RESOLUTION NO. 20- 1699

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE 2020 MIAMI-DADE COUNTY LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO IDENTIFY AND PRIORITIZE HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT PROGRAM PROJECTS TO BECOME A PART OF THE LOCAL AND STATEWIDE HAZARD MITIGATION STRATEGY; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO APPLY FOR GRANTS TO IMPLEMENT PROJECTS UNDER THE LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MAYOR, TOWN MANAGER AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO EXECUTE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (PIDERMANN)

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency funded a national initiative to help communities develop local mitigation strategies that identify projects to mitigate the effects of natural disasters and to identify sources of funds to address those problems; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Department of Economic Opportunity entered into a contract with Miami-Dade (the "County") to provide the funding for the County and municipalities to jointly develop a Local Mitigation Strategy to become a component of the Statewide Mitigation Strategy; and

WHEREAS, the County entered into agreements with local municipalities to establish a unified process for developing the Local Mitigation Strategy and convey funds for participation in the plan's development; and

WHEREAS, the Local Mitigation Strategy meets the State of Florida's contract requirements, and was accomplished with the participation of local governments, the Miami-Dade School Board, and a broad range of private not-for-profit agencies, businesses and universities coordinated by the Miami-Dade Office of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to participate and adopt the County's 2020 Adopted Local Mitigation Strategy (Exhibit "A"); and

WHEREAS, the Town Council finds this Resolution to be in the best interest and welfare of the residents of the Town

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

Section1. Recitals. The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

Section2. Adoption of the Miami-Dade County Local Mitigation Strategy. The Town Council hereby adopts the Miami-Dade County 2020 Local Mitigation Strategy, which is attached as Exhibit "**A**" to this Resolution.

Section 3.   Authorization of Town Officials. The Town Manager and/ or his designee is hereby authorized to identify and prioritize potential mitigation projects to be included within the Miami-Dade County's Local Mitigation Strategy Plan, which will include but are not limited to, various mitigation projects identified in the Town's adopted Stormwater Master Plan, the Town's adopted strategic plan and other mitigation related projects identified by Town Staff.

Section 4.   Authorization for Grant Application. The Town Manager and/or his designee are authorized to apply for grants and to submit project proposals and any documents necessary to assist the Town in implementing current and future hazard mitigation projects pursuant to the Local Mitigation Strategy.

Section 5.   Execution of Documents. The Mayor, the Town Manager or his designee, and the Town Attorney or his designee, are authorized to execute any required documents or agreements necessary to implement the Local Mitigation Strategy.

Section 6.   Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect retroactively to September 14, 2020.

Passed and adopted this 15th day of September 2020

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

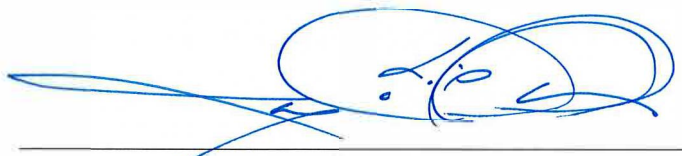|	
Mayor Manny Cid	yes
Vice Mayor Nelson Rodriguez	yes
Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez	yes
Councilmember Luis Collazo	yes
Councilmember Josh Dieguez	yes
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	yes
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	yes

MANNY CID
MAYOR

Attest:

Gina M. Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Raul Gastesi, Jr.
Gastesi, Lopez and Mestre, PLLC
TOWN ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A