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ACTION

SUBJECT: REQUEST APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION NO. 25-005 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, RECOGNIZING THE CITY OF HIALEAH'S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

COMMITTEE: PERSONNEL, STUDENT, SCHOOL & COMMUNITY SUPPORT

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

This year, the City of Hialeah proudly celebrates its 100th anniversary, marking a remarkable milestone that honors a century of progress, resilience, and transformation. Since its incorporation on September 10, 1925, Hialeah has evolved from a small community into one of Florida's most vibrant and dynamic cities, proudly known as the "City of Progress." The city's name is derived from Muskogee origin, combining "haiyakpo" (prairie) and "hili" (pretty) to mean "pretty prairie."

For 100 years, Hialeah has stood as a testament to the spirit of opportunity, diversity, and innovation. Its rich cultural heritage, strong community bonds, and unwavering commitment to progress have shaped a city where residents from all walks of life come together to create a thriving and flourishing community. Hialeah has been a cornerstone in the development of Miami-Dade County, playing a pivotal role in shaping the region's identity, economy, and cultural landscape.

Throughout its history, Hialeah has remained steadfast in its dedication to providing opportunities and enhancing the quality of life for all its residents. From its vibrant neighborhoods to its renowned parks and recreational spaces, the city has fostered an environment where individuals and families can thrive. Its business community has flourished, and its cultural institutions continue to celebrate the city's unique identity.

Hialeah's commitment to progress is also reflected in its educational institutions. Schools such as Hialeah Senior High School and South Hialeah Elementary School have long served as pillars of academic excellence, helping to shape the future leaders of tomorrow. The partnership between Hialeah and Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) has been essential in supporting the growth and success of the city's youth, ensuring that Hialeah's next generation continues to reach new heights. As the City of Hialeah celebrates this historic centennial, the School Board extends its heartfelt congratulations to the city and its residents. We acknowledge Hialeah's tremendous growth and success over the past century and its vital contributions to the cultural, educational, and economic fabric of Miami-Dade County. The School Board looks forward to continued collaboration with the city to shape an even brighter future for the students, educators, families, and residents who call Hialeah home.

This resolution celebrates Hialeah's centennial with pride and admiration. This recognition serves as a testament to the strong bond between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the City of Hialeah, reflecting our shared commitment to excellence, opportunity, and community pride. Congratulations to the City of Hialeah on 100 extraordinary years!

**ACTION PROPOSED BY
MR. DANNY ESPINO:**

That The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 25-005 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the City of Hialeah's Centennial Anniversary.

**RESOLUTION NO. 25-005 OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA,
RECOGNIZING THE CITY OF HIALEAH'S CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY**

WHEREAS, this year, the City of Hialeah proudly celebrates its 100th anniversary, marking a remarkable milestone that honors a century of progress, resilience, and transformation. Since its incorporation on September 10, 1925, Hialeah has evolved from a small community into one of Florida's most vibrant and dynamic cities, proudly known as the "City of Progress." The city's name is derived from Muskogee origin, combining "haiyakpo" (prairie) and "hill" (pretty) to mean "pretty prairie"; and

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WHEREAS, throughout its history, Hialeah has remained steadfast in its dedication to providing opportunities and enhancing the quality of life for all its residents. From its vibrant neighborhoods to its renowned parks and recreational spaces, the city has fostered an environment where individuals and families can thrive. Its business community has flourished, and its cultural institutions continue to celebrate the city's unique identity; and

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WHEREAS, this resolution celebrates Hialeah's centennial with pride and admiration. This recognition serves as a testament to the strong bond between The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, and the City of Hialeah, reflecting our shared commitment to excellence, opportunity, and community pride. Congratulations to the City of Hialeah on 100 extraordinary years;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, approve Resolution No. 25-005 of The School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida, recognizing the City of Hialeah's Centennial Anniversary.

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

Presented this twelfth day of February, A.D. 2025

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

SCHOOL BOARD CHAIR

ATTEST

Secretary