RESOLUTION NO. 2019-R-108

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA RATIFYING THE SUBMITTAL OF A VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT (VOCA) GRANT APPLICATION AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER AND CITY ATTORNEY TO NEGOTIATE AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI AND THE STATE OF FLORIDA’S OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami desires to provide assistance to victims of domestic violence, sexual battery, child abuse and child sexual abuse with funding from the State of Florida’s Office of the Attorney General; and

WHEREAS, the City of North Miami has requested a grant in the amount of Ninety-Four Thousand Two Hundred Seventy-Four Dollars and No Cents ($94,274.00) in grant funds with a required Twenty Three Thousand Five Hundred Sixty-Eight Dollars and Fifty Cents ($23,568.50) monetary match from the City of North Miami for a total project cost in the amount of One Hundred Seventeen Thousand Eight Hundred Forty-Two Dollars and Fifty Cents ($117,842.50).

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council are desirous of securing a Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) grant from the State of Florida’s Office of the Attorney General to fund the City’s Crisis Intervention Specialist position as well as computer hardware to ensure the timely and efficient completion of all reporting and referrals.

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

Section 1. Submittal of Application. The Mayor and City Council hereby authorize the submittal of the City of North Miami’s application for a Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) grant from the State of Florida’s Office of the Attorney General to aid victims of domestic violence, sexual battery, child abuse and child sexual abuse.
Section 2. **Authority to 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 State of Florida’s Office of the Attorney General for a Victims of Crime Act grant.

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:

VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFF H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: CITY ADMINISTRATION

Moved by: Galvin
Seconded by: Estimé-Irvin

Vote:
Mayor Philippe Bien-Aime
Vice Mayor Carol Keys, Esq.
Councilman Scott Galvin
Councilwoman Mary Estimé-Irvin
Councilman Alix Desulme, Ed.D.

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