

RESOLUTION NO. 2021-R-52

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S EMERGENCY PROCUREMENT AND ISSUANCE OF A PURCHASE ORDER TO MASTER ROAD FINISHERS CORP., IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$44,750.00), FOR THE EMERGENCY REPAIR AND REPLACEMENT OFF A COLLAPSED PIPE IN THE SEWER MAIN; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, on February 01, 2021, the City of North Miami ("City") Public Works Department became aware of a collapsed pipe in the sewer main that created conditions posing an immediate threat to the public health, safety, and welfare of City residents; and

**WHEREAS**, in investigating the damage to the sewer lines, City workers were able to televise the line and determine that an old clay pipe had collapsed and that the depths of the sewer lines surpassed the City machinery's capabilities in making repairs to the pipe; and

**WHEREAS**, City Staff obtained quotes from several contractors for the repairs and ultimately coordinated with Master Road Finishers Corp. to perform the necessary emergency repair and replacement off the collapsed pipe; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 7-144, City Code, allows the City Manager to make emergency procurements when there exists an immediate threat to public health, welfare, or safety or to prevent or minimize serious disruption of government services; and

**WHEREAS**, the emergency procurement was necessary because unsanitary conditions existed due to the collapse of the aging pipe; and

**WHEREAS**, it was determined that the most appropriate course of action was to issue a purchase order in the amount not-to-exceed Forty-Four Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$44,750.00), on an emergency basis, to secure the emergency repairs; and

**WHEREAS**, for the benefit of the public health, safety and welfare of City residents and users of the City's water and sewer system, City administration respectfully requests that the

Mayor and City Council ratify the issuance of the purchase order, pursuant to Section 7-144, City Code of Ordinances.

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

**Section 1. Ratification.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby ratify the City Manager’s issuance of a Purchase Order in the amount not-to-exceed Forty-Four Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$44,750.00) to Master Road Finishers Corp. for the emergency repair and replacement of a collapsed pipe in the sewer main, pursuant to Section 7-144, City Code of Ordinances.

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


**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by a 4-0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 25th day of May, 2021.

  
PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Desulme  
Seconded by: Keys

**Vote:**

Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Vice Mayor Scott Galvin	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Councilwoman Carol Keys, Esq.	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	_____	(No)
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin	_____	(Yes)	_____	(No) Absent
Councilman Alix Desulme, Ed.D.	<u>X</u>	(Yes)	_____	(No)