CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-296

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES IN THE AMOUNT OF \$18,500, FROM FEDERAL FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONIES FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING; THE PURCHASE OF TUITION FOR TWO CORAL GABLES POLICE DEPARTMENT SENIOR MANAGERS, TO ATTEND THE POLICE EXECUTIVE RESEARCH FORUM'S SENIOR MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE FOR POLICE.

- 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 been authorized by the Public Safety Director to send two senior managers to the Police Executive Research Forum's Senior Management Institute for Police training course; and
- WHEREAS, the Coral Gables Chief of Police requests to expend these funds for use by the Department for law enforcement training; 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 \$18,500 in said forfeited funds into the Coral Gables Forfeited Asset Fund; and
- **WHEREAS**, the F.A.F. Committee met on October 29, 2015, 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 expend 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. That the foregoing "Whereas" clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a part of this Resolution upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. That the City Manager is hereby directed to authorize the Finance Director to expend \$18,500 to the Coral Gables Police Department from Federal Forfeited Asset Fund monies for law enforcement training; the purchase of tuition for two Coral Gables Police Department senior managers, to attend the Police Executive Research Forum's Senior Management Institute for Police.

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., 2015.

(Moved: Quesada / Seconded: Lago)

(Yeas: Lago, Quesada, Slesnick, Keon, Cason)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote) (Agenda Item: C-8)

APPROVED:

IM CASON MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER J. FOEMA

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

CRAIG E/LEEN CITY ATTORNEY