



**DR. BARBARA M. CAREY-SHULER**  
CHAIRPERSON, BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
COMMISSIONER, DISTRICT 3

June 10, 2003

Mr. Christopher R. Mazzella  
Inspector General  
Office of the Inspector General  
Biscayne Building  
19 West Flagler Street, Suite 220  
Miami, FL 33130

Dear Chris:

This is a brief note to let you know how much I appreciate your leadership and hard work in bringing to light the incidence of fraud, waste and mismanagement in our County operations. I must also compliment you and your staff on those indirect instances where criminal conduct has been ferreted out as a result of ongoing efforts put forth by your office.

Your open lines of communication are always appreciated and I am grateful for your efforts to keep me informed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barbara Carey-Shuler", is written over the typed name and title. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Barbara Carey-Shuler, Ed.D.  
Chairperson