

Dr. Dorothy Bendross-Mindingall. Board Member

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 23-020 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING MIAMI CENTRAL SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2022 FHSAA 5A STATE FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

**COMMITTEE: PERSONNEL, STUDENT, SCHOOL & COMMUNITY SUPPORT**

**LINK TO STRATEGIC PLAN: INFORMED, ENGAGED, & EMPOWERED STAKEHOLDERS**

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I am pleased to know that Miami-Dade County Public Schools football program excels not only on the field, but off the field as well. This speaks volume to the students' dedication and commitment to education and athletics. I would like to send a heartfelt thank you to the coaches, principals, administrators, staff, parents, stakeholders, alumni, and the community, but more importantly to the team for their perseverance, and discipline. Their hard work really paid off, and District 2 and Miami-Dade County Public Schools could not be more proud of these scholar athletes.

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

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 23-020 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing Miami Central for winning the 2022 FHSAA 2M State Football Championship.

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

**Presented this nineteenth day of April, A. D. 2023**

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

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SCHOOL BOARD CHAIR

ATTEST:

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Secretary