

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-R-149

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, RATIFYING
THE “DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY”
IMPOSED BY THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER ON
OCTOBER 6, 2024, AND THE “TERMINATION OF A
STATE OF EMERGENCY” ISSUED DUE TO HURRICANE
MILTON; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND
ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, on October 5, 2024, showers and thunderstorms associated with an area of low pressure located over the southwestern Gulf of Mexico gradually became better organized, and developed into the storm is now identified as Hurricane Milton; and

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami (“City”) faced dangerous conditions of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant coordinated local government action to prevent or alleviate the damage, loss, hardship, or suffering threatened or caused thereby; and

WHEREAS, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 24-214 declaring a State of Emergency for various Florida counties in response to the threat posed by Hurricane Milton; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County was included in Executive Order 24-214; and

WHEREAS, County Mayor Daniella Levine Cava declared a State of Emergency for Miami-Dade County because the projected path of Hurricane Milton could have included Miami-Dade County, and posed a risk of severe flooding in Miami-Dade County even if it did not directly strike South Florida; and

WHEREAS, these weather conditions threatened to cause a condition of peril of life and property necessitating the proclamation of the existence of an emergency and in accordance with section 2-419 of the North Miami Code of Ordinances, the Interim City Manager declared a state of emergency due to the hurricane; and


WHEREAS, the emergency dangers and threats of Hurricane Milton have passed, and the Interim City Manager has terminated the State of Emergency.

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


Section 1. **Ratification of Declaration of State of Emergency.** The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby ratify the “Declaration of State of Emergency” imposed by the Interim City Manager on October 6, 2024, attached as Exhibit “A.”

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 22nd day of October, 2024.


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: Galvin

Vote:

Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.	<u> </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)	Absent
Vice-Mayor Mary Estimé-Irvin	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)	
Councilman Scott Galvin	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)	
Councilwoman Cassandra Timothe, MPA	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)	
Councilman Pierre Frantz Charles, M.Ed.	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)	