

**RESOLUTION NO. 20-1659**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, IN SUPPORT OF FLORIDA SENATOR DIAZ' SENATE BILL 1618 AND REPRESENTATIVE AVILA'S, HOUSE BILL 1047 FOR THE CREATION OF A ROCK BLAST MONITORING AND REPORTING PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TOWN CLERK; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, during the Town of Miami Lakes (“the Town”) January Council Meeting, the Town Council discussed the passage of Florida House Bill 1047 and Senate Bill 1618 (collectively “the Bills”) both created for the establishment of rock blast monitoring and reporting; and

**WHEREAS**, the effects of blasting have affected the residents and guests of the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, during discussion, the Town Council Member Rodriguez moved the Council to suggest the legislature to adopt the Bills provided that language be added regarding the collection of blast data, which was seconded and passed by the Town Council; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council finds that it is in the best interest of the Town to support Senator Diaz and Representative Avila in their efforts to pass the creation of a blast monitoring and reporting legislation.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**

**Section 1.    Recitals.** The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

**Section 2.** **Support of** The Town Council hereby submits its formal support for SB 1618 and HR 1047, and its gratitude to Senator Diaz and Representative Avila for their help in the passage of legislation creating a rock blasting monitoring and reporting requirements.

**Section 3.** **Instructions to Town Clerk.** The Town Clerk or their designee are authorized and instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the Office of Senator Manny Diaz, Jr. and Representative Brian Avila

**Section 4.** **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 18th day of February, 2020.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Rodriguez who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Dieguez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

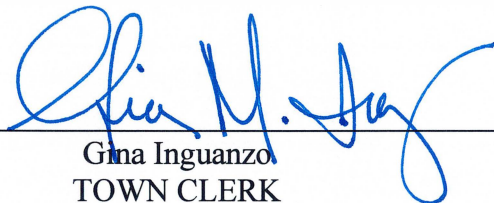
Mayor Manny Cid	yes
Vice Mayor Nelson Rodriguez	yes
Councilmember Carlos Alvarez	yes
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	yes
Councilmember Joshua Dieguez	yes
Councilmember Luis Collazo	yes
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	yes



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Manny Cid  
MAYOR


Attest:



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Gina Inguanzo  
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



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Raul Gastesi, Jr.  
Gastesi, Lopez and Mestre, PLLC  
TOWN ATTORNEY