

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2017-

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$184,700 FROM FEDERAL FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONIES FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EQUIPMENT, THE PURCHASE OF NC4 STREET SMART FOR UTILIZATION BY THE CORAL GABLES POLICE DEPARTMENT; AND ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF NC4 STREET SMART AS A “SOLE SOURCE,” PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-770 OF THE CITY’S PROCUREMENT CODE.

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Police Department participates with federal law enforcement agencies of the United States Departments of Justice, Treasury and/or Homeland Security in joint law enforcement operations, and the Coral Gables Police Department’s participation in those joint investigations produces federally seized funds; and

**WHEREAS**, at the discretion of the United States Attorney General under United States Statute 18 U.S.C. Section 981(e)(2) and 21 U.S.C. Section 881(e)(1)(a) and (e)(3)(b), the Coral Gables Police Department may lawfully retain at the conclusion of the legal proceedings the federally seized funds; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Police Department has identified a need for a Public Safety collaboration tool with real-time reporting, data integration and aggregate features; and

**WHEREAS**, the acquisition of this equipment will allow the Coral Gables Police Department to improve officers’ situational awareness and engage in data sharing and collaboration with neighboring agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Chief of Police requests to expend these funds for use by the Department for law enforcement equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coral Gables Chief of Police certifies that the request complies with all provisions of the appropriate F.A.F. requirements as identified in the United States Justice Departments publication entitled “*Guide to Equitable Sharing for State and Local Law Enforcement Agencies*”; 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 \$184,700 in said forfeited funds into the Coral Gables Forfeited Asset Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the F.A.F. Committee met on April 26, 2017, and followed the F.A.F. Committee operating procedures adopted on July 23, 2002; and

**WHEREAS**, the F.A.F. Committee approved the Coral Gables Chief of Police’s request to encumber and expend as needed the available forfeited asset funds on the specific items listed below on this resolution; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chief Procurement Officer pursuant to Section 2-770 of the Procurement Code has determined that NC4 is the sole source provider of NC4 Street Smart system; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 2-650 of the Procurement Code, entitled “Authority” authorizes the City manager to delegate authority to the Chief Procurement Officer to administer and make recommendations on City contracts.

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

1. That the City Manager is hereby directed to authorize the Finance Director to expend \$184,700 to the Coral Gables Police Department from Federal Forfeited Asset Fund monies for law enforcement equipment, the purchase of NC4 Street Smart for utilization by the Coral Gables Police Department.
2. That the City Commission does hereby accept the recommendation of the Chief Procurement Officer to authorize the purchase of NC4 Street Smart as a “Sole Source” pursuant to Section 2-770 of the City’s Procurement Code; subject to final approval and execution of a contract by City staff.
3. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS THIRTIETH DAY OF MAY A.D., 2017.

(Moved by )

RAUL VALDÉS-FAULI  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER J. FOEMAN  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

CRAIG E. LEEN  
CITY ATTORNEY