

## **CITY OF CORAL GABLES**

### **RESOLUTION NO. 2010-\_\_\_\_\_**

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE AND EXECUTION OF A GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE FY 2009 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE SPECIAL PROJECT (EDI-SP) GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$142,500 FOR THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE ADJACENT TO THE EXISTING GRANADA VEHICULAR BRIDGE CROSSING OF THE CORAL GABLES WATERWAY; APPROVING THE PROJECT IDENTIFIED FOR IMPLEMENTATION IN THE GRANT APPLICATION; AUTHORIZING THE PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR TO SERVE AS THE CITY'S AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE FOR PURPOSES DESCRIBED IN THE GRANT APPLICATION; AND APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE 2009-2010 ANNUAL BUDGET IN THE AMOUNT OF \$142,500 AND AN APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS FOR SAID AMOUNT.

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development has notified the City of Coral Gables of its approval of funding for an Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) for the design and construction of a pedestrian bridge in the amount of \$142,500 as identified in the Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2009 (PL 111-8). The City submitted the EDI-SP Grant Application for the Granada Pedestrian Bridge in late December 2009; and

**WHEREAS**, approval is requested to accept the Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) grant funds, which provides funding for the design, permitting and construction of a pedestrian bridge where Granada Boulevard crosses the Coral Gables Waterway; and

**WHEREAS**, the construction of a new separate pedestrian bridge immediately east of the existing Granada Bridge will provide pedestrians with a safe means of crossing the waterway; and

**WHEREAS**, the total budget for the project is estimated to be \$142,500.

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

**SECTION 1.** The foregoing "Whereas" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and hereby made a specific part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

**SECTION 2.** The City of Coral Gables hereby accepts the FY 2009 Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) grant in the amount of \$142,500 for the design and construction of a pedestrian bridge adjacent to the existing Granada Vehicular Bridge crossing of the Coral Gables Waterway and approves the project identified in the Grant Application.

**SECTION 3.** The City of Coral Gables hereby authorizes the Public Works Director to serve as the City's authorized representative for purposes described in the Grant Application.

**SECTION 4.** The City Commission does hereby amend the City's Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Annual Budget and authorize the appropriation of funds in the amount of one hundred forty-two thousand, five hundred dollars (\$142,500) for the Economic Development Initiative-Special Project (EDI-SP) grant.

**SECTION 5.** This Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS THIRTEENTH DAY OF APRIL A.D., 2010.

APPROVED:

DONALD D. SLESNICK, II  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER J. FOEMAN  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
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ELIZABETH M. HERNANDEZ  
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