

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-37**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING AN ENCUMBRANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$9,480 OR 25% OF STATE FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONEYS RECEIVED IN THE 2018/2019 FISCAL YEAR, TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUPPORT AND OPERATION OF SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER, CRIME PREVENTION, SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD AND DRUG ABUSE AND PREVENTION PROGRAMS, AS REQUIRED UNDER THE FLORIDA CONTRABAND FORFEITURE ACT.

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Police Department’s investigations of criminal activity produce forfeited funds, both related and unrelated to its participation in the South Florida Money Laundering Strike Force operations; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Police Department may lawfully retain at the conclusion of the legal proceedings the forfeited funds as authorized under Florida Statutes § 932.0755; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Police Department requests to encumber 25% of retained State F.A.F. monies pursuant to the Florida Contraband Act; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Chief of Police, Edward J. Hudak, Jr., and the Coral Gables Finance Director, Diana Gomez, attest to have deposited the sum of \$9,480 in said forfeited funds into the Coral Gables Forfeited Asset Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, City leadership have reviewed, vetted, and approved the Coral Gables Chief of Police’s request to encumber and expend as needed the available forfeited asset funds via memorandum dated January 8, 2020;

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

**SECTION 1.** That the City Manager is hereby directed to authorize the Finance Director to encumber \$9,480 or 25% of State Forfeited Asset Fund (F.A.F.) moneys received in the 2018/2019 Fiscal Year, to provide for the support and operation of school resource officer, crime prevention, safe neighborhood and drug abuse and prevention programs, as required under the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act.

**SECTION 2.** That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS ELEVENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D., 2020.  
(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Mena)  
(Yeas: Keon, Lago, Mena, Fors, Jr., Valdes-Fauli)  
(Unanimous 5-0 Vote)  
(Agenda Item: D-1)

APPROVED:



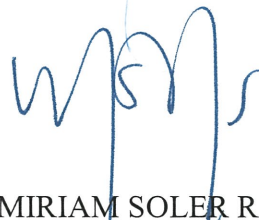
RAUL VALDES- FAULI  
MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

ATTEST:



BILLY Y. URQUIA  
CITY CLERK



MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS  
CITY ATTORNEY