

RESOLUTION NO. 25-2118

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN MANAGER, TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM; AUTHORIZING TOWN OFFICIALS TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE LOCAL CYBERSECURITY GRANT PROGRAM; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the State of Florida, through the Department of Management Services, has created a Forty Million Dollar and 00/100 (\$40,000,000.00), competitive, Local Government Cybersecurity Grant Program (the “Grant”) to provide local governments with email security solutions; and

WHEREAS, this grant does not provide for the distribution of moneys, and does not require the Town to provide a match contribution; and

WHEREAS, if awarded, the Town will be allowed to select from a menu of enhancements that will improve our cyber security infrastructure and safety; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the Town and its residents to apply for the Grant as, if awarded, the Grant will continue to provide vital cybersecurity capabilities including enhanced awareness, email threat protection, malicious content filtering, communication channel shielding, and increased cyber resilience; and

WHEREAS, the Grant would assist with the safeguarding of critical systems and networks, ensuring continuous operations to the Town of Miami Lakes and its residents; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that the Town Council authorize the Town Manager to apply for and accept the Local Government Cybersecurity Grant Program.

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 and/or his designee to apply for the Local Government Cybersecurity Grant Program, (the “Grant”) and if awarded authorizes the Town Manager to accept the Grant, 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, or his designee are authorized to take all steps necessary to implement the terms and conditions of the Local Government Cybersecurity Grant Program. To select the cybersecurity enhancements that are in the Town’s best interest. 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. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Passed and adopted this 19th day of August 2025.

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

Mayor Joshua Dieguez	Yes
Vice Mayor Bryan Morera	Yes
Councilmember Juan Carlos Fernandez	Yes
Councilmember Angelo Cuadra Garcia	Yes
Councilmember Ray Garcia	Yes
Councilmember Steven Herzberg	Yes
Councilmember Alex Sanchez	Yes




Joshua Dieguez
MAYOR

Attest:



Gina M. Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



Lorenzo Cobiella
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DEPUTY TOWN ATTORNEY