

Ms. Perla Tabares Hantman, Vice Chair

SUBJECT: REQUEST APPROVAL OF SCHOOL BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 10-079 RECOGNIZING THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMMUNITY TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS STUDENT PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE SAFETY

COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY AND GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

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

For many years, the School Board has collaborated with the District's safety partners to improve student pedestrian and bicycle safety in our communities. In particular, the District actively participates in the Public Schools Community Traffic Safety Team (CTST), which was created by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), to address community traffic safety issues throughout Miami-Dade County. At my request, the School Board endorsed the CTST at its meeting of April 18, 2006.

Since that time, CTST Team members have demonstrated their commitment to student safety through their active involvement and implementation of many safety initiatives that I sponsored. A few of the initiatives include, but are not limited to, the Safe Routes to Schools Infrastructure Improvement Projects, creation of the annual Back to School Safety Flyer, and the installation of Solar-Powered driver feedback signs at various schools throughout the District. The following is the list of the agencies represented on the CTST, who are hereby recognized and commended for their dedication to student safety. Their efforts have undoubtedly brought awareness on student and pedestrian safety in our communities:

- FDOT
- Miami-Dade County Public Works Department
- Miami-Dade Metropolitan Planning Organization
 - Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee
 - Citizens Transportation Advisory Committee
- Miami-Dade Citizens Independent Transportation Trust
- Miami-Dade Police Department- Crossing Guard Unit
- City of Miami
- University of Miami/Miller School of Medicine—WalkSafe/BikeSafe Programs
- Florida International University—Engineering Department
- Miami Children's Hospital—SAFEKIDS Coalition

**ACTION PROPOSED BY VICE CHAIR
PERLA TABARES HANTMAN:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, adopt Resolution No. 10-079 recognizing the Miami-Dade County Public Schools Community Traffic Safety Team for their contributions towards student pedestrian and bicycle safety.

RESOLUTION NO. 10-079
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMUNITY TRAFFIC SAFETY TEAM
FOR THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS TOWARDS STUDENT PEDESTRIAN AND BICYCLE
SAFETY

WHEREAS, for many years, The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida (School Board), has collaborated with the District's safety partners to improve student pedestrian and bicycle safety in our communities; and

WHEREAS, to better coordinate traffic safety issues in our schools, the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) created the Miami-Dade Public Schools Community Traffic Safety Team (CTST), which was endorsed by the School Board at its April 18, 2006 meeting; and

WHEREAS, CTST Team members have demonstrated their commitment to student safety through their active involvement and implementation of many initiatives sponsored by the School Board; and

WHEREAS, the following is the list of the agencies represented on the CTST, who are hereby recognized and commended for their dedication to student safety; their efforts have undoubtedly brought awareness on student and pedestrian safety in our communities:

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- Miami-Dade County Public Works Department
- Miami-Dade Metropolitan Planning Organization
 - Bicycle Pedestrian Advisory Committee
 - Citizens Transportation Advisory Committee
- Miami-Dade Citizens Independent Transportation Trust
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- City of Miami
- University of Miami/Miller School of Medicine—WalkSafe/BikeSafe Programs
- Florida International University—Engineering Department
- Miami Children's Hospital—SAFEKIDS Coalition

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 10-079 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Miami-Dade County Public Schools Community Traffic Safety Team for their contribution towards student pedestrian and bicycle safety in our communities.

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

Presented this fourth day of August, A.D. 2010

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary