CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2018-140

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN ENCUMBRANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$36,751 OR 25 PERCENT OF THE STATE FORFEITED ASSET FUND (F.A.F.) MONIES RECEIVED IN THE 2016/2017 FISCAL YEAR, TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUPPORT AND OPERATION OF SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER, CRIME PREVENTION, SAFE NEIGHBORHOOD AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION PROGRAMS, AS REQUIRED UNDER THE FLORIDA CONTRABAND FORFEITURE ACT.

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 Coral Gables Police Department requests to encumber 25% of retained State F.A.F. monies pursuant to the Florida Contraband Act; 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 \$36,751 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 these funds for use by the Department 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 City Commission does hereby direct the City Manager to authorize the Finance Director to encumber \$36,751 or 25 percent of the State Forfeited Asset Fund (F.A.F.) monies received in the 2016-2017 Fiscal Year, to provide for the support and operation of a school resource officer, crime prevention, safe neighborhood and drug abuse and prevention programs, as required under the Florida Contraband Forfeiture Act.

SECTION 2. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-SECOND DAY OF MAY A.D., 2018.

(Moved: Keon / Seconded: Lago)

(Unanimous Voice Vote) (Agenda Item: D-1)

APPROVED:

RAUL VALDES-FAULI MAYOR

ATTEST:

WALTER J. FOEMAN

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS

CITY ATTORNEY