

APPROVE THE PARTICIPATION OF THE CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS ALL-CITY ELEMENTARY YOUTH CHORUS IN CONCERT WITH THE SAINT LOUIS SYMPHONY CHILDREN'S CHOIR IN SAINT LOUIS, MISSOURI

RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS

Approve the participation of the All-City Elementary Youth Chorus in a joint concert with the Saint Louis Symphony Children's Choir in Saint Louis, Missouri for expenses related to the program.

Office of Language, Cultural, and Early Childhood Education, 1515 W. 74th Street, Chicago, IL 60636, Armando M. Almendarez

The All-City Elementary Youth Chorus will send one hundred members in ninth grades, to Saint Louis, Missouri from April 21 through April 22, 2001 to present a joint concert with the Saint Louis Symphony Children's Choir in Saint Louis, Missouri.

EDUCATION VALUE/OUTCOMES

This concert will provide an opportunity for the chorus members to apply, demonstrate and share the learned vocal music skills with a professional children's choir. This concert will promote and appreciation of cultural diversity through the performance of a repertoire of songs in multiple languages.

TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS/STIP INFORMATION

Walls Transportation, 1515 W. 74th Street, Chicago Illinois 60636, 773.651.1369.

COSTS: The per student cost is \$174.00 which includes meals, hotel, cancellation insurance, etc. The total cost of this trip is \$17,400. The All-City Performing Arts Parent Association of Cultural Arts will provide \$1,250.00 to help meet the transportation cost.

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Policy on Student Travel including proper ratio of students to adults. Tony Filisteo, teacher, pianist, accompanist, Juan M. Hernandez, music teacher, assistant conductor, James P. J. assistant and pianist, assistant, Amette M. Fridge, music teacher and staff assistant, Same Al-Mohdi, music teacher and senior accompanist, Commissioner's administrative assistant and manager, Patricia Baberone, arts administrator, Patricia Wilentz, Garnell, Ellis Jones, Jackie, Marjula Donna Myers, Annie Marie Perry, Jose and Maria Pacheco and Richard Tufano.

PARENTAL CONSENT

Chicago Public Schools Bureau of Cultural Arts for each student, parent and staff member participating in the tour. Chicago Public Schools Bureau of Cultural Arts for each student, parent and staff member participating in the tour.

Not applicable. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable. LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

Office of Language, Cultural and Early Childhood Education: \$1,250.00 FINANCIAL: Charge to: Budget Office

**GENERAL CONDITIONS:** Inspector General - Each party to this agreement hereby acknowledges