

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CORAL GABLES SCHOOL COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE URGING THE CITY COMMISSION TO REQUEST THAT THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD INCLUDE THE ENTIRE CITY IN A SINGLE SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Miami-Dade County School Board (“School Board”) is legally required to review, formulate and approve a redistricting plan and adopt a resolution setting forth the boundaries for that plan prior to the end of 2021; and

WHEREAS, following its review of 2020 U.S. Census data, the School Board will redraw the nine residence area boundaries to achieve board member residence areas that are reflective of the population changes that have occurred since the 2010 Census and approve the new boundaries at an upcoming School Board meeting; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 1001.36, Florida Statutes, a boundary change that would affect the residence qualifications of an incumbent board member does not disqualify the incumbent member from serving the term for which he or she is elected; and

WHEREAS, any changes to the School Board member district map will not impact school attendance zones; and

WHEREAS, the School Community Relations Committee believes it would be advantageous for the City to be located entirely in one school district, so that all public schools and residents receive equal representation; and

WHEREAS, the redistricting process’ public input phase is currently underway with public meetings scheduled through October 28, 2021;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SCHOOL COMMUNITY RELATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA THAT:

SECTION 1. That the foregoing “**WHEREAS**” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. That the School Community Relations Committee urges the City Commission request that the Miami-Dade County School Board include the entire City in a single school district.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS FIFTEENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D. 2021

APPROVED:

CORAL GABLES
SCHOOL COMMUNITY RELATIONS
COMMITTEE