RESOLUTION NO. 21-1741

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES. FLORIDA. TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN TO APPLY FOR AND IF GRANTED MANAGER ACCEPT THE OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO APPLY FOR AND IMPLEMENT THE TERMS **AND CONDITIONS** OF THE GRANT; PROVIDING FOR **AUTHORITY TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; PROVIDING RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION** OF AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Office of Criminal Justice Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance
Grant Program (the "JAG Grant"), focuses on improving criminal justice system by providing
funding to local and state agencies; and

WHEREAS, prior JAG Grant applications have allowed the Town of Miami Lakes (the "Town") to obtain funding for the purchase of police bicycle equipment, truancy programs and curfew details; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the Grant will not require the Town to match funds; and WHEREAS, if awarded, the JAG Grant will allow the Town to purchase emergency equipment to assist the Town's law enforcement to increase visibility when responding to emergency calls; and

WHEREAS, the Town Manager desires authority to apply for the Grant in an amount not to exceed Three Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars and 00/100 (\$3,486.00) and if awarded executed any necessary documents to accept the Grant, and to expend budgeted funds; and

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. Apply for and if Awarded Accept Grant. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Manager to apply for and if awarded accept the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program, and execute such grant agreements, amendments, modifications and any other documents necessary to effectuate the Grant and take such other acts as may be necessary to bind the Town and accomplish the intent of this Resolution.

Section 3. Authorization of Town Officials. 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 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program. The Town Clerk is hereby directed to send copies of this Resolution to any person or agency as directed by the Council of the Town of Miami Lakes.

Section 4. Providing Authority to Expend Budgeted Funds. The Manager is authorized to expend budgeted funds up to Three Thousand Four Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars and 00/100 (\$3,486.00) in order to complete the project in furtherance of the grant.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 11th day of May 2021

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

Mayor Manny Cid	yes
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Vice Mayor Luis E. Collazo yes

Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez Absent

Councilmember Josh Dieguez yes

Councilmember Tony Fernandez yes

Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez yes

Councilmember Marilyn Ruano yes

IANNY 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