APPROVE THE PARTICIPATION OF JAMES MONROE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN AN EDUCATIONAL TOUR TO WASHINGTON, D.C. AND AUTHORIZE TRAVEL EXPENSES RELATED TO THE PROGRAM

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:

The approval of the participation forty-two (42) 8th grade students of the James Monroe Elementary School in an educational tour of Washington, D.C. from May 16-20, 2005 and authorize travel expenses related to the program if any.

USER: James Monroe Elementary School

3651 W. Schubert Ave. Chicago, IL. 60647 (773)-534-4155

User: Spyridoula Manis, Coordinator and James Menconi, Principal

PROGRAM: An educational 5-day tour of Washington DC. from May 16-20, 2005.

EDUCATIONAL VALUE/OUTCOMES:

The purpose of this field experience is to:

Provide pupils first hand experience about the working of the three branches of government in a democracy.

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• Further pupils' awareness of themselves and the possibilities of their own influence and contribution to society.

Motivate punils to further their education and develop their talents to better serve themselves their

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION: Not applicable.

LSC REVIEW: This action was approved by the LSC for James Monroe School on January 18, 2005.

FINANCIAL: Charge to James Monroe Elementary School: \$10,000.00

Source of Funds: State Chapter 1 Comp; State Chapter 1 Supp; State Chapter 1 Soc. St.;

Student Transportation

Budget Classification: 4850-234-703 -6214-5510. Fiscal Year: 2004-2005

