

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-108

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA EXPRESSING ITS COMMITMENT TO CREATE A LIVABLE, SAFER AND MORE WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT FOR PEDESTRIANS, BICYCLIST AND TRANSIT USERS IN THE COMMUNITY THROUGH THE PLANNING, DESIGN, AND CONSTRUCTION OF A NETWORK OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS THAT ENCOURAGE WALKING, BICYCLING AND INCREASED PUBLIC TRANSIT, AND ADOPTING THE COMPLETE STREETS POLICY, A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AND MADE A PART HEREOF AS EXHIBIT "1".

**WHEREAS**, the City Hialeah has a thriving population of residents who have indicated the need for transportation improvements designed and constructed to encourage and facilitate walking, bicycling, and the use of other alternative modes of transportation, while promoting safe mobility and the health of all residents and visitors of the community;

**WHEREAS**, a Complete Streets Policy is intended to reduce the negative effects of traffic, increase physical activity and create safer connected streets with a highly efficient multimodal transportation network by balancing all transportation modes and accommodating all users;

**WHEREAS**, the City Hialeah finds that Complete Streets policies and guidelines can help encourage the design, planning and construction of safer, healthier streets and ultimately increase physical activity and the vibrancy of neighborhoods; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hialeah finds that it in the best interest of the community to adopt the Complete Streets Policy, attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "1" to create livable, safer and more welcoming environment for pedestrians, bicyclists and transit users in the community while reducing the negative impacts of traffic in the environment.

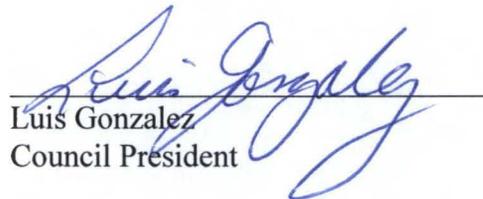
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA THAT:

**Section 1:** The foregoing facts and recitations contained in the preamble to this Resolution are hereby incorporated and adopted by reference as if fully set forth herein.

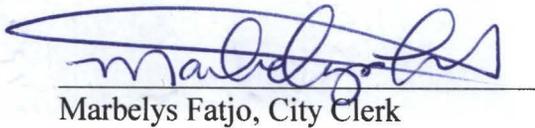
**Section 2:** The Mayor and City Council of the City of Hialeah hereby express its commitment to create a livable, safer and more welcoming environment for pedestrians, bicyclist and transit users in the community through the planning, design, and construction of a network of capital improvements that encourage walking, bicycling and increased public transit, and adopt The Complete Streets Policy, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof as Exhibit "1".

**Section 3:** 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 27 day of September, 2016

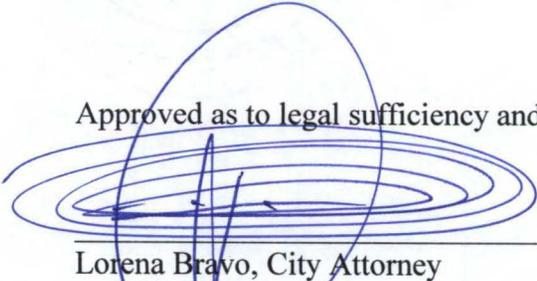
  
Luis Gonzalez  
Council President

Attest: Approved on this 4 day of October, 2016.

  
Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk

  
Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and as to form:

  
Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a (6-0-1) vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Gonzalez, Hernandez, Lozano, Garcia-Martinez and Casáls-Muñoz voting "Yes". Council Vice President Cue-Fuente absent.