RESOLUTION NO. 14-1244

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA ACCEPTING A REQUEST FROM JUCATEL REALTY LLC TO REDUCE PREVIOUSLY ASSESSED CODE COMPLIANCE FINES FOR CASE NOS. C2014-0940, C2011-1063, AND C2010-1322; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY NECESSARY DOCUMENTS; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Town of Miami Lakes, Florida (the "Town") through its Code Compliance Department, issued Citation No. C2014-0940 to Jucatel Realty LLC ("Current Owner") and Citation Nos. C2011-1063 and C2010-1322 to Bank of New York TRS ("Previous Owner"); and

WHEREAS, the Citations were issued and the violations were subsequently corrected by the Previous Owner and the Current Owner;

WHEREAS, the Current Owner has incurred total fines and associated costs of \$8,838.97; and

WHEREAS, the Current Owner has requested that the Town reduce the fines and the Town Manager, having reviewed the file, has recommended to the Town Council approval of a reduction of the fines and costs from \$8,838.97 to \$2,209.75 (which is equal to 25% of the fines and the costs incurred by the Town to process the three cases)

WHEREAS, the Current Owner has agreed to sign a release of the Town from any claims relating to the Citation as a condition of the reduction.

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

<u>Section 1. Recitals.</u> The foregoing recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. Reduction of Fine. The civil penalties/fines for Code Compliance Case Nos. C2014-0940, C2011-1063 and C2010-1322 ("Citations") are reduced to \$2,209.75 subject to the Current Owner paying the reduced amount no later than sixty (60) days from the effective date of this Resolution.

<u>Section 3. Conditions.</u> In the event the reduced fine is not paid within sixty (60) days of the effective date of this Resolution, the original fine amount shall be re-instated and continue to accrue interest as if this Resolution had not existed.

<u>Section 4. Authorization of Town Manager.</u> The Town Manager and/or his designee is authorized to execute appropriate documents, including a satisfaction and discharge of lien, and release and waiver by the Current Owners for any and all claims relating to the Citations and this reduction.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 9th day of September, 2014.

The foregoing resolution was offered by <u>Councilman Lama</u> who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by <u>Councilman Mestre</u> and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Wayne Slaton

Vice Mayor Manny Cid

Councilman Mestre

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Vice Mayor Manny Cid

Councilmember Tim Daubert

Councilmember Tony Lama

Councilmember Ceasar Mestre

Councilmember Frank Mingo

Councilmember Nelson Rodriguez

Wayne Slaton WAYOR

Attest:

Marjorie Tejeda TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Raul Gastesi, Jr.
Gastesi & Associates, P.A.
TOWN ATTORNEY