

**RESOLUTION NO. 21-1786**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA; IN OPPOSITION OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY RESOLUTION DESIGNATING REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6601 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> STREET AS THE MIAMI LAKES INDUSTRIAL PROJECT; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TOWN CLERK; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the name Miami Lakes is a federal trademark owned and enjoyed by the Graham Companies (the “Grahams”); and

**WHEREAS**, soon after incorporation, through permission from Graham Companies, the Town of Miami Lakes (the “Town”) obtained a federal trademark; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town and Grahams have taken great lengths to protect the Miami Lakes name and good-will; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Florida Statute § 376.80, on October 19, 2021, Miami -Dade County will consider a Resolution to designate real-property located at 6601 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami-Dade County, Florida, as a Brownsfield Area, to be renamed Miami Lakes Industrial Project (the “Resolution”); and

**WHEREAS**, 6601 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami-Dade County, Florida, lies outside the political boundaries of the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, the Grahams have expressed their disapproval and discontent of the Resolution’s passage; and

**WHEREAS**, the passage of the Resolution has the potential to affect the name and good will of Miami Lakes; and

**WHEREAS**, for all the aforementioned reasons, the Town opposes the County’s adoption of the Resolution.

**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. Opposition of Miami-Dade County's Resolution Designating Real Property Located at 6601 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street, Miami Dade County, as Miami Lakes Industrial Project.**

The Town Council hereby opposes the use of the name "Miami Lakes," for the designation of real property located at 6601 N.W. 167<sup>th</sup> Street.

**Section 3. Instruction to Town Clerk.** The Town Clerk is instructed to remit a copy of this Resolution to the Miami-Dade County Clerk.

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Passed and adopted this 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 2021.

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

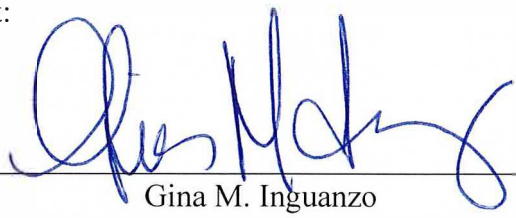
Mayor Manny Cid	<u>Yes</u>
Vice Mayor Luis E. Collazo	<u>Yes</u>
Councilmember Carlos O. Alvarez	<u>Yes</u>
Councilmember Joshua Dieguez	<u>Yes</u>
Councilmember Tony Fernandez	<u>Yes</u>
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	<u>Yes</u>
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	<u>Yes</u>



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Manny Cid  
MAYOR

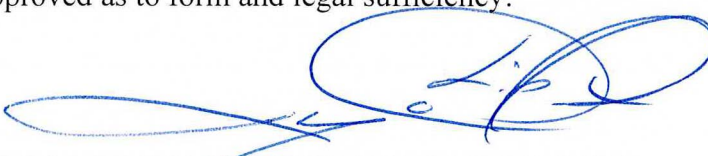
Attest:



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Gina M. Inguanzo  
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



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