RESOLUTION NO. 19-1632

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN **MANAGER PURSUANT TO SECTION 7 OF ORDINANCE 17-**BROWARD COUNTY 203. TO ACCESS **CONTRACT** PNC211640B1_2 FOR UNDERGROUND UTILITY LOCATE SERVICES AS LONG AS BUDGETED FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THESE SERVICES; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO **EXPENDED BUDGETED FUNDS; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN** MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN **EFFECTIVE DATE.**

WHEREAS, under Chapter 556 of Florida Statues, utility owners are required to mark

underground utilities before Contractors may perform any excavation work within a construction area; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Miami Lakes ("Town") had been contracted with High Tech

Engineering ("High Tech") to perform underground utility locate services; and WHEREAS, the

Town's contract with High Tech expired in October of 2018; and WHEREAS,

Procurement conducted market research to find a suitable contract to

piggyback; and

WHEREAS, the Town executed an interim contract with High Tech to prevent a disruption in service; and

WHEREAS, expenditure on Contract 2019-15 has reached the \$25,000 threshold set forth in Section 7 of Ordinance 17-203; and

WHEREAS, the Town intends to piggyback Broward County Contract PNC211640B1_2 with High Tech (hereinafter referred to as "Contract") for Underground Utility Locate Services not to exceed budgeted funds; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council approves of the Town Manager's recommendations and authorizes the Town Manager to initiate purchases off the Contract in amounts not to exceed budgeted funds for these services.

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. <u>Approval of the Contract.</u> The Town Council hereby approves the award of a contract to High Tech Engineering, Inc. in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A" for Underground Utility Locate Services in the amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Authorization of Town Officials.</u> The Town Manager and/or his designee are authorized to take all steps necessary to utilize Broward County Contract PNC211640B1_2 and to execute said contract on behalf of the Town, subject to approval as to form and legality by the Town Attorney. The Town Manager and/or his designee and the Town Attorney are authorized to take all steps necessary to implement the terms and conditions of the contract with High Tech for Underground Utility Locate Services in the amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

Section 4. Authorization of Fund Expenditure. Notwithstanding the limitations imposed upon the Town Manager by the Town's Procurement Ordinance, the Town Manager is authorized to expend budgeted funds to implement the terms and conditions of this Resolution and the contract with High Tech Engineering, Inc. for Underground Utility Locate

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Services in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

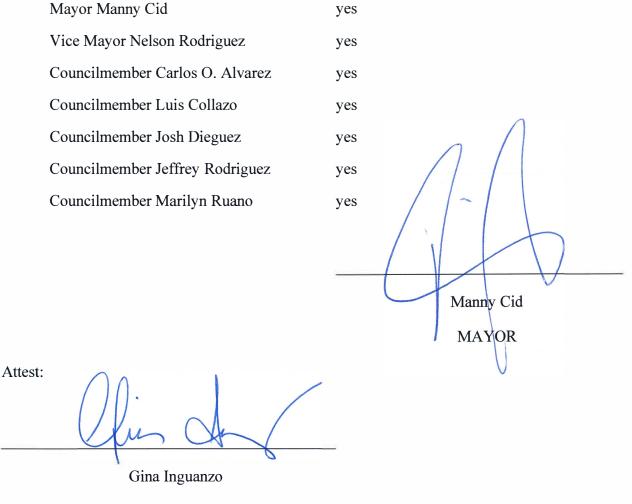
<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Execution of the Contract.</u> The Town Manager is authorized to execute the Contract in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit "A" with High Tech Engineering, Inc. and to execute any required agreements and/or documents to implement the terms and conditions of the contract and to execute any extension and/or amendments to the contract, subject to approval as to form and legality by the Town Attorney.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

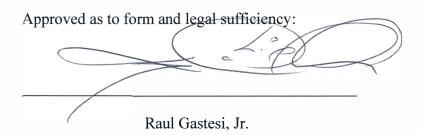
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The foregoing resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Rodriguez who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:



TOWN CLERK



Gastesi, Lopez & Mestre, P.L.L.

TOWN ATTORNEY

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EXHIBIT A

Agreement between the Town of Miami Lakes and **High Tech Engineering, Inc.** for Underground Utility Locate Services