

Dr. Wilbert "Tee" Holloway, Board Member

**SUBJECT:** REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 12-099 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING DELORES INGRAM FOR HER OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND THE COMMUNITY

**COMMITTEE:** SCHOOL SUPPORT AND ACCOUNTABILITY

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

Delores Ingram is a community stalwart who has volunteered her time and service through her work in the Opa-Locka community. Following the passing of her husband and School Board member, Dr. Robert B. Ingram, Mrs. Ingram renewed her commitment to philanthropy. She has volunteered countless hours working with students and staff of Dr. Robert B. Ingram Elementary School. She attends and participates in various programs at the school. Mrs. Ingram created the school's Ambassador Club, which addresses chronic truancy by promoting and encouraging student responsibility. In addition, she serves in leadership roles on the school's Parent Teacher Association Executive Board and the Educational Excellence School Advisory Council.

Mrs. Ingram serves as the chairman of the Dr. Robert B. Ingram Foundation. The foundation's Read to Lead program is an incentive-based reading program that is open to all Miami-Dade County public school students. Personally involved in the program, Mrs. Ingram has chaperoned the Read to Lead Scholarship Trip for the past three years.

Delores Ingram is to be commended for continuing the great work of her late husband Dr. Robert B. Ingram. Her commitment to education has positively impacted the lives of the students and families of Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the community.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY**

**DR. WILBERT "TEE" HOLLOWAY:** That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 12-099 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Delores Ingram for her outstanding service to Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the community.

**RESOLUTION NO. 12-099**  
**OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,**  
**RECOGNIZING DELORES INGRAM FOR HER OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO**  
**MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND THE COMMUNITY**

**WHEREAS**, Delores Ingram is a community stalwart who has volunteered her time and service through her work in the Opa-Locka community. Following the passing of her husband and School Board member, Dr. Robert B. Ingram, Mrs. Ingram renewed her commitment to philanthropy; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Ingram has volunteered countless hours working with students and staff of Dr. Robert B. Ingram Elementary School. She attends and participates in various programs at the school; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Ingram created the school's Ambassador Club, which addresses chronic truancy by promoting and encouraging student responsibility; and

**WHEREAS**, in addition, Mrs. Ingram serves in leadership roles on the school's Parent Teacher Association Executive Board and the Educational Excellence School Advisory Council; and

**WHEREAS**, Mrs. Ingram serves as the chairman of the Dr. Robert B. Ingram Foundation. The foundation's Read to Lead program is an incentive-based reading program that is open to all Miami-Dade County public school students; and

**WHEREAS**, Delores Ingram is to be commended for continuing the great work of her late husband Dr. Robert B. Ingram. Her commitment to education has positively impacted the lives of the students and families of Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the community;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:**

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 12-099 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Delores Ingram for her outstanding service to Miami-Dade County Public Schools and the community.

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

**Presented this thirteenth day of June, A.D. 2012**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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CHAIR

ATTEST:

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Secretary