

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-R-232

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA,
AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE
PURCHASE ORDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THREE (3)
SPORT UTILITY VEHICLES AT AN APPROXIMATE-
AGGREGATE COST NOT TO EXCEED ONE HUNDRED
SEVENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$170,000.00) FROM
VARIOUS COMPETITIVELY SELECTED VENDORS,
UTILIZING THE COOPERATIVE PURCHASING
PROVISION PURSUANT TO SEC. 7-169 OF THE CITY
CODE, AWARDED THROUGH THE FLORIDA
SHERIFFS ASSOCIATION (FSA25-VEL33.0); PROVIDING
FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

WHEREAS, the Florida Sheriffs Association (“FSA”) offers statewide purchasing contracts for a variety of vehicles, equipment, and services that are available to eligible agencies such as the City of North Miami. Contracts awarded through this program are competitively bid and offer favorable pricing and terms for eligible agencies to take advantage of; and

WHEREAS, the contracts are designed to provide participating agencies and local municipal governments with a mechanism for increasing their purchasing power by offering the most economically priced cars, trucks, vans, and equipment tailored to the agency’s specific requirements; and

WHEREAS, utilization of the FSA contract guarantees participating agencies and local municipal governments the availability of competitive pricing under the Award by selected vendors (“Vendors”), as long as vehicles and equipment are available to order through the manufacturer; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to purchase certain vehicles utilizing FSA contract FSA25-VEL33.0 – Pursuit, Administrative and Other Vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the City administration has identified the need for three (3) sport utility vehicles; and

WHEREAS, as a result of these competitive solicitations, Garber Ford and Garber Chevrolet were selected as part of a pool of vendors that manufactures the necessary vehicles; and

WHEREAS, Section 7-169 of the City Code authorizes the City to participate in cooperative purchasing agreements for the procurement of supplies or services with one (1) or more public entities; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 7-169 of the City Code, the City administration respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Council authorize the City Manager to issue purchase orders to Garber Ford and Garber Chevrolet for the provision of two Ford Interceptors and one Chevrolet Tahoe, based on FSA Contract No. FSA25-VEL33.0; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find the purchase of vehicles, in accordance with the Solicitation, is in the best interest of the City.

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

Section 1. Authority of the City Manager. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the City Manager to issue a purchase orders to Garber Ford and Garber Chevrolet, at an aggregate cost not to exceed One Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$170,000.00), utilizing the cooperative purchasing provision pursuant to Sec. 7-169 of the City Code, for the purchase of two Ford Interceptors, one Chevrolet Tahoe based on cooperative purchasing Contract No. FSA25-VEL33.0, issued through the FSA cooperative program.

Section 2. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by a 4 - 0 vote of the Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, this 9th day of December, 2025.



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: Estime-Irvin

Seconded by: Charles

Vote:

Mayor Alix Desulme, Ed.D.
Vice-Mayor Kassandra Timothe, MPA
Councilman Kevin A. Burns
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin
Councilman Pierre Frantz Charles, M.Ed.

_____	(Yes)	(No)	Absent
X	(Yes)	(No)	