

**RESOLUTION NO. 17-1458**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY SMART TRANSIT PLAN PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, during the June 6, 2017 Town Hall Meeting, Councilman Nelson Rodriguez presented a new business item regarding support of the Miami-Dade County SMART Transit Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 22, 2017, Miami-Dade County's TPO will convene to discuss and approve Miami-Dade County Smart Transit Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Miami-Dade County Smart Transit Plan is an innovative implementation of strategies to advance rapid transit corridors, along with a network system of Bus Express Rapid Transit systems, intended to alleviate traffic congestion; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council supports this measure and urges the TPO Governing Board, the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, and Miami-Dade County Mayor to approve funding of Miami-Dade County SMART Transit Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council believes this resolution is in the best interest of the Town of Miami Lakes.

**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. Request for approval of Miami-Dade County Smart Transit Plan.** The Town Council requests that the Miami-Dade County TPO, Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, and Miami-Dade County Mayor take action to approve, implement and fund the Miami-Dade County Smart Transit Plan.

**Section 3. Authorization of Town Official.** The Town Manager and/or his designee and the Town Attorney are authorized to take all actions necessary to implement this resolution.

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

Passed and adopted this 6th day of June, 2017

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

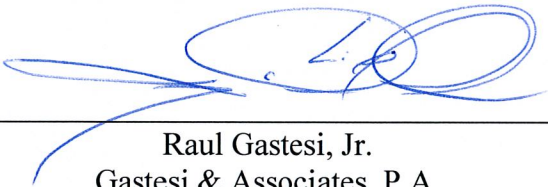
Mayor Manny Cid	<u>Absent</u>
Vice Mayor Tony Lama	<u>yes</u>
Councilmember Luis Collazo	<u>yes</u>
Councilmember Tim Daubert	<u>yes</u>
Councilmember Cesar Mestre	<u>yes</u>
Councilmember Frank Mingo	<u>yes</u>
Councilmember Nelson Rodriguez	<u>yes</u>

  
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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 & Associates, P.A.  
TOWN ATTORNEY