

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-R-23

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY CODE THROUGH CIVIL VIOLATION NOTICES; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE AND FOR ALL OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, in 2015, Miami-Dade County (“MDC”) approved an amendment to the MDC Code to reclassify what was formally considered criminal behavior and reduce mass incarcerations by allowing police officers to have the discretion to either apprehend an offender or issue a civil citation; and

WHEREAS, on April 25, 2017 the City of North Miami (“City”) adopted Resolution No. 2017-R-59 authorizing the execution of an Interlocal Agreement providing for the North Miami Police Department’s participation in the civil citation program; and

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2019, MDC approved an amendment to Chapter 8CC of the MDC to expand the civil citation program and include additional sections of the MDC Code to be eligible for enforcement through civil citations; and

WHEREAS, the City and MDC wish to enter into an updated Interlocal Agreement (attached as Exhibit “A”) providing for the enforcement of the additional provisions of the Miami-Dade County Code through civil citations; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council find it to be in the best interests of the City and its residents to have the City enforce the provisions the MDC Code through Chapter 8CC as provided for in the Interlocal Agreement.

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

Section 1. Authority to Execute Interlocal Agreement. The Mayor and City Council of the City of North Miami, Florida, hereby authorize the Interim City Manager to execute

an Interlocal Agreement in the form attached as Exhibit "A" with Miami-Dade County for the enforcement of certain provisions of the Miami-Dade County Code through civil violation notices.

Section 2. 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 11th day of February, 2020.


PHILIPPE BIEN-AIME
MAYOR

ATTEST:



VANESSA JOSEPH, ESQ.
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



JEFF P. H. CAZEAU, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: VICE MAYOR DESULME & COUNCILWOMAN ESTIME-IRVIN

Moved by: Desulme

Seconded by: Galvin

Vote:

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