RESOLUTION NO. 2021-R-56

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA RESCINDING RESOLUTION 2015-R-83 WHICH CREATED A ROTATION SYSTEM FOR THE ELECTION OF THE VICE-MAYOR AND RETURNING TO THE ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE VICE-MAYOR FROM AMONG THE COUNCIL MEMBERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 13 OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI CHARTER; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, since August 25, 2015, the Mayor and City Council have rotated the designation of Vice Mayor annually pursuant to the order prescribed in Resolution 2015-R-83; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 2015-R-83 the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami ("City"), currently rotate the designation of Vice-Mayor every year, in the following order: District 1, District 2, District 3, and District 4; and

WHEREAS, Section 13 of the City Charter provides, in pertinent part, "The council shall elect a vice-mayor who shall act as mayor during the absence or disability of the mayor. The vice-mayor shall be elected from among the councilmembers."); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with the spirit and intent of the City Charter, the Mayor and City Council desire to rescind Resolution 2015-R-83 and replace the current rotation system used for assigning the Vice-Mayor and return to the election and designation of the Vice-Mayor in accordance with Section 13 of the City Charter.

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

Section 1. Election of Vice Mayor. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby rescind Resolution 2015-R-83 and desire to provide for the election of the Vice-Mayor from among the Council members in accordance with Section 13 of the City of North Miami Charter, in lieu of the rotation system currently in place.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.
PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 3-1 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:

VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFF R. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: MAYOR PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME

Moved by: Galvin
Seconded by: Bien-Aime

Vote:

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