

Ms. Ana Rivas Logan, Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 06-03 OF
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING FRANK LOUREDA OF MASTER FRANK'S
TAEKWONDO ACADEMY FOR EMPOWERING AND MENTORING
M-DCPS STUDENTS THROUGH THE ART OF TAEKWONDO**

COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Under Professor Frank Loureda's successful tutelage, students from Miami-Dade County Public Schools, who have taken classes at his Taekwondo Academy, have applied the same discipline to their studies and are achieving high academics.

Mr. Loureda is a seventh-degree black belt making him one of the highest ranked Masters of Hispanic descent in the nation. A teacher, mentor, psychologist, and counselor, Mr. Loureda is a friend to all his students, ages three to adult.

Additionally, Mr. Loureda has worked for the YMCA for more than fifteen years, giving of his time and talent to help others in his community.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MS. ANA RIVAS LOGAN:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 06-03 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Frank Loureda of Master Frank's Taekwondo Academy for empowering and mentoring M-DCPS students through the art of taekwondo.

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WHEREAS, Under Professor Frank Loureda's successful tutelage, students from Miami-Dade County Public Schools who have taken classes at his Taekwondo Academy, have applied the same discipline to their studies and are achieving high academics; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Loureda is a seventh degree black belt making him one of the highest ranked Masters of Hispanic descent in the nation. Professor Loureda is a teacher, mentor, psychologist, a counselor and a friend to all his students, ages 3 to adult; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Loureda has worked for the YMCA for more than 15 years, giving of his time and talent to help others in his community; and

WHEREAS, he has empowered his students, 80 percent of which are M-DCPS students, to do well in school, be team players and give back to their communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 06-03 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Frank Loureda of Master Frank's Taekwondo Academy for empowering and mentoring M-DCPS students through the art of taekwondo.

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

Presented this eighteenth day of January, A.D. 2006

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

SECRETARY