Dr. Marta Perez, Member

SUBJECT: AMEND SCHOOL BOARD RULE 6Gx13-7E-1.02, **EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES - NAMING**

This item is submitted for consideration by the Board to prevent naming schools or school Revised facilities after any living person.

Board Rule 6Gx13-7E-1.02 currently states:

- ...l. Names to be proposed shall be selected in accordance with the following guidelines:
 - A. If the school or school facility is to be named by its location in the community, the names proposed should be descriptive and of reasonable length.
 - B. If the school or school facility is to be named for a man or woman, the names proposed should be:
 - 1. Those of outstanding civic, or educational leaders, or individuals who have made a significant contribution to humanity whether living or deceased, of local, national, or international prominence.
 - 2. If the school or school facility is to be named for a living person, the eponym's consent will first be obtained....

The purpose of this agenda item is to amend B1 by striking out the words "whether living or deceased" and to amend B2 by striking out its content and inserting the following:

Revised

Schools or school facilities should not be named after any living person.

The Board authorizes and directs the Superintendent to initiate rule making procedures in accordance with the above recommendation.

ACTION PROPOSED BY DR. MARTA PEREZ:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida authorize the Superintendent to amend Board Rule 6Gx13-7E-1.02, Educational Facilities - Naming, to prevent naming schools or school facilities after any living person.

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