

Mr. Carlos L. Curbelo, Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 13-055
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING THE FIVE PRINCIPLES
SUPPORTED BY THE PARTNERSHIP FOR A NEW
AMERICAN ECONOMY**

**COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY & GOVERNMENTAL
RELATIONS**

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

The Partnership for a New American Economy brings together a bipartisan group of mayors from across the country and business leaders from all sectors of the economy and all 50 states to raise awareness of the economic benefits of sensible immigration reform.

The members of the Partnership for a New American Economy range from industry leaders to small business owners, employing more than four million people and generating over \$1.4 trillion in annual sales. Mayors, who also are members, represent cities of all sizes with a combined population of over 35 million residents.

The Partnership for a New American Economy has published five principles that should be incorporated into a modern immigration system. The five principles include (1) attracting and retaining the world's top innovators and entrepreneurs; (2) recruiting talented workers needed to fill gaps in high- and low-skilled sectors of the economy; (3) bringing 11 million undocumented immigrants into the legal economy so that they can pay taxes, attain better education, and contribute more to the economic growth of the United States; (4) developing a state-of-the-art system to ensure that immigration laws are enforced and obeyed; and (5) ensuring that the immigration system is easy to understand, easy to navigate, and easy to implement.

ACTION PROPOSED BY

MR. CARLOS L. CURBELO: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-055 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the five principles supported by the Partnership for a New American Economy.

**Replacement
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**RESOLUTION NO. 13-055
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING THE FIVE PRINCIPLES SUPPORTED BY THE PARTNERSHIP FOR
A NEW AMERICAN ECONOMY**

WHEREAS, the Partnership for a New American Economy brings together a bipartisan group of mayors from across the country and business leaders from all sectors of the economy and all 50 states to raise awareness of the economic benefits of sensible immigration reform; and

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WHEREAS, the Mayors, who also are members, represent cities of all sizes with a combined population of over 35 million residents; and

WHEREAS, the Partnership for a New American Economy has published five principles that should be incorporated into a modern immigration system; and

WHEREAS, the five principles include (1) attracting and retaining the world's top innovators and entrepreneurs; (2) recruiting talented workers needed to fill gaps in high- and low-skilled sectors of the economy; (3) bringing 11 million undocumented immigrants into the legal economy so that they can pay taxes, attain better education, and contribute more to the economic growth of the United States; (4) developing a state-of-the-art system to ensure that immigration laws are enforced and obeyed; and (5) ensuring that the immigration system is easy to understand, easy to navigate, and easy to implement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-055 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the five principles supported by the Partnership for a New American Economy.

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

Presented this seventeenth day of April, A.D. 2013

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary