

# Plans for School's TV, Radio Studios Nearly

Plans for Dade County School Board's new centralized television and radio studios are nearing completion for a \$3 million facility in downtown Miami.

The 52,600-square-foot project, planned for a site between First Court and First Avenue on NE 15th Street, will include facilities to house studios, classrooms and storage needs for WLRN Radio and WLRN TV, Channel 17.

Yaros Associates Architects and Ronald E. Frazier and Associates are designing the facility under a joint venture agreement with Daniel, Mann, Johnson and Mendenhall (DMJM), engineers on the project.

All the studio facilities are being designed to accommodate public tours and teaching guides, Eugene A. Yaros says.

In addition, the two-story building will have a special area to house a mobile television unit within the building. Walls, ceilings and floor in the studio rooms will get a special acoustical treatment.

Donald E. MacCullough, director of educational media for the Dade County School Board, is adviser to the architectural team. And the architects have hired Hamilton Communications Consulting Services of Glen Ridge, N.J., as special consultants for the TV and radio studio layout.



**Broadcast Studios and Offices Planned for Downtown Miami**

*... \$3 million Dade School Board project to start in early 1980*

Construction is scheduled to begin in a few months.

Bronze-tinted glass windows with bright aluminum frames are being designed to set off the block and stucco exterior walls. Landscaped areas, decorative walls and

paved pedestrian areas are planned as part of the six-acre site plan.