

RESOLUTION NO. 21 - 1783

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, PURSUANT TO TOWN CODE ARTICLE XII SECTION 13211 RENAMING PICNIC PARK WEST, VETERANS PARK; DEDICATING A ROOM WITHIN MARY COLLINS CENTER IN HONOR OF THE TOWN'S FIRST MAYOR, WAYNE SLATON; DEDICATING A ROOM WITHIN MARY COLLINS IN HONOR OF THE MIAMI LAKES CIVIC ASSOCIATION; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO TOWN MANAGER; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, during the July 2021, Town of Miami Lakes (the "Town") Council Meeting, the Town's Veteran's Committee formally requested the renaming of Picnic Park West, Veterans Park; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council found that honoring the Town's Veteran's community was important and appropriate; and

WHEREAS, during the same meeting, the Town Council found it important to honor the Town's first Mayor, Hon. Wayne Slaton, by dedicating a hall within the Town's Mary Collins Center; and

WHEREAS, additionally, the Town Council found it important to honor the Miami Lakes Civic Association by dedicating a hall within the Town's Mary Collins Center; and

WHEREAS, Section 13-2116 of the Town Code, provides the exclusive method by which Town facilities can be dedicated and named; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 13-2116 of the Town Code, on October 12, 2021, the Town held a Public Hearing of which proper notice was provided to residents residing within 300 feet of Picnic Park West; and

WHEREAS, after hearing testimony provided by Staff and the Public, the Town Council finds that Picnic Park West should be renamed, Veterans Park.

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

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

Section 2. **Renaming of Picnic Park West.** Pursuant to the Town Code, the Town Council hereby adopts this resolution and dedicates Picnic Park West as Veterans Park.

Section 3. **Dedication of Halls 1 and 2 at Mary Collins Center.** Pursuant to Town Code, the Town Council hereby dedicates Hall 1 at Mary Collins Center in the name of the Miami Lakes Civic Association, and Hall 2 at Mary Collins Center in the name of the Honorable Wayne Slaton.

Section 3. **Authorization of Town Officials.** The Town Manager and/or his designee are authorized to expend budgeted funds to create the necessary signage to achieve Section 2 and 3 of this Resolution.

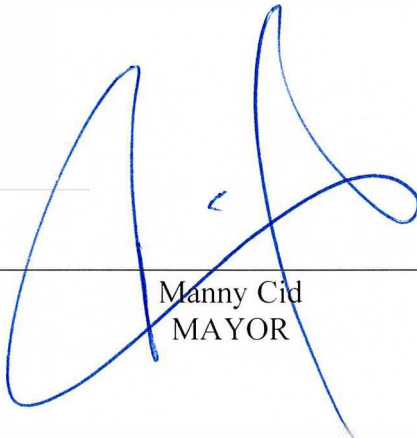
Section 4 **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this 12th day of October, 2021.


The foregoing resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Luis E. Collazo who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Manny Cid	Yes
Vice Mayor Luis E. Collazo	Yes
Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez	Yes
Councilmember Josh Dieguez	Yes
Councilmember Tony Fernandez	Yes
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	Yes
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	Yes



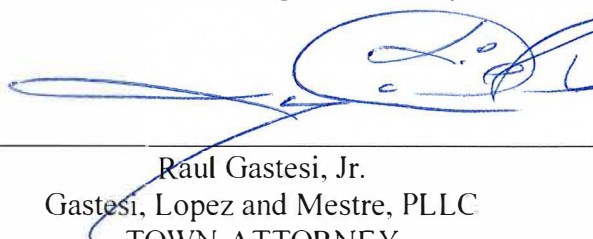
Manny Cid
MAYOR

Attest:



POV
Gina M. Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



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