

ITEM TITLE:

A Resolution authorizing the City of Coral Gables, on behalf of the Coral Gables Police Department, to apply for and accept a grant of an estimated \$430,000 from the Office of National Drug Control Policy, retroactive to January 1, 2017, for the purpose of combating the threat from drug trafficking.

DEPARTMENT HEAD RECOMMENDATION:

Approval.

BRIEF HISTORY:

The Office of National Drug Control Policy's (ONDCP) High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas (HIDTA) program, created by Congress with the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, provides assistance to federal, state, local law enforcement agencies operating in areas determined to be critical drug-trafficking regions of the United States. The purpose of this program is to combat the threat from drug trafficking regions such as South Florida.

The ONDCP has announced the Coral Gables Police Department is eligible to apply for a grant of an estimated \$430,000, retroactive to January 1, 2017. The Police Department wishes to apply for this grant for the purpose of continuing its operations to combat the threat from drug trafficking.

APPROVED BY:

Department Director	City Attorney (If Applicable)	City Manager

ATTACHMENT(S): Resolution