

RESOLUTION NO.: 2019-066

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE CITY CLERK, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY, TO PERMIT THE PURCHASING DEPARTMENT AND THE HIALEAH POLICE DEPARTMENT TO DISPOSE OF AS SURPLUS THE HIALEAH POLICE DEPARTMENT'S MINE RESISTANT AMBUSH PROTECTED VEHICLE (MRAP) AND ACCEPT THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE LAW ENFORCEMENT SUPPORT OFFICE/1033 PROGRAM'S TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP OF THE HIALEAH POLICE DEPARTMENT'S MINE RESISTANT AMBUSH PROTECTED VEHICLE (MRAP) TO THE GULF COUNTY, FLORIDA SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AS APPROV BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE LAW ENFORCEMENT SUPPORT OFFICE AND ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF AS EXHIBIT "A".

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department purchased from the Department of Defense Law Enforcement Support Office/1033 Program a Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicle (MRAP);

WHEREAS, City of Hialeah Ordinance Sec. 2-901 provides for the disposal of scrap, surplus, confiscated, abandoned, unclaimed city property and specifically states that the City's purchasing agent shall have ability to donate property to another governmental entity without placing the property for public sale if the donation serves a charitable or public purpose, and

WHEREAS, Chief of Police Sergio Velazquez has determined that the Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicle (MRAP) is no longer effective for the Hialeah Police Department to utilize, operate, and maintain and is surplus to the needs of the City; and

WHEREAS, the Purchasing Department and the Hialeah Police Department seek to transfer the Mine Resistant Ambush Protected Vehicle (MRAP) to the Gulf County, Florida Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Hialeah Police Department's participation in the Department of Defense Law Enforcement Support Office/1033 Program, transfer of items acquired from the Law Enforcement Support Office/1033 Program require program approval; and

WHEREAS, on May 31, 2019, the Hialeah Police Department received approval from the Law Enforcement Support Office/1033 Program to transfer ownership of the acquired MRAP Vehicle to the Gulf County, Florida Sheriff's Office; and

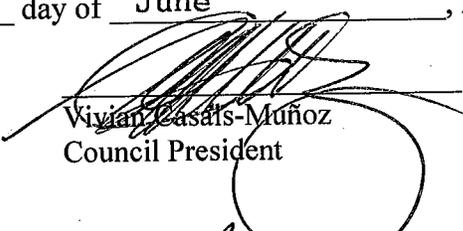
WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Hialeah and serves a public purpose to dispose of the MRAP by donating this property to another governmental entity and, pursuant to the approval of the Department of Defense Law Enforcement Support Office transfer ownership of the MRAP to the Gulf County, Florida Sheriff's Office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, THAT:

Section 1. The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby authorizes the Mayor and the City Clerk, as attesting witnesses, on behalf of the City, to allow the Purchasing Department to dispose of as surplus the Hialeah Police Department's MRAP Vehicle and accept the Department of Defense Law Enforcement Support Office's transfer of ownership of the MRAP Vehicle to the Gulf County, Florida Sheriff's Office, and attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "A".

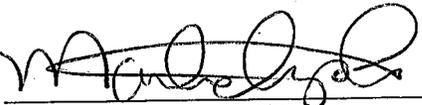
Section 2: This resolution shall become effective when approved by majority vote of the City Council and signed by the Mayor or at the next regularly scheduled City Council meeting, if the Mayor's signature is withheld or if the City Council overrides the Mayor's veto.

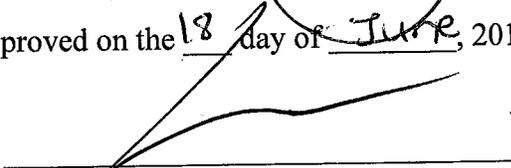
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11 day of June, 2019.


Vivian Casals-Munoz
Council President

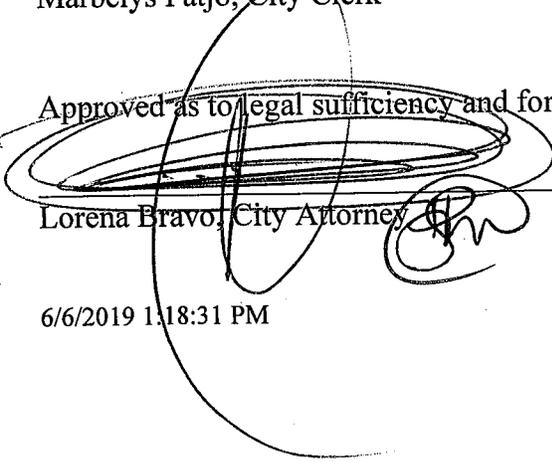
Attest:

Approved on the 18 day of June, 2019.


Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk


Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:


Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a 4-0-3 vote with Councilmembers, Zogby, Casals-Munoz, Garcia-Martinez, and Hernandez, voting "Yes" and with Councilmembers Caragol, Cue-Fuente, Lozano absent.

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