

Dr. Lawrence S. Feldman, Vice Chair

**SUBJECT:                   REQUEST APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 14-092 OF  
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
RECOGNIZING THE ALLIANCE FOR A HEALTHIER  
GENERATION HEALTHY SCHOOL AWARD WINNERS**

**COMMITTEE:           INSTRUCTIONAL   EXCELLENCE    AND   COMMUNITY  
ENGAGEMENT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC  
FRAMEWORK:           SCHOOL/DISTRICT LEADERSHIP**

Every year, the Alliance for a Healthier Generation honors schools that improve services and physical programs that meet or exceed rigorous standards through its National Recognition Award as part of its Healthy Schools Program. The program provides professional development including onsite and online trainings with school health experts, customer support, and science-based resources. Schools are recognized at the Bronze, Silver and Gold levels based on their level of achievement, school meals, health and physical education and employee wellness.

This year, seven Miami-Dade public schools had the distinction of being recognized as the healthiest schools in the nation at the Healthy Schools Program Forum held on September 12-14 in Washington, D.C. Cutler Ridge, Melrose, Royal Palm, and North Miami elementary schools, as well as Nautilus Middle School, were honored as Silver schools. Bent Tree and Charles R. Hadley elementary schools were honored as Bronze schools.

The Healthy Schools Program was established in 2006 to address the growing rate of childhood obesity. The program has helped more than 24,000 schools increase quality physical activity, health education and healthy eating. This year, 250 schools were recognized with a National Healthy Schools Award.

The leadership, staff, students and parents of the Healthy Schools are to be commended for their commitment to upholding and fostering a healthy lifestyle the increases the well-being of all those involved.

**ACTION PROPOSED BY**

**DR. LAWRENCE S. FELDMAN:**   That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 14-092 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Alliance for a Healthier Generation Healthy School Award winners.

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OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,  
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SCHOOL AWARD WINNERS**

**WHEREAS**, every year, the Alliance for a Healthier Generation honors schools that improve services and physical programs that meet or exceed rigorous standards through its National Recognition Award as part of its Healthy Schools Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the program provides professional development including onsite and online trainings with school health experts, customer support, and science-based resources. Schools are recognized at the Bronze, Silver and Gold levels based on their level of achievement, school meals, health and physical education and employee wellness; and

**WHEREAS**, this year, seven Miami-Dade public schools had the distinction of being recognized as the healthiest schools in the nation at the Healthy Schools Program Forum held on September 12-14 in Washington, D.C.; and

**WHEREAS**, Cutler Ridge, Melrose, Royal Palm, and North Miami elementary schools, as well as Nautilus Middle School, were honored as Silver schools. Bent Tree and Charles R. Hadley elementary schools were honored as Bronze schools; and

**WHEREAS**, the Healthy Schools Program was established in 2006 to address the growing rate of childhood obesity. The program has helped more than 24,000 schools increase quality physical activity, health education and healthy eating. This year, 250 schools were recognized with a National Healthy Schools Award; and

**WHEREAS**, the leadership, staff, students and parents of the Healthy Schools are to be commended for their commitment to upholding and fostering a healthy lifestyle the increases the well-being of all those involved;

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

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 14-092 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the Alliance for a Healthier Generation Healthy School Award winners.

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

**Presented this seventh day of October, A.D. 2014**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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CHAIR

ATTEST:

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Secretary