

Office of School Board Members
Board Meeting of May 11, 2011

May 10, 2011

Ms. Raquel Regalado, Board Member

SUBJECT: DIRECT THE SCHOOL BOARD ATTORNEY TO EXPLORE THE PROCESS TO IMPLEMENT TERM LIMITS AND OTHER GOVERNANCE STRUCTURE CHANGES IN THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, EFFICIENCY AND GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS

LINK TO STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK: SCHOOL/ DISTRICT LEADERSHIP

This item requests that the School Board Attorney compile a report for the Board on changes to governance at other school districts and the legal process associated with the implementation of such changes. As was discussed at our last board meeting when this item was deferred our local community is grappling with changes to the Miami-Dade County Charter and discussing governmental reform in general.

This item requests that the School Board direct the School Board Attorney to explore the processes required to implement changes in governance such as but not limited to term limits, employment restrictions, and district wide representation. It further requests a summary of governance changes at the School Board level throughout the State of Florida in the past decade. Once the School Board Attorney has provided his report the Board can decide if it desires to discuss the findings at our monthly meeting or at a workshop.

ACTION PROPOSED BY

MS. RAQUEL A. REGALADO: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, direct the School Board Attorney to explore the process required to implement changes in the governance structure of the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

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