CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-86

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$125,000 FROM STATE FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONIES, TO REIMBURSE THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES GENERAL FUND FOR EXPENDITURES ASSOCIATED WITH THE POLICE COMMUNICATIONS CENTER PROJECT.

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 2017 Florida State Statute 932.7055(4)(d) allows for reimbursement to the general fund of the municipality for moneys advanced from the general fund to the special law enforcement trust prior to October 1, 2001; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables General Fund advanced moneys to the special law enforcement trust fund prior to October 1, 2001 for the Police Communications Center Project; 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 \$125,000 in said forfeited funds into the Coral Gables Forfeited Asset Fund; and

WHEREAS, the F.A.F. Committee met on February 28, 2018, 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. That 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 Manager is hereby directed by the City Commission to authorize the Finance Director to expend \$125,000 from State Forfeited Asset Fund (F.A.F.) monies, to reimburse the City of Coral Gables General Fund for expenditures associated with the Police Communications Center Project.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTIETH DAY OF MARCH A.D., 2018.

(Moved: Quesada / Seconded: Lago)

(Unanimous Voice Vote)

(Agenda Item: D-4)

APPROVED:

RAUL VALDES-FAULI

MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER J. FOEMAN

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS

CITY ATTORNEY