

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board Meeting of March 13, 2013

March 7, 2013

Valtena G. Brown, Chief Operating Officer
School Operations

SUBJECT: PROPOSED RENAMING OF MERRICK EDUCATIONAL CENTER

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: EDUCATION

Pursuant to School Board Policy 7250, Commemoration of School Facilities, The Educational Facilities Renaming Committee met on Tuesday, February 12, 2013, to review all documents submitted for consideration for the renaming of Merrick Educational Center, a Specialized Center reporting to the Office of Exceptional Student Education, at 11001 S.W. 76 Street, Miami, Florida, 33173.

The committee comprised of Ms. Perla Tabares Hantman, Board Chair, Miami-Dade County Public Schools; Mr. Carlos L. Curbelo, Board Member, Miami-Dade County Public Schools; Mr. Keith Fernandez, School Board Member Designee, Miami-Dade County Public Schools; Ms. Ava Goldman, Administrative Director, Office of Innovation and Accountability; Ms. Linda Carmona-Sanchez, Community Representative and Mrs. Valtena G. Brown, Chief Operating Officer, School Operations; recommends that Merrick Educational Center be renamed Brucie Ball Educational Center.

REVISED

RECOMMENDED: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, rename Merrick Educational Center, Brucie Ball Educational Center.

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