

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-211

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSIONER REBECA SOSA'S OFFER TO WORK COLLABORATIVELY ON UTILIZING COUNTY DOLLARS TO FUND A PROGRAM OR FACILITY FOR CHILDREN AND YOUNG ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES IN THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES.

WHEREAS, Miami- Dade County District 6 Commissioner Rebeca Sosa, informed the City Commission that the County has set aside approximately \$1.5 million dollars in funds to be expended; and

WHEREAS, Commissioner Sosa offered to work collaboratively with the City and to determine how best to spend that money, specifically looking at creating a program or multi-purpose facility in Coral Gables for children and young adults with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the City is interested in working with the Miami-Dade County Commission to determine how best to serve the needs of children and young adults with disabilities with the funds Commissioner Sosa indicated were available;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:

SECTION 1. 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 City Commission accepts the offer of Miami-Dade County Commissioner Sosa to work collaboratively to determine how best to utilize the funds mentioned to serve children and young adults with disabilities.

SECTION 3. That the City Commission does hereby direct City staff to look into the matter and determine what if any community partnerships may be available, specifically with the University of Miami and the Miami-Dade County School Board.

SECTION 4. That the City Commission appoints Commissioner Patricia Keon as the City Commission's representative and liaison for this issue and directs Commissioner Keon to work with the City Manager and Commissioner Sosa to investigate possible uses of the funds.

SECTION 5. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS THIRTEENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2016.
(Moved: Lago/ Seconded: Slesnick)
(Yeas: Keon, Lago, Slesnick, Cason)
(Majority: (4-0) Vote)
(Absent: Quesada)
(Agenda Item: F-1)

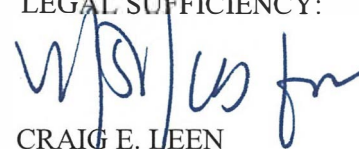
APPROVED:


JIM CASON
MAYOR

ATTEST:


WALTER J. FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:


CRAIG E. LEEN
CITY ATTORNEY