

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-R-111**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA RATIFYING THE SUBMISSION OF A GRANT APPLICATION AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI AND THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE FOR A GRANT FROM THE BULLETPROOF VEST PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR ALL OTHER PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program was instituted by the U.S. Department of Justice to help protect the lives of law enforcement officers by assisting state and local governments to equip their law enforcement personnel with bulletproof vests; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is desirous of applying for a grant from the United States Department of Justice Bulletproof Vest Partnership Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of North Miami requested a grant in the amount of Sixty-Four Thousand Eight Hundred Ninety-Eight Dollars and Eighty-Two Cents (\$64,898.82) with a required match in the amount of Thirty-Two Thousand Four Hundred Forty-Nine Dollars and Forty-One Cents (\$32,449.41) for a total project budget in the amount of Ninety-Seven Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Eight Dollars and Twenty-Three Cents (\$97,348.23); and

**WHEREAS**, funds will be used toward the purchase of required National Institute of Justice approved bulletproof vests for law enforcement officers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council wish to authorize the submittal of a grant application as well as to fully authorize the negotiation and execution of the agreement between the City and the United States Department of Justice for the purpose of securing grant funds.

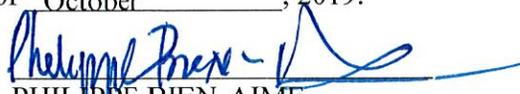
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA:**

**Section 1. Authorization of Submittal of Grant Application.** The Mayor and City Council hereby authorize the submittal of the City of North Miami's application for a grant from the United States Department of Justice.

**Section 2. Authorization of City Manager and City Attorney.** The City Manager and City Attorney are hereby authorized to negotiate and execute an agreement between the City of North Miami, Florida and the United States Department of Justice.

**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 7th day of October, 2019.

  
PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Galvin

Seconded by: Estimé-Irvin

**Vote:**

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