

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-275

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION
CONDEMNING THE MOST RECENT ATROCITIES
AGAINST ARMENIANS IN THE NAGORNO-
KARABAKH REGION.

WHEREAS, the City Commission has on several occasions passed Resolutions condemning discrimination, bigotry, racism and violence; and

WHEREAS, in Fall of 2020, a violent conflict erupted in the Nagorno-Karabakh region of Azerbaijan between Azerbaijani and Armenian forces; and

WHEREAS, the conflict has now been halted by a ceasefire agreement but resulted in loss of life, displacement, and violence against civilians, including the bombing of a hospital; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission supports democratic governance, and supports the peaceful resolution of conflicts; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission supports the right of all citizens to practice their faith freely in the region without fear of foreign aggression; and

WHEREAS, Armenian residents in the City of Coral Gables have requested the Commission pass this Resolution condemning the most recent atrocities taking place against Armenians in the Nagorno-Karabakh Region;

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 hereby condemns the most recent atrocities against Armenians in the Nagorno-Karabakh region.

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


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

APPROVED

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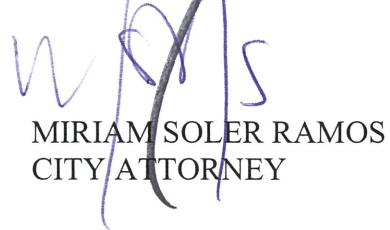
RAUL VALDES-FAULI
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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BILLY Y. URQUIA
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

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MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS
CITY ATTORNEY