Office of the School Board Members Board Meeting of May 20, 2009

Dr. Lawrence Feldman, Board Member

SUBJECT:

REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 09-69 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING MS. JOAN FRAWLEY OF CUTLER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL, MS. IRIS MORE OF CAMPBELL DRIVE MIDDLE SCHOOL, MS. ALEXIA ROLLE OF HOMESTEAD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, MS. ANA SHAW OF CARIBBEAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND MS. VERNESSA SMITH FROM REDLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL AS THE 2009 EXEMPLARY

**COUNSELORS OF THE YEAR** 

COMMITTEE:

INSTRUCTIONAL

EXCELLENCE AND

COMMUNITY

**ENGAGEMENT** 

LINK TO DISTRICT

STRATEGIC PLAN:

RECRUIT, DEVELOP, AND RETAIN HIGH PERFORMING,

DIVERSE, AND MOTIVATED FACULTY AND STAFF

At the annual Student Services/DCA Awards Breakfast Student Services, held on February 8, 2009, personnel and administrators from the elementary, middle, senior, and adult/vocational level who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and commitment to students' personal/social, educational and career/health development were honored and recognized by their colleagues.

Ms. Joan Frawley, Career Specialist, from Cutler Ridge Middle School, Ms. Iris More, TRUST Specialist from Campbell Drive Middle School, Ms. Alexia Rolle, Secondary Counselor, from Homestead Senior High School, Ms. Ana Shaw, Elementary Counselor, from Caribbean Elementary School, and Ms. Vernessa Smith, NBCT Counselor, from Redland Middle School were selected as the 2009 Exemplary Counselors of the Year.

A comprehensive Student Services Program is considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school and in the future. We salute these counselors for their outstanding contributions to the lives and emotional well-being of our students.

## ACTION PROPOSED BY DR. LAWRENCE FELDMAN:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 09-69 of The School Board of the Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Ms. Joan Frawley of Cutler Ridge Middle School, Ms. Iris More of Campbell Drive Middle School, Ms. Alexia Rolle of Homestead Senior High School, Ms. Ana Shaw of Caribbean Elementary School, and Ms. Vernessa Smith of Redland Middle School the 2009 Exemplary Counselors of the Year.

## **RESOLUTION NO. 09-69**

OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING MS. JOAN FRAWLEY OF CUTLER RIDGE MIDDLE SCHOOL, MS. IRIS MORE OF CAMPBELL DRIVE MIDDLE SCHOOL, MS. ALEXIA ROLLE OF HOMESTEAD SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, MS. ANA SHAW OF CARIBBEAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AND MS. VERNESSA SMITH FROM REDLAND MIDDLE SCHOOL AS THE 2009 EXEMPLARY COUNSELORS OF THE YEAR THE EXEMPLARY COUNSELORS OF THE YEAR

**WHEREAS**, student services personnel are employed in schools to help students reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS, student services personnel are actively committed to helping students explore their abilities, strengths, interests and talents as these traits relate to their career, educational and personal/social development; and

WHEREAS, student services personnel help parents and/or guardians focus on ways to further the career, educational and personal/social growth of their children; and

WHEREAS, student services personnel work with teachers, administrators and other educators and school staff to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Joan Frawley, Career Specialist, from Cutler Ridge Middle School, Ms. Iris More, TRUST Specialist from Campbell Drive Middle School, Ms. Alexia Rolle, Secondary Counselor, from Homestead Senior High School, Ms. Ana Shaw, Elementary Counselor, from Caribbean Elementary School, and Ms. Vernessa Smith, NBCT Counselor of Redland Middle School were selected as the 2009 Exemplary Counselors of the Year;

## NOW. THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

That the School Board of Miami Dade County, Florida approve Resolution No. 09-69 of The School Board of the Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Ms. Joan Frawley of Cutler Ridge Middle School, Ms. Iris More of Campbell Drive Middle School, Ms. Alexia Rolle of Homestead Senior High School, Ms. Ana Shaw of Caribbean Elementary School, and Ms. Vernessa Smith of Redland Middle School the 2009 Exemplary Counselors of the Year.

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

Presented this twentieth day of May, A.D. 2009

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

	CHAIR
ATTEST:	
Secretary	
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