CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-199

A RESOLUTION CHANGING THE DATE OF THE SECOND FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016 BUDGET HEARING FROM SEPTEMBER 22, 2015 AT 5:01 PM TO SEPTEMBER 21, 2015 AT 5:01 PM.

WHEREAS, a Fiscal Year 2015-2016 Budget Workshop was held on July 8, 2015 to present the Budget Estimate to the City Commission, set a tentative millage rate and set dates for the two State required Budget Hearings; and

WHEREAS, September 8, 2015 at 5:01 PM was recommended and accepted for the first Budget Hearing and September 22, 2015 at 5:01 PM was recommended and accepted for the second Budget Hearing; and

WHEREAS, a subsequent review of the second Budget Hearing date uncovered a conflict with the observance of the Jewish Holiday of Yom Kippur; and

WHEREAS, staff is recommending the second hearing date be changed to September 21, 2015 at 5:01 PM.;

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

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 date of the second Budget Hearing is changed from September 22, 2015 at 5:01 PM to September 21, 2015 at 5:01 PM.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall become effective immediately upon the date of the passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF AUBUST, A.D., 2015.

(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Keon) (Yeas: Lago, Slesnick, Keon, Cason)

(Majority: (4-0) Vote) (Absent: Quesada) (Agenda Item: H-6)

APPROVED:

JIM CASON MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

WALTER J. FOEMAN

CITY CLERK

CRAIG E. LEEN

CITY ATTORNEY

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-200

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING A PREFERENCE FOR AMERICAN MANUFACTURED PRODUCTS IN THE AWARD OF CITY CONTRACTS FOR GOODS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY AND EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables' City Commission recognizes the importance of supporting manufacturers committed to manufacturing products in the United States; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Government, through the "American Legislation" encourages and, in many instances requires, the purchase of American manufactured products; and

WHEREAS, the City wishes to support businesses and manufacturers committed to manufacturing products in the United States;

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

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. The City Commission does hereby establish, in the procurement of goods, a preference for products manufactured in the United States. For purposes of this Resolution, the preference is related to products manufactured in the United States, even if the company is owned and managed outside of the United States. Thus, an American company that manufacturers product outside of the United States shall not be granted any such preference for those products. Such preference shall apply in all City Invitation For Bids, Request For Proposals, and Request For Qualifications. City Staff is also directed to consider these principles in the purchase of goods, without compromising quality or standards.

SECTION 3. Said preference, however, shall not be dispositive in the award but rather, shall serve to add bonus points when determining the highest and most responsible bidder, proposer, or qualifier by the Selection Committee.

SECTION 4. City Staff is directed to establish a bonus program consistent with the policy stated herein.

SECTION 5. City Staff is directed to provide a status report regarding the bonus program in 90 days.

SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY. If any action, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Resolution is held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any Court of competent jurisdiction, then said holding shall in no way affect the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF AUGUST A.D., 2015.

(Moved: Keon / Seconded: Slesnick) (Yeas: Slesnick, Keon, Lago, Cason)

(Majority: (4-0) Vote) (Absent: Quesada) (Agenda Item: F-4)

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