

**RESOLUTION NO.17-1426**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, REQUESTING ONE HUNDRED PERCENT (100%) OF ALL TRAFFIC IMPACT FEES COLLECTED BY MIAMI-DADE COUNTY FROM ANY PROJECTS TO BE BUILT INSIDE THE BOUNDARIES OF I-75 TO THE EAST, THE FLORIDA TURNPIKE TO THE NORTH AND WEST, AND NW 170 STREET TO THE SOUTH, TO BE SOLELY ALLOCATED FOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS WITHIN INCORPORATED AND UNINCORPORATED AREAS MOST ADJACENT TO THOSE PROJECTS, AND LOCATED WITHIN BENEFIT IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT THREE IN NORTHWEST MIAMI-DADE COUNTY; FURTHER REQUESTING SPECIFIED PROJECTS AS IDENTIFIED IN ATTACHMENT "A", AND AS ADOPTED IN THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES COMPREHENSIVE DEVELOPMENT MASTER PLAN BE INCLUDED IN THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION'S TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PLAN SO AS TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR FUNDING PROVIDED THEREBY; REQUESTING A SHARE OF FUTURE TAX REVENUE PAID TO MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AS A RESULT OF ANY PROJECTS TO BE BUILT INSIDE THE BOUNDARIES OF I-75 TO THE EAST, THE FLORIDA TURNPIKE TO THE NORTH AND WEST, AND NW 170 STREET TO THE SOUTH, BE SHARED WITH THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES TO FUND MOBILITY PROJECTS AIMED AT ALLEVIATING TRAFFIC AS FURTHER DESCRIBED AT ATTACHMENT "B"; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS,** Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners is currently considering certain zoning petitions for projects to be built inside the boundaries of I-75 to the east, Florida Turnpike to the north and west and NW 170 Street to the south ("Proposed Projects") which if approved, would result in a regionally significant development located in the northwest portion of the Miami-Dade County, and adjacent to the Town of Miami Lakes; and

**WHEREAS**, the zoning petitions are for new residential and commercial developments anticipated to be built upon ±537.48 Gross acres and include such facilities as 1,501,000 square feet of entertainment venues, which will include theme parks and an indoor ski slope, a water park, over 4,250,000 square feet of retail space 3,647,200 square feet of office space, and 3,899,738 square feet of warehouse space, new hotels and 2000 residential units; and

**WHEREAS**, given the scale of the developments, and their likely regional draw, it is anticipated the projects will generate a significant traffic impact to those communities that surround them, including the Town of Miami Lakes and its neighboring unincorporated neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Miami-Dade County Code of Ordinances Chapter 33E, entitled “Road Impact Fee”, the projects will be required to pay traffic impact fees as part of any development approval they receive; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Miami-Dade County Code of Ordinances, the allocation of traffic concurrency fees shall only be spent within specified Improvement Districts from where such fees are collected (*see Miami-Dade County Code of Ordinances Section 33E-11*); and

**WHEREAS**, the Proposed Projects as well as the Town of Miami Lakes are located within Improvement District 3 as identified in Miami-Dade County Code of Ordinances Section 33E11.1; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami-Dade County Code of Ordinance Section 33E-12 specifies that the expenditure of those collected traffic impact fees are to be used on projects identified by the Miami-Dade County Metropolitan Planning Organization’s (MPO), Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP); and

**WHEREAS**, in order for a local jurisdiction to have qualified projects on the MPO TIP, they must first be adopted within in its Comprehensive Development Master Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, on July 26, 2016, the Town Council of the Town of Miami Lakes amended its Comprehensive Master Development Plan to include several capital improvement projects for transportation and mobility concurrency, and now requests those projects identified in Attachment “A” be included and adopted by the MPO TIP; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council of the Town of Miami Lakes, hereby requests any future tax revenue paid by those developments to Miami-Dade County be shared with the Town of Miami-Lakes so as to be able to fund mobility projects, as described at Attachment “B”, which seek to alleviate traffic congestion within the Town.

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

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

**Section 2. Retention of Traffic Impact Fees.**

The Town Council of the Town of Miami Lakes hereby requests that one hundred percent (100%) of the traffic impact fees collected from any projects to be built inside the boundaries of I-75 to the east, Florida Turnpike to the north and west and NW 170 Street to the south be allocated only to those incorporated and unincorporated areas most adjacent thereto to ameliorate any traffic impacts that may result therefrom.

**Section 3. Inclusion of Town Adopted Transportation Improvement Projects into the MPO TIP.**

The Council of the Town of Miami Lakes hereby requests that projects identified in Attachment "A", be included into the MPO TIP, in order to receive funding.

**Section 4. Tax Revenue Share.**

The Council of the Town of Miami Lakes hereby requests that any future tax revenue paid by those developments, as referenced herein, to Miami-Dade County be shared with the Town of Miami-Lakes so as to be able to fund mobility projects aimed at alleviating traffic congestion within the Town.

**Section 5. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect upon its passage and adoption by the Town Council.


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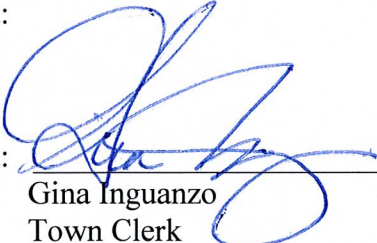
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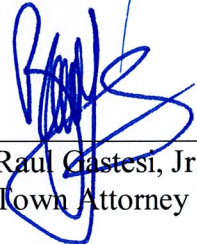
The foregoing resolution was offered by Mayor Manny Cid who moved its adoption. The motion seconded by Councilmember Frank Mingo and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

**FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION**

Mayor Manny Cid	<u>Yer</u>
Vice Mayor Tony Lama	<u>absent</u>
Councilmember Luis Collazo	<u>Yer</u>
Councilmember Tim Daubert	<u>Yer</u>
Councilmember Ceasar Mestre	<u>Yer</u>
Councilmember Frank Mingo	<u>Yer</u>
Councilmember Nelson Rodriguez	<u>Yer</u>

  
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Manny Cid  
Mayor

Attest:  
  
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Gina Inguanzo  
Town Clerk

Approve as to Form and Legal Sufficiency:  
  
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Raul Castesi, Jr.  
Town Attorney

**Exhibit A**  
**List of Adopted Projects**

## **Exhibit A**

### **List of Requested Projects for MPO**

1. MDX connection at NW 67 Avenue
2. MDX connection at NW 87 Avenue
3. Underpasses at 146 Street at the Palmetto and at 160 Street at the Palmetto
4. Extend 59 Avenue south to Miami lakes Drive
5. Achieve the Town of Miami Lakes Greenways and Trails Master Plan
6. Rail connection to North West Dade County

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**Attachment B**  
**Town of Miami Lakes**  
**2025 Strategic Plan Mobility Initiatives**





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December 27, 2016

Dear Mayor Gimenez and Chairman Bovo,

As you are already aware, our community is concerned and is monitoring the progress of the proposed American Dream Miami project. We are anxiously awaiting the agreement between MDC planners and the mall's developers that will outline a proposal to address the traffic impact.

What is abundantly clear is that Miami-Dade County will receive millions of dollars in impact fees and millions of dollars on a recurring basis once the mall opens. My request is to have 100% of all the impact fees stay in Northwest Miami-Dade County, both in the incorporated and unincorporated areas, to alleviate the impact on our roads and public services. Additionally, to assist us in dealing with the day-to-day traffic impact, Miami Lakes should receive a percentage of all recurring revenue on a yearly basis to fund our strategic transportation initiatives which will hopefully alleviate the mall's impact for Miami Lakes (attached you will find our transportation initiatives list with an estimated cost as of July 2016.)

As elected officials, we represent the people's interest. Ensuring that we get the best deal possible for our residents is paramount. I look forward to working with you both on this very important issue for Miami Lakes.

Regards,

Manny Cid  
Mayor

*Growing Beautifully*

MAYOR  
Manny Cid

VICE MAYOR  
Tony Lama

COUNCILMEMBERS:

Luis Collazo

Tim Daubert

Cesar Mestre

Frank Mingo

Nelson Rodriguez

TOWN MANAGER  
Alex Rey

TOWN ATTORNEY  
Raul Gastesi

TOWN CLERK  
Gina Inguanzo



	Enhance Mobility	Responsible Agency	Status	Town Cost	Goal for FY 16-17	Funding Source
	<b>General Issues</b>					
1	Transportation strategy funding plan		Completed - Mobility fee adopted	\$30,000	Achieved	
2	Develop cost estimates for various improvements		Completed	\$25,000	Achieved	
3	Update Comprehensive Plan Transportation Element		Completed	In-house	Achieved	
	<b>Achieve the Greenways and Trails Network</b>					
	Greenways and Trails Master Plan	Town				
4	Safe routes to schools project along MLS	Town	Grant awarded for \$200,000. Design being completed.	\$120,000	Construction to be completed next year. Town has requested an additional \$60K from FDOT for signalization.	FDOT Grant - \$60K Match PTP 80% - \$60K
5	77th Court Greenway from 170th to Dog Park	Town	A grant awarded for construction between dog park and 154th street (\$600K) and a second grants from 154th street to 162nd Street (\$85K).	\$140,000	Design work to be completed	PTP 80%
6	146 Street Greenway	Town	A grant application for \$540K has been submitted to the State for construction in FY 2021. Town will be responsible for design in FY 2020	\$60,000	Grant awarded for \$550K	
7	60th Avenue business park greenway	Town	A grant application for \$315K has been submitted to the State for construction in FY 2021. Town will be responsible for design in FY 2020	\$131,600	No Action	
8	Greenways and Trails Stripping Improvements for Bilke Lanes	Town	Design funded in FY16 (\$15,000)	\$90,000	No Action	TAP Grant
9	154th Street Greenway	Town		\$1,120,000	No Action	
10	139th Canal Greenway	Town		\$285,000	No Action	
11	87th Avenue Greenway	Town		\$250,000	No Action	
12	NW 67th Avenue Greenway	Town		\$375,000	No Action	
13	NW 59th Avenue Greenway	Town		\$130,000	No Action	
14	Miami Lakeway West Greenway (from 154th to 154th West of 67th Avenue)	Town		\$400,000	No Action	
15	138th Street Canal Greenway (from 67th Avenue to Bamboo Street)	Town		\$300,000	No Action	
16	170th Greenway	Town	Completed in FY14	\$600,000	Achieved	
17	Final network connections and signage	Town		\$200,000	No Action	



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<b>Targeted Improvements at Troubles Spots</b>					
18 Police to prevent blocking box	Town	Implemented along 154th street corridor	\$50,000	Maintain officers at intersections	General Fund
19 Modify intersection & traffic light at 87th Avenue & 164th Street	County/Town	Town completed intersection improvement. Traffic light installed in November 2016	\$271,000	Construct intersection improvements	PTP 80%
20 Additional lane at Windmill Gate	County/Town	Road ownership was determined to be with Town. Plans are being developed by architect	\$400,000	Design and construct improvements	PTP 80%
21 Modify traffic light at 79th to eliminate northbound traffic	County/Town	Completed	\$0	Achieved	
22 Create direct connection from Palmetto frontage to Palmetto south	FDOT	FDOT is reviewing feasibility as part of PDE for Palmetto Expressway	\$0	Continue to monitor PDE work	
23 Reconfiguration of 67th Avenue and Palmetto	FDOT/County/Town	Intersection design was selected. Consultant is finalizing plans	\$30,000	Construct intersection improvements. Assumes County funds construction.	
24 Reconfiguration of 57th Avenue and Palmetto	FDOT	FDOT is reviewing feasibility as part of PDE for Palmetto Expressway	\$0	Continue to monitor PDE work	
25 Add 150ft to Northbound right turn lane at 154th & 77th Ct	Town	Traffic Analysis being conducted for FDOT review	\$120,000	Secure FDOT approval, design and construct improvements	PTP 80%
26 Allow left turns from southbound Montrose to eastbound Oak Ln.	County/Town	Conduct traffic study to evaluate impact	TBD	If study supports the modification, it will be submitted to County for approval	PTP 80%
27 Add traffic light at NW 79th Ct & NW 154th Street	County/Town	Conduct traffic study to evaluate impact	TBD	If study supports the modification, it will be submitted to County for approval. Assumes County will pay for light if warranted.	
<b>Improve East- West connectivity</b>					
28 New underpass at 146th at Palmetto	FDOT/Town	FDOT is reviewing feasibility as part of PDE for Palmetto Expressway	\$1,700,000	Continue to monitor PDE work. Town will need to negotiate funding agreement for design.	Mobility Fee
29 New underpass at 160th under Palmetto	FDOT/Town	FDOT is reviewing feasibility as part of PDE for Palmetto Expressway	\$1,700,000	Continue to monitor PDE work. Town will need to negotiate funding agreement for design.	Mobility Fee
30 Reconfiguration of 154th and Palmetto	FDOT	FDOT is reviewing feasibility as part of PDE for Palmetto Expressway	\$0	Continue to monitor PDE work	
31 Move guard gate east of 82 from 167th to 162nd	Town/County	Perform traffic study to assess benefits	\$100,000	If study supports the modification, it will be submitted to HOA and County for approval. Town will cover the cost to rebuild guard gate.	PTP 80%
32 Adaptive signalization along 154th street between 82nd Avenue and Palmetto Expressway	Town/County	Develop implementation strategy	\$360,000	Pursue implementation	Mobility Fee



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<b>Improve Transit and Pedestrian Mobility</b>					
Develop & Implement Complete Streets Policy					
33	Town	Grant was applied for and received for \$40K to develop Complete Streets Policy	TBD	Complete design work for Town Center area plus 7 'hubs' identified below	Mobility Fee, PTP 80% & Grants
34	Town/County	Plan Development grants applied for	TBD	Complete Complete Street Policy and Development Plan	Mobility Fee, PTP 80% & Grants
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42	Town/County	Plan Development grants applied for	TBD	Complete Complete Street Policy and Development Plan	Mobility Fee, PTP 80% & Grants
43	Town	No Action	TBD	No Action	
44	Town	Draft new language	Private Sector	Adopt Amendment to code	
45	Town	Pending Complete Streets Plan Development	\$2,000,000	Complete design work under plan development (item 33)	
46	Town	Consistent with sidewalk plan	\$1,100,000	Complete design work	
47	Town	No Action	\$700,000	No Action	
48	Town	No Action	TBD	No Action	
49	Town	Pursue as part of opening of 59th Avenue connection	TBD	No Action	
	Town	Complete brochure and mail within 1 mile of service areas, create promotional materials. Install bus stop signs.	\$67,200	No Action	
<b>Provide mobility alternatives for inter-town trips</b>					
50	Town	Negotiation with Uber are on-going	TBD	Conduct test	Use current funding
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<b>Transportation Demand Management</b> Periodic presentations to large employers about commuting alternatives (carpooling, transit, staggered work hours, etc.)	Town/South Florida Commuter Services	Developing handout materials with South Florida Commuter Services	\$0	Presentations at park east and west are being coordinated with the Graham Companies	Existing staff
54 Incentivize use of TDM measures by employers	Town	Incentives included in mobility fee ordinance	\$0	No Action	
55 <b>Improve Distribution of Traffic Flows (both spatially and timing)</b> School to change start and dismissal times	Town/School System	Meet with school superintendent	\$0	Implement by beginning of 17-18 school year	Existing staff
56 Make 57th avenue more free flowing	Town	Request made to FDOT	\$0	Continue discussion with FDOT	
57 Extend 59th Ave south to Miami Lakes Drive, includes construction of PW yard and Boat Storage facility	Town	Preparing documents for submittal to relevant government agencies, and conduct appraisal for land	\$5,800,000	Secure approval from FAA and South Florida Water Management District. Negotiate purchase of properties.	Initial funds required for land acquisition. May require issuance of debt to accelerate project - \$308K had been previously allocated PTP
58 <b>Provide better regional transportation connections</b> Rail to NW Dade County	County	Monitor & support county plan	\$0	Monitor & support county plan	
59 MDX connection to 67th Avenue	MDX	Present concept design to residents	\$0	Present concept design to residents	
60 MDX connection to 87th Avenue	MDX	Evaluate feasibility as MDX does not think it is feasible	\$0	Town consultant to evaluate feasibility	PTP 80%

Attachment C

Road Impact Fee Benefit District Map

