

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2019-228

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$6,500 FROM ENCUMBERED STATE FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONIES, TO SUPPORT THE 2018/2019 FISCAL YEAR OPERATIONS OF THE POLICE EXPLORER POST #594 PROGRAM, CONDUCTED BY THE CORAL GABLES POLICE DEPARTMENT YOUTH RESOURCE UNIT.

WHEREAS, the Coral Gables Police Department's investigations of criminal activity produce forfeited funds, both related and unrelated to its participation in the South Florida Money Laundering Strike Force operations; and

WHEREAS, the Coral Gables Police Department may lawfully retain at the conclusion of the legal proceedings the forfeited funds as authorized under Florida State Statute 932.7055; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has encumbered F.A.F. monies under previous resolutions for school resource officer, crime prevention, safe neighborhood and drug education and prevention programs; and

WHEREAS, the activities associated with the Police Explorer Post #594 Program conducted by the Coral Gables Police Department Youth Resource Unit qualify as a permissible expenditure under Florida State Statute 932.7055(5)(c)(3); 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 \$6,500 in said forfeited funds into the Coral Gables Forfeited Asset Fund; and

WHEREAS, the F.A.F. Committee met on June 26, 2019, 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;

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 does hereby instruct the City Manager to authorize the Finance Director to expend \$6,500 from encumbered State Forfeited Asset Fund (F.A.F.) monies, to support the 2018/2019 Fiscal Year operations of the Police Explorer Post #594 Program, conducted by the Coral Gables Police Department Youth Resource Unit.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-SEVENTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D., 2019.

(Moved: Lago/ Seconded: Mena)

(Yeas: Fors, Jr., Keon, Lago, Mena, Valdes-Fauli)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)

(Agenda Item: D-1)

APPROVED:

RAUL VALDES-FAULI
MAYOR

ATTEST:

BILLY Y. URQUIA
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS
CITY ATTORNEY