

**RESOLUTION NO. 16-1382**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA EXPRESSING OPPOSITION TO OPENING NW 154 STREET AND/OR NW 170 STREET AT I-75 UNTIL FURTHER DATA IS RECEIVED; PROVIDING FOR TRANSMITTAL DIRECTIONS TO THE CLERK; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, NW 154<sup>th</sup> Street is an important East-West thoroughfare that allows access to the Town of Miami Lakes (the “Town”); and

**WHEREAS**, NW 170<sup>th</sup> Street is also an East-West thoroughfare that allows access to the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, there are currently no interchanges at either NW 154<sup>th</sup> Street or NW 170<sup>th</sup> Street at the I-75 highway; and

**WHEREAS**, in Resolution No. 07-555, the Town approved an interlocal agreement with the City of Hialeah, which, among other things, provides that the Town and Hialeah will oppose any interchange connecting NW 154<sup>th</sup> Street to Interstate I-75; and

**WHEREAS**, until further data is received by the Town and additional traffic studies are conducted, the Town will continue to oppose the opening of I-75 at NW 154<sup>th</sup> Street and/or NW 170<sup>th</sup> Street.

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

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

**Section 2. Expression of Opposition Until Further Data Received.** The Town Council hereby expresses its opposition to the opening of NW 154<sup>th</sup> Street and/or NW 170<sup>th</sup> Street at I-75 until further data is received by the Town and additional traffic studies are conducted.

**Section 3. Transmittal Directions to Clerk.** The Town Clerk is directed to send a certified copy of this Resolution to the following interested parties: the Florida Department of Transportation c/o District Six Secretary Jim Wolfe; Miami-Dade County, c/o Mayor Carlos A. Gimenez; City of Hialeah, c/o Mayor Carlos Hernandez; and City of Hialeah Gardens, c/o Mayor Yioiset de la Cruz.

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

Passed and adopted this 7<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2016.

The foregoing resolution was moved by Councilman Lama The motion was seconded by MAYOR Pizzi and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Michael A. Pizzi, Jr.

yes

Vice Mayor Tim Daubert

yes

Councilmember Manny Cid

yes

Councilmember Tony Lama

yes

Councilmember Ceasar Mestre

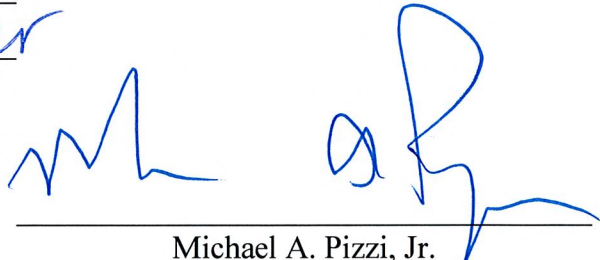
yes

Councilmember Frank Mingo

yes

Councilmember Nelson Rodriguez

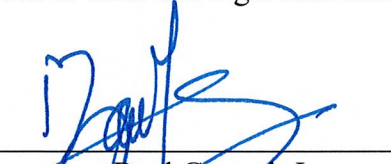
yes

  
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Michael A. Pizzi, Jr.  
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 & Associates, P.A.  
TOWN ATTORNEY