

Dr. Wilbert "Tee" Holloway, Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 13-077
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY,
FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING DR. THEODORA WIELAND FOR
HER CONTRIBUTIONS IN MATHEMATICS TO MIAMI-DADE
COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS STUDENTS**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC
FRAMEWORK: EDUCATION**

An industry veteran, Dr. Theodora Wieland has worked in the field of education for more than 40 years. She holds an Associate of Arts degree from New York City Community College, bachelor's and master's degrees in mathematics Secondary Education from Richmond College, and a Doctorate of Education from Nova Southeastern University.

Dr. Wieland is a senior instructional facilitator of mathematics for Johns Hopkins University's Talent Development Secondary, where she has worked for 15 years. She previously served as a mathematics teacher in New York where she taught students in middle and high schools, as well as at the college level. In addition, she has worked as a curriculum developer, writer, and implementer for schools in the New York area. A leader among her peers, Dr. Wieland has been nominated for the Presidential Award for Excellence in Teaching of Mathematics.

Dr. Wieland began working with Miami-Dade County Public Schools earlier this year as part of the Diplomas Now collaboration. She works with the administration, faculty, coaches, and stakeholders at Miami Carol City Senior High School and Homestead Senior High School. Dr. Wieland's role as a member of the Johns Hopkins University's Talent Development team is to provide technical assistance, classroom support, and professional development expertise to the schools. She assists the mathematics faculty and coaches by troubleshooting problems and strategizing solutions. Dr. Wieland uses the coaching cycle to develop best practices in instruction and leadership. Miami-Dade County Public Schools commends Dr. Theodora Wieland for her commitment and dedication to education and her support of the students and faculty of Miami Carol City Senior High School and Homestead Senior High School.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
DR. WILBERT "TEE" HOLLOWAY:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-077 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Dr. Theodora Wieland for her contributions in mathematics to Miami-Dade County Public Schools students.

**RESOLUTION NO. 13-077
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING DR. THEODORA WIELAND FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS IN
MATHEMATICS TO MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS STUDENTS**

WHEREAS, an industry veteran, Dr. Theodora Wieland has worked in the field of education for more than 40 years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Wieland is a senior instructional facilitator of mathematics for Johns Hopkins University's Talent Development Secondary, where she has worked for 15 years; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Wieland began working with Miami-Dade County Public Schools earlier this year as part of the Diplomas Now collaboration. She works with the administration, faculty, coaches, and stakeholders at Miami Carol City Senior High School and Homestead Senior High School; and

WHEREAS, in her role as a member of the Johns Hopkins University's Talent Development team, Dr. Wieland provides technical assistance, classroom support, and professional development expertise to the schools. She assists the mathematics faculty and coaches by troubleshooting problems and strategizing solutions; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County Public Schools commends Dr. Theodora Wieland for her commitment and dedication to education and her support of the students and faculty of Miami Carol City Senior High School and Homestead Senior High School;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 13-077 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Dr. Theodora Wieland for her contributions in mathematics to Miami-Dade County Public Schools students.

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

Presented this eighth day of May, A.D. 2013

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary