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September 15, 2008

Mr. John Burwell
Modesta Robbins Partnership
Pinellas
3030 North McMullen Booth Road
Clearwater, FL 33761-3331

Dear Mr. Burwell:

Congratulations to you and your staff, teachers, school advisory council, students and families for the outstanding academic performance of Modesta Robbins Partnership's students during the 2007-2008 school year. In recognition of this achievement, the State of Florida is pleased to present to you \$6,205 in School Recognition Funds.

The 2008 Florida School Recognition Program rewards schools that receive an "A" or improve one or more letter grades from the previous school year. The funds can be used for nonrecurring bonuses to your school's faculty and staff, nonrecurring expenditures for educational equipment or materials, or for temporary personnel to assist your school in maintaining or improving student performance. With funding provided by the Legislature, the state calculated awards based on \$85 per full-time equivalent student. Awards will be electronically transferred to your school account. You may access the funds as soon as your school's staff and school advisory council jointly decide how to use the award.

Earning this recognition is a distinct honor and demonstrates your proven ability to create a positive learning environment that encourages all students to reach their full potential. Your hard work and dedication are evidenced by the success of your students, and you should take pride in this accomplishment. Thank you for your leadership and commitment to raising student achievement. Our best wishes to your entire school community for continued success in the new school year.

Sincerely,

Handwritten signature of Charlie Crist in blue ink.

Charlie Crist
Governor

Handwritten signature of Dr. Eric J. Smith in black ink.

Dr. Eric J. Smith
Commissioner of Education

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