Office of School Board Members Board Meeting of November 22, 2011

Mr. Carlos L. Curbelo, Board Member

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 11-134 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING THE EMERGING YOUNG LEADERS INITIATIVE OF THE PI DELTA OMEGA CHAPTER,

ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC.

COMMITTEE:

INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY

**ENGAGEMENT** 

LINK TO STRATEGIC

FRAMEWORK:

STUDENT, PARENT, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The Emerging Young Leaders program is the signature initiative of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc (AKA). The program develops the skills and talents of middle school girls in Miami Dade County, with the potential for becoming leaders within their local communities.

Participants in the program develop life-long skills in areas such as: Advocacy, Leadership, Community Service, Financial Literacy, Technology, Environmental Sustainability, Higher Education, and Non-Traditional Careers for Women.

The Emerging Young Leaders of Pi Delta Omega graduated five members in its first year, and boasts a membership of approximately forty students. They have been recognized by community leaders including Congresswoman Frederica S. Wilson, Mayor Cindy Lerner of Pinecrest, and Miami-Dade County Commissioner Dennis C. Moss.

Miami Dade County Public Schools commends all the students, graduates, and all the hardworking individuals of the Emerging Young Leaders of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. for their commitment to education and dedication to their community.

ACTION PROPOSED BY MR. CARLOS L. CURBELO:

That the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida approve Resolution No. 11-134 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Emerging Young Leaders Initiative of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

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## RESOLUTION NO. 11-134 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING THE EMERGING YOUNG LEADERS INITIATIVE OF THE PI DELTA OMEGA CHAPTER, ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC.

WHEREAS, The Emerging Young Leaders program is the signature initiative of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc; and

WHEREAS, the program develops the skills and talents of middle school girls in Miami Dade County with the potential for becoming leaders within their local communities; and

WHEREAS, participants in the program develop life-long skills in areas such as Advocacy, Leadership, Community Service, Financial Literacy, Technology, Environmental Sustainability, Higher Education, and Non-Traditional Careers for Women; and

WHEREAS, The Emerging Young Leaders of Pi Delta Omega graduated five members in its first year, and boasts a membership of approximately forty students; and

WHEREAS, The Emerging Young Leaders of Pi Delta Omega have been recognized by community leaders including Congresswoman Frederica S. Wilson, Mayor Cindy Lerner of Pinecrest, and Miami-Dade County Commissioner Dennis C. Moss; and

WHEREAS, Miami Dade County Public Schools commends all the students, graduates, and all the hardworking individuals of the Emerging Young Leaders of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. for their commitment to education and dedication to their community.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 11-134 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing The Emerging Young Leaders Initiative of the Pi Delta Omega Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc.

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

Presented this twenty-second day of November A.D. 2011

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

	CHAIR	
ATTEST:		
Secretary		