

Ms. Maria Teresa Rojas, Chair

SUBJECT: MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2024 STATE OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT ADDRESS

Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS), the third largest school district in the nation, serves over 337,000 students and 50,000 adult learners. M-DCPS is an A-rated school district for five years and 99% of schools are rated A, B, or C. The graduation rate is over 94% for traditional public schools. These great achievements are the culmination of the success of a comprehensive approach to teaching and learning, providing a world-class education to our students; with outstanding support and commitment from the School Board, as policy makers; a dedicated and committed Superintendent of Schools; supportive district and region administrators; a workforce of wonderful teachers, school-site administrators, support and clerical staff, among others; supportive parents; an interested and caring community; and of course, our incredible students.

While these achievements provide a roadmap for self-reflection and continuous improvements, the *2024 State of The School District Address* will delineate successes and challenges as we embark on new technologies, changing demographics, and an exciting future for our students and the Miami-Dade County community. Therefore, this agenda item is presented to announce that on Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at 3:00 p. m., during the regularly scheduled School Board meeting, the School Board Chair will deliver the *2024 State of the School District Address*, an accounting of the progress and challenges of Miami Dade County Public Schools.

The item has been reviewed and approved by the General Counsel's Office as to form and legal sufficiency.

ACTION PROPOSED BY CHAIR

MS. MARIA TERESA ROJAS: That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, receive the *2024 State of the School District Address*, Wednesday, October 16, 2024, at 3:00 p.m. during the regularly scheduled School Board meeting, to be delivered by the School Board Chair.

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