

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-R-201

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA,
AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM
OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH
MIAMI AND THE CITY OF TALLAHASSEE TO PROVIDE
THE NORTH MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT WITH
ACCESS TO THE ELECTRONIC LICENSE AND VEHICLE
INFORMATION SYSTEM (ELVIS); PROVIDING FOR AN
EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami, Florida (the “City”) and the City of Tallahassee, Florida, are desirous of entering into a Memorandum of Understanding with each other to provide the North Miami Police Department (“NMPD”) access to the Electronic License and Vehicle Information System (“ELVIS”); and

WHEREAS, entering into mutual aid agreements between law enforcement agencies is authorized under Section 23.12, Florida Statutes, Florida Mutual Aid Act; and

WHEREAS, the Tallahassee Police Department (“TPD”) presently has the benefit of the ELVIS interface, operated, and maintained by Florida State University, which provides access to the National Crime Information Center and the Florida Crime Information Center; and

WHEREAS, ELVIS provides access to Florida law enforcement agencies to run Driver’s License, Criminal History, and other queries through the Florida Department of Law Enforcement; and

WHEREAS, NMPD has determined that access to ELVIS will enhance its ability to solve crimes; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find that the Memorandum of Understanding is in the best interest of the City’s residents and should be entered into.


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

Section 1. Approval of Agreement. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the City of North Miami, Florida and the City of Tallahassee, Florida, attached as "Exhibit 1."


Section 2. Authority of City Manager and Police Chief. The City Manager and the Police Chief are authorized to execute the Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Tallahassee, Florida, attached as "Exhibit 1."

Section 3. 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: Charles

Seconded by: Estime-Irvin

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, M.Ed.

X (Yes) _____ (No)