

Ms. Susie V. Castillo, Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 13-028
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI DADE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING CAROLINA F. NAVEIRAS FOR 39
YEARS OF EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO MIAMI-DADE
COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

COMMITTEE: SCHOOL SUPPORT ACCOUNTABILITY

**LINK TO STRATEGIC
FRAMEWORK: SCHOOL/DISTRICT LEADERSHIP**

Carolina F. Naveiras has dedicated 39 years to serving the students of Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS). A believer in the value of education, Ms. Naveiras earned an Associate of Arts degree from Miami-Dade College, Bachelor of Science and Master of Science degrees in elementary education from Florida International University (FIU), as well as certification in administration/supervision from FIU. An exemplary leader and educator, Ms. Naveiras culminates her career this spring as principal of Hialeah Elementary School.

Ms. Naveiras began her career with M-DCPS serving as a teacher for over 10 years at district schools including John G. DuPuis, Flamingo, Shadowlawn, and Meadowlane elementary schools, as well as American Senior High School. She later became an assistant principal at James H. Bright/J.W. Johnson and Meadowlane elementary schools. Because of her hard work and dedication, Ms. Naveiras went on to serve in several administrative roles at the district level, such as Executive Director of Management Selection, before taking the helm as principal at Hialeah Elementary School in 2002.

In recognition of her exemplary service and commitment to education, Ms. Naveiras has received numerous community awards, including the Cervantes Outstanding Hispanic Educator Award and the Metro-Dade Community Service Award. In addition, she has been honored several times as 'Principal of the Year' for her school's feeder pattern and served as a Parent Academy Ambassador for Hialeah Elementary School and the City of Hialeah. In recognition of her exemplary tenure at Miami-Dade County Public Schools, it is fitting that the School Board commend Carolina F. Naveiras for her commitment, dedication, and many years of service to the District's students, parents, and families.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MS. SUSIE V. CASTILLO:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-028 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Carolina F. Naveiras for 39 years of exemplary service to Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

**Replacement
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**RESOLUTION NO. 13-028
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING CAROLINA F. NAVEIRAS FOR 39 YEARS OF EXEMPLARY
SERVICE TO MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

WHEREAS, Carolina F. Naveiras has dedicated nearly forty years to serving the students of Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS); and

WHEREAS, as a firm believer in the value of education, she has worked tirelessly to ensure access to a world-class educational experience for all her students; and

WHEREAS, her career has been devoted to children, to teaching, and to helping students reach their maximum potential – both as a teacher and as an administrator; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Naveiras has been recognized for her professionalism and work ethic, being honored several times as 'Principal of the Year' for her school's feeder pattern and as a Parent Academy Ambassador for Hialeah Elementary School and the City of Hialeah; and

WHEREAS, she has been the recipient of numerous community awards and recognitions for her outstanding service and commitment to education, including the Cervantes Outstanding Hispanic Educator Award and the Metro-Dade Community Service Award, among many others; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County Public Schools is grateful to Principal Carolina F. Naveiras for her dedication, commitment, and many years of service to the District's students, parents, and families;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-028 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Carolina F. Naveiras for 39 years of exemplary service to Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

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

Presented this thirteenth day of February, A.D. 2013

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary