

Dr. Wilbert "Tee" Holloway, Board Member

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 16-073 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING WELLS FARGO FOR THEIR SUPPORT IN OUR COMMUNITY AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR SCHOOLS

COMMITTEE: INNOVATION, GOVERNMENTAL RELATIONS, AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

LINK TO STRATEGIC BLUEPRINT: SAFE, HEALTHY AND SUPPORTIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

Wells Fargo is proud to help strengthen our communities through charitable contributions, volunteerism, and team member leadership. With a focus on community development and education, Wells Fargo donated more than \$12.7 million and 90,612-team member volunteer services hours across Florida in 2015. During the past year, Wells Fargo's team members have donated 19,002 hours of volunteer service to the South Florida community.

Through its Community Connection Grant Program, Wells Fargo invited all of its banking stores and business banking offices to select a local public school to receive a \$1,000 grant. In this way, Wells Fargo's team members had the opportunity to learn about the needs of the communities where we work and live, respond to those needs that align with the Wells Fargo corporate giving guidelines with a one-time grant of \$1,000, provide a neighboring nonprofit or school with volunteer support and provide an opportunity for Wells Fargo Team Members to present financial Literacy training to our students.

Last month, 62 Miami-Dade County public schools received a total of \$62,000 in grants. Throughout the year, store teams and business banking offices are expected to continue engagement with their school through volunteerism. In May of 2015, Wells Fargo provided more than \$50,000 to Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS).

With these two donations to M-DCPS, Wells Fargo provided more than \$100,000 in the last 13 months directly to our public schools for educational needs. The impact of Wells Fargo's total Miami-Dade corporate citizenship is also far reaching as it was also one of the very early and major supporters of the One Community One Goal initiative by the Beacon Council, supporting the future of public education and Miami-Dade's economic development.

In addition to its commitment to public education through the Community Connections Grant Program, Wells Fargo and its team members have a steadfast tradition of supporting their communities with time, talent, and treasure.

For the past several years, Wells Fargo has developed several strategic partnerships with numerous organizations that directly support Miami-Dade County Public Schools including The Dade Education Fund, Arsht Center, City Year, Jr. Achievement of Miami, Big Brothers Big Sisters, Teach For America, Posse Foundation, Frost Museum of Science, Center for Financial Literacy, NYFTY, Boys and Girls Clubs, Dream In Green, I Have A Dream Foundation, Perez Art Museum, Miami Music Project, the Overtown Youth Center and Breakthrough Miami.

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ACTION PROPOSED BY

DR. WILBERT “TEE” HOLLOWAY:

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 16-073 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Wells Fargo for their support in our community and contributions to our schools.

**RESOLUTION NO. 16-073
OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING WELLS FARGO FOR THEIR SUPPORT IN OUR COMMUNITY AND
CONTRIBUTIONS TO OUR SCHOOLS**

WHEREAS, Wells Fargo is proud to help strengthen our communities through charitable contributions, volunteerism, and team member leadership; and

WHEREAS, with a focus on community development and education, Wells Fargo donated more than \$12.7 million and 90,612-team member volunteer services hours across Florida in 2015. During the past year, Wells Fargo's team members have donated 19,002 hours of volunteer service to the South Florida community; and

WHEREAS, through its Community Connection Grant Program, Wells Fargo invited all of its banking stores and business banking offices to select a local public school to receive a \$1,000 grant; and

WHEREAS, Wells Fargo's team members had the opportunity to respond to those needs that align with the Wells Fargo corporate giving guidelines and provide an opportunity for Wells Fargo Team Members to present financial literacy training to our students; and

WHEREAS, last month, 62 Miami-Dade County public schools received a total of \$62,000 in grants. In May 2015, Wells Fargo provided more than \$50,000 to Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS). With these two donations to M-DCPS, Wells Fargo provided more than \$100,000 in the last 13 months directly to our public schools for educational needs; and

WHEREAS, the impact of Wells Fargo's total Miami-Dade corporate citizenship is also far reaching as it was also one of the very early and major supporters of the One Community One Goal initiative by the Beacon Council, supporting the future of public education and Miami-Dade's economic development; and

WHEREAS, Wells Fargo is to be commended for the strategic partnerships it has with numerous organizations that directly support Miami-Dade County Public Schools.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 16-073 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Wells Fargo for their support in our community and contributions to our schools.

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

Presented this thirteenth day of July, A.D. 2016

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida

CHAIR

ATTEST:

Secretary