

Dr. Lawrence S. Feldman, Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 10-075 OF
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING ROTARY CLUB OF PERRINE-CUTLER
RIDGE / PALMETTO BAY**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC
FRAMEWORK: STUDENT, PARENT, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT**

The Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay was chartered in 1960 to foster the ideal of service in the south Miami-Dade business community. The club follows the motto of Rotary International, "Service Above Self," and it is one of more than 30,000 Rotary Clubs around the world. There are more than 1.2 million Rotary members worldwide in more than 200 countries.

The Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay club's officers are Richard King, Rotary Club president; Ellie Mills, Rotary Club president-elect, and John King, Rotary Club vice president. For more than 50 years, the club's members have been assisting the needy and elderly in our community and providing scholarships for students. At its recent 2010 Rotary Scholarship Awards Ceremony, the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay awarded students \$69,000 worth of scholarships. The club distributed 20 scholarships, ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$10,000.

Over the years, Rotary Club members have contributed their time and effort to several projects in the community, including, cleaning, painting, renovating, and landscaping an elderly couple's home; serving meals to the homeless; holding fundraisers for Haiti earthquake victims; purchasing Thanksgiving dinners and Christmas gift cards for local families; building a meditation garden, and providing a business leadership program at a middle school.

Miami-Dade County Public Schools commends the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay for its support of and commitment to Miami-Dade County Public Schools students.

ACTION PROPOSED BY

DR. LAWRENCE S. FELDMAN:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 10-075 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay.

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OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING THE ROTARY CLUB OF PERRINE-CUTLER RIDGE/
PALMETTO BAY

WHEREAS, the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay was chartered in 1960 to foster the ideal of service in the south Miami-Dade business community; and

WHEREAS, the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay follows the motto of Rotary International, "Service Above Self," and it is one of more than 30,000 Rotary Clubs around the world; and

WHEREAS, for more than 50 years, the club's members have been assisting the needy and elderly in our community and providing scholarships for students; and

WHEREAS, at its recent 2010 Rotary Scholarship Awards Ceremony, the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay awarded students \$69,000 worth of scholarships; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County Public Schools commends the Rotary Club Of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay for its support of and commitment to Miami-Dade County Public Schools students;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 10-075 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Rotary Club of Perrine-Cutler Ridge/Palmetto Bay.

A copy of this resolution is placed in the permanent records of this Board.

Presented this fourteenth day of July, A.D. 2010

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary