



ACCOUNTABILITY IN GOVERNMENT

SUPPORT strong and consistent accountability requirements that invite public inspection and involvement in the business and financial dealings of both state and local governments.

SUPPORT the principles of local government authority and autonomy as essential elements that ensure that the government closest to the people is inherently most accountable to the people.

SCHOOL CHOICE

SUPPORT successful, evidence based school choice options that help to guarantee that every child is prepared for the challenges of college and careers as well as the benefit of being an engaged Floridian.

SUPPORT accountability efforts that hold all schools which receive public funds to the same accountability standards and ensure appropriate comparability.

CAPITAL OUTLAY FUNDING

SUPPORT a process and criteria by which all charter school capital outlay projects may be incorporated into the district state-approved Capital Outlay Plan and require that local capital outlay funding may be expended only in accordance with priority order of the Capital Outlay Plan.

SUPPORT efforts to protect local taxpayers by requiring that any charter school facilities that are funded by district capital outlay millage revenue are, or will be, retained as public assets.

EDUCATION FUNDING

SUPPORT a focus on increasing the Base Student Allocation as the basic building block of a healthy education budget.

SUPPORT efforts to increase funding for programs and services to address the health and mental health needs of Florida's students.

SUPPORT efforts to ensure that funding intended to provide additional services and support to students in identified struggling schools is targeted to those schools and school districts that are providing the necessary services and support.

SUPPORT the provision of sufficient, flexible funding for the technology and related infrastructure necessary for school districts to pursue technology plans that will provide access to digital instruction, computer programming curriculum, and to successfully administer assessments.

STATEWIDE ASSESSMENTS

SUPPORT the effort to return timely and robust assessment results to students, parents, and teachers to drive decision-making and student success.

SUPPORT the elimination of unnecessary or duplicative assessments.

SUPPORT providing alternative pathways for students to demonstrate proficiency so that they may progress and graduate with a standard diploma.