



Council Report

To: The Honorable Mayor and City Council

From: Larry M. Spring, Jr., City Manager

Date: April 10, 2018

RE: PROPOSED RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, APPOINTING JEAN ROBERT "JBEATZ" PLUVIOSE AS THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI'S SISTER CITIES INTERNATIONAL (SCI) GOODWILL AMBASSADOR TO ARCAHAIE, HAITI; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

The accompanying Resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Councilman Alix Desulme, District 4.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, APPOINTING JEAN ROBERT “JBEATZ” PLUVIOSE AS THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI’S SISTER CITIES INTERNATIONAL (SCI) GOODWILL AMBASSADOR TO ARCAHAIE, HAITI; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami (“City”) has established a sister city relationship with the City of Arcahaie, Haiti through the Sister City Program, administered by Sister Cities International (SCI); and

WHEREAS, the Program continues to build global cooperation at the municipal level, encourage cultural understanding and stimulate economic development; and

WHEREAS, under the Sister City relationship, both cities have committed to support and encourage opportunities for mutually beneficial practical exchanges in the fields of business, arts, culture, education, sports, and tourism; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council believe that it is in the best interest of the City to appoint a Goodwill Ambassador to promote the ideas and cultural exchanges on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, Jean Robert “JBEATZ” Pluviose is a prolific artist and music producer. He is a native of Arcahaie, Haiti and currently resides in South Florida; and

WHEREAS, Jean Robert “JBEATZ” Pluviose has orchestrated a number of hits in the domestic/American industry, producing albums for various artists including Alan Cave, Carimi, Kenny Des Oswald, and Jerome Baker, to name a few. He has also represented the institution of several musical competitions, classified at Florida International University – Biscayne Bay Campus and University of Central Florida (UCF); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council feel that Jean Robert “JBEATZ” Pluviose is uniquely qualified to serve as the Goodwill Ambassador on behalf of the City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:

Section 1. **Appointment.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby appoint Jean Robert “JBEATZ” Pluviose as the City of North Miami’s Sister Cities International (SCI) Goodwill Ambassador to Arcahaie, Haiti.

Section 2. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a _____ vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this _____ day of _____, 2018.

DR. SMITH JOSEPH
MAYOR

ATTEST:

MICHAEL A. ETIENNE, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMAN ALIX DESULME

Moved by: _____

Seconded by: _____

Vote:

Mayor Smith Joseph, D. O., Pharm D.	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Vice Mayor Carol Keys, Esq.	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Councilman Scott Galvin	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Councilman Philippe Bien-Aime	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Councilman Alix Desulme	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No)