
3, 9, 8, 5
 - e. Benefits**
Low income children have the opportunity to receive comprehensive services and acquire knowledge and skills in order to enter kindergarten ready to learn.
 - f. Costs**
The contract is increased from \$864,749 to \$1,760,045. In addition, the contractor will provide \$440,011 in in kind donations.
- 6. Is there any controversy surrounding this ordinance, groups or individuals who may have concerns about it? Please explain.**
No.

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Date: 1/7/2011