RESOLUTION NO. 13-11

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 ENTER INTO A MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF OPA-LOCKA AS A PARTICIPATING MUNICIPAL POLICE DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE FOR REQUESTING AND RENDERING ASSISTANCE FOR ROUTINE AND INTENSIVE LAW ENFORCEMENT SITUATIONS FROM DATE OF SIGNING THROUGH AND INCLUDING JANUARY 1, 2015, A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT "A".

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah and the City of Opa-Locka are so located in relation to each other that it is to the advantage of each to receive and extend mutual aid in the form of law enforcement services and resources to adequately respond to law enforcement situations; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 23, Florida Statutes, the "Florida Mutual Aid Act," permits law enforcement agencies to enter into a combined mutual aid agreement which permits voluntary cooperation and assistance of a routine or emergency law enforcement nature; and

WHEREAS, a Mutual Aid Agreement of this nature would be beneficial to the City of Hialeah.

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

Section 1: The City of Hialeah, Florida hereby authorizes the Mayor and the City Clerk, on behalf of the City, to enter into a mutual aid agreement with the City of Opa-Locka as a participating municipal police department to provide for requesting and rendering assistance for routine and intensive law enforcement situations from date of signing through and including January 1, 2015, a copy of which is attached hereto.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12 day of February, 2013.

Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council President

Attest:

Marbelys Fatjo, Acting City Clerk

Approved on this 15 day of Feb, 2013.

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal
sufficiency and as to form:

William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a 6-0 vote with Councilmembers, Casals-Munoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez and Lozano voting "Yes", Councilmember Caragol absent.