

Mr. Carlos L. Curbelo, Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 11-033 OF
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
ENDORING THE UNITED HEARTS OF AMERICA ON APRIL
9TH AND 10TH 2011 AT ART IN THE PARK MIAMI**

**COMMITTEE: INSTRUCTIONAL EXCELLENCE AND COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT**

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

The United Hearts of America is a Community Heart Project where thousands of citizens will join together to create a series of American flags made out of hearts. Participants will be given the opportunity to paint a heart and record a personal message on what education means to them. The American flags when completed will be sent to the President of the United States, each member of Congress and to the Supreme Court justices.

The purpose of this Community Heart Project is to unite our community and make education a number one priority to all. This Community Heart Project will take place in Downtown Miami, at the Art in the Park Miami.

The United Hearts of America project is under the direction of Ed King. Mr. King has received the Calabash Visual Arts Community Service Award and is a Secretary of the Board for Family Resource Center of South Florida. King frequently donates his time and artwork to numerous charities throughout Miami-Dade County.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MR. CARLOS L. CURBELO:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 11-033 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, endorsing the United Hearts of America on April 9th and 10th 2011 at Art in the Park Miami.

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WHEREAS, the United Hearts of America is a Community Heart Project where thousands of citizens will join together to create a series of American flags made out of hearts; and

WHEREAS, participants will be given the opportunity to paint a heart and record a personal message on what education means to them; and

WHEREAS, the American flags when completed will be sent to the President of the United States, each member of Congress and to the Supreme Court justices; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Community Heart Project is to unite our community and make education a number one priority to all;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 11-033 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, endorsing the United Hearts of America on April 9th and 10th 2011 at Art in the Park Miami.

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

Presented this ninth day of March, A.D. 2011

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary