

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-R-207

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR THE TRANSFER OF A PORTION OF THE CITY'S BISCAYNE SHORES SEWER SERVICE AREA TO THE COUNTY; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the residents of unincorporated Miami-Dade County who live in the neighborhood known as Biscayne Shores are within the City of North Miami ("City") water and sewer service areas; and

WHEREAS, the City does not currently have any sewer infrastructure in the Biscayne Shore Neighborhood and does not have any plans to develop sewer service in the area; and

WHEREAS, the Biscayne Shores Neighborhood has a high groundwater table and has been experiencing severe flooding after heavy rain events, which has the potential to affect the integrity of the septic tanks in the neighborhood; and

WHEREAS, some residents of the Biscayne Shores Neighborhood would like to abandon their septic tanks and connect to a public sewer system; and

WHEREAS, the City is willing to release the Biscayne Shores Neighborhood from the City's sewer service area, and the County is willing to accept the transfer of the Biscayne Shores Neighborhood to its sewer service area; and

WHEREAS, the portion of Biscayne Shores which is the subject of the proposed Interlocal Agreement is comprised of One Hundred Sixty-Eight (168) parcels bounded by Biscayne Boulevard to the west, North Bayshore Drive to the east, NE 108 Street to the south, and NE 110 Terrace to the north; and

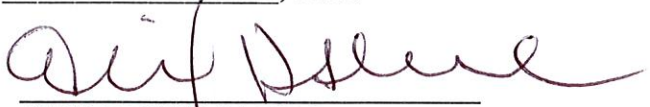
WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council deem it to be in the best interests of the City and the Biscayne Shores residents to authorize the execution of the Interlocal Agreement providing for the transfer of a portion of the City's sewer service area.

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


Section 1. **Authority.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the execution of the Interlocal Agreement with Miami-Dade County, attached hereto as Exhibit "A", to provide for the transfer of a portion of the City's sewer service area to the County.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 5 - 0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 14th day of November, 2023.


ALIX DESULME, ED.D.
MAYOR

ATTEST :



VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Timothe

Seconded by: Charles

Vote:

Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.

X (Yes) _____ (No)

Vice-Mayor Mary Estimé-Irvin

X (Yes) _____ (No)

Councilman Scott Galvin

X (Yes) _____ (No)

Councilwoman Kassandra Timothe, MPA

X (Yes) _____ (No)

Councilman Pierre Frantz Charles

X (Yes) _____ (No)