

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-142

A RESOLUTION DIRECTING STAFF TO WORK WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY (COUNTY) TO DEVELOP AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGENCY AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY THAT WILL DELEGATE APPROVAL AUTHORITY FROM THE COUNTY TO THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES FOR CERTAIN TRAFFIC CONTROL AND NEIGHBORHOOD STREET MODIFICATIONS.

WHEREAS, on September 22, 2015, the City Commission awarded a contract to Atkins International to perform a comprehensive multi-modal transportation plan to proactively address the ever increasing pressures of increased traffic through our City and to preserve the high quality of life of our neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, a key component of this plan will result in a toolbox of measures that may be implemented within neighborhoods to help alleviate traffic problems; and

WHEREAS, currently, the process to implement any changes on City streets requires County approval in accordance with their Traffic Flow Modification(s)/Street Closure(s) Procedure; and

WHEREAS, the County has entered into Intergovernmental Agency Agreements with both, the Cities of Miami and Miami Beach, giving the Cities pre-approval authority for certain improvements as agreed to in the agreement and they have agreed to work with the City of Coral Gables to enter into a similar agreement; and

WHEREAS, in order to proceed with the Intergovernmental Agency Agreement, the City must first develop its own traffic calming and street modification options and procedures; and

WHEREAS, the City's traffic calming and street modification options and procedures will need to be pre-approved by County staff and by the City Commission prior to executing the Intergovernmental Agency Agreement;

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 has hereby determined that it is in the best interest of the City to work with Miami-Dade County (County) to develop an Intergovernmental Agency Agreement with the County that will delegate approval authority from the County to the City of Coral Gables for certain traffic control and neighborhood street modifications.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF MAY, A.D., 2016.

(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Quesada)
(Yeas: Lago, Quesada, Slesnick, Keon, Cason)
(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)
(Agenda Item: H-1)

APPROVED:



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MAYOR

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