

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2009-47

A RESOLUTION URGING THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE TO VOTE AGAINST THE PASSAGE OF SENATE BILL 630 (ENTITLED "AN ACT RELATING TO IMPACT FEES"; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR A 3-YEAR MORATORIUM ON THE IMPOSITION OR COLLECTION OF IMPACT FEES BY A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY AND PROVIDING FOR FUTURE EXPIRATION OF SAID COUNTY MORATORIUM), FURTHER FORWARDING COPIES OF SAID LEGISLATION TO THE MIAMI-DADE LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION, ALONG WITH COPIES TO ALL OTHER AFFECTED PARTIES IN CONNECTION WITH SAME.

WHEREAS, Senate Bill 630 calls for a 3-year moratorium on the imposition or collection of impact fees by a County or municipality; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables in furtherance of its business dealings, supports its citizenry, and to this end, strives to be fair and equitable to all of its residents, while concomitantly ensuring that its residents pay their fair share of fees; and

WHEREAS, The City of Coral Gables has passed and adopted its own Impact Fee Ordinance(s) most notable, Ordinance No. O-2007-27, which was passed and adopted on August 28, 2007, and Ordinance No. 2009-01, which was later passed and adopted on January 13, 2009 said legislation, which it deems as being fair and equitable for the residents of our City; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission urges our State Legislature to vote against passage of Senate Bill 630, while preserving our support for a local option (Home Rule) regarding same;

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

SECTION I. 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 Manager is hereby directed to instruct the City Clerk to transmit a copy of this resolution to the Miami-Dade Legislative Delegation, the Mayor and the City Manager of Miami-Dade County.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D., 2009.

(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Withers)
(Yea: Kerdyk, Withers, Anderson, Cabrera, Slesnick)
(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)
(Agenda Item: F-1)

APPROVED:



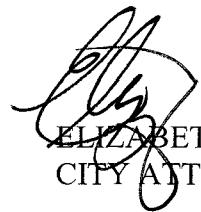
DONALD D. SLESNICK II
MAYOR

ATTEST:



WALTER J. FOEMAN
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



ELIZABETH M. HERNANDEZ
CITY ATTORNEY