

Dr. Dorothy Bendross-Mindingall, Board Member

**SUBJECT:                   REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 14-103  
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY,  
FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING GOLF-IN-GALS CLUB, INC.**

**COMMITTEE:               INSTRUCTIONAL   EXCELLENCE    AND   COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT**

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

Golf-In-Gals Club (GIGC) is a multi-cultural organization, which was created as a funding vehicle for Safe Outlet Inc., a non-profit organization that caters to victims and children of domestic violence. Golf-In Gals Club's purpose is to connect women from all walks of life to learn, play and enjoy golf for business and pleasure, while engaging in philanthropic activities.

Since its inception, the organization has developed partnerships with PGA professionals to spearhead golf clinics that teach and empower women business professionals and/or entrepreneurs aspiring to learn the sport of golf while simultaneously building new relationships, expanding their business and personal networks, as well as increasing social skills on and off the green.

In addition to strengthening their social and business relationships, the Golf-In-Girls Club offers a wide variety of programs, which includes literacy, vision-boarding, tutoring support services, as well as mentorships for both beginners and seasoned golfers. The Club also promotes the concept of mentorship, which it sees as a structured and trusting relationship bringing young people together with established caring individuals who will offer them guidance, support and encouragement aimed at developing the competence and character of the young person serving as mentee.

The Golf-In-Gals Club serves to inspire, cultivate, educate, empower and bring hope to young lives within the inner city, especially in impoverished communities, through the sport of golf and the dedication of mentoring. It is the firm belief of the Club that all young people have the potential to succeed in life and contribute to society.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY  
DR. DOROTHY BENDROSS-MINDINGALL:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida approve Resolution No. 14-103 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida recognizing Golf-In-Gals Club, Inc.

**Replacement  
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**RESOLUTION No. 14-103  
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
RECOGNIZING THE GOLF-IN-GALS CLUB INC.**

**WHEREAS**, Golf-In-Gals Club (GIGC) is a multi-cultural organization, which was created as a funding vehicle for Safe Outlet Inc., a non-profit organization that caters to victims and children of domestic violence; and

**WHEREAS**, Golf-In Gals Club's purpose is to connect women from all walks of life to learn, play and enjoy golf for business and pleasure, while engaging in philanthropic activities; and

**WHEREAS**, since its inception, the organization has developed partnerships with PGA professionals to spearhead golf clinics that teach and empower women business professionals and/or entrepreneurs aspiring to learn the sport of golf while simultaneously building new relationships, expanding their business and personal networks, as well as increasing social skills on and off the green; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition to strengthening their social and business relationships, the Golf-In-Girls Club offers a wide variety of programs, which includes literacy, vision-boarding, tutoring support services, as well as mentorships for both beginners and seasoned golfers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Club also promotes the concept of mentorship which it sees as a structured and trusting relationship bringing young people together with established caring individuals who will offer them guidance and support; and

**WHEREAS**, the Golf-In-Gals Club serves to inspire, cultivate, educate, empower and bring hope to young lives within the inner city through the sport of golf and the dedication of mentoring;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 14-103 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Golf-in-Gals Club, Inc.

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

**Presented this nineteenth day of November, A.D. 2014**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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CHAIR

ATTEST:

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Secretary