

Ms. Ana Rivas Logan, Board Member

SUBJECT: SCHOOL INSPECTION REPORTS

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO DISTRICT
STRATEGIC PLAN: IMPROVE STUDENT SAFETY AND THE
SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT**

Pests and rodents pose a serious and potential health risk. At the May 16, 2007 School Board Meeting staff assured the Board that all health inspections were satisfactory and personnel had been properly trained to prevent any further problems. Recently, Miami Carol City Senior High School's cafeteria was closed due to an unsatisfactory school inspection report. In addition, 37 unsatisfactory reports have been issued to Miami-Dade County Public Schools since the May 16, 2007 School Board Meeting.

Furthermore, at the September Audit Committee Meeting, an Internal Audit Report of District's Custodial Services indicated that, "Annual sanitation audits need to be completed as required by District's procedures. At 39 of 59 schools sampled, these audits were last conducted during the 2003-2004 school year".

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MS. ANA RIVAS LOGAN:**

That the Superintendent of Miami-Dade County Public Schools provide The School Board of Miami-Dade County a detailed report of the County Health Department findings at Miami-Dade County Public Schools with a corrective action plan that includes monthly updates. The detailed report, policy and procedures will be presented at the November 20, 2007, School Board Meeting.