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Ana M. Viamonte Ros, M.D., M.P.H.
State Surgeon General

April 14, 2010

Mr. George M. Burgess, County Manager
Miami-Dade County Board
of County Commissioners
Finance Department
111 Northwest First Street, Floor 29
Miami, Florida 33128

Dear Mr. Burgess:

I am pleased to award Dade County an emergency medical services (EMS) county grant in the amount of \$323,988.00. The grant ID code is C9013. This grant is for improving and enhancing pre-hospital emergency medical services. We have submitted a request to our disbursements office for the full advance payment of the grant funds, and your county should receive the funds within the next 30 days.

This grant program is authorized by section 401.113(2) (a), *Florida Statutes* and is grant program number 64.005 in the *Florida Catalog of State Financial Assistance*. The grants are paid from the Department of Health's EMS trust fund and there are no federal funds involved.

The grant ends February 28, 2011. Expenditure and activity reports are due: (1) August 18, 2010 based on activities and expenditures through July 31, 2010; (2) December 15, 2010 based on activities and expenditures through November 30, 2010; and (3) the final expenditure and activity report is due by March 23, 2011.

Your signed grant application acknowledges that you have read, understand, and will comply fully with the terms and conditions as outlined in the "Florida EMS County Grant Program Application Packet, June 2008."

Thank you for your continued outstanding support and involvement in improving and expanding Florida's pre-hospital EMS system. If you need assistance or have any questions, please contact the grant manager, Mr. Alan Van Lewen, Health Services and Facilities Consultant in the Bureau of EMS, at (850) 245-4440, extension *2734.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ana M. Viamonte Ros".

Ana M. Viamonte Ros, M.D., M.P.H.
State Surgeon General

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cc: Mr. Scott Mendelsberg, Assistant Director