RESOLUTION NO.: 12-117

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $11,988.00 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND - *FEDERAL*, TO PURCHASE A ONE-YEAR UPDATED SUBSCRIPTION TO THE LEADSONLINE PAWN SHOP AUTOMATION SYSTEM FROM LEADSONLINE, A *SOLE SOURCE* VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department has partnered with the local business community in a crime prevention project to combat crimes such as robberies, burglaries and thefts by automating the City's pawn shops; and

WHEREAS, pawn shops are used by drug-addicted criminals to get money for their drug habits by pawning and selling stolen property; and

WHEREAS, the LeadsOnline software allows pawnshop owners to enter their pawn slips into the LeadsOnline database, and allows detectives to run investigative inquiries against the Hialeah pawn slips and all other entries in the database; and

WHEREAS, the utilization of this software has resulted in an increase in the recovery of stolen property, an increase in arrests related to stolen property, and has saved countless investigative hours; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department is requesting authorization to purchase a one-year updated subscription to the LeadsOnline Pawn Shop Automation Software from LeadsOnline, a *sole source* vendor, for a total expenditure not to exceed $11,988.00; and

WHEREAS, the funds to cover these necessary and legitimate expenses are available in the Law Enforcement Trust Fund - *Federal*; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with the provisions of the *Guide To Equitable Sharing* and all applicable statutes.

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

Section 1. The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida, approve the expenditure of an amount not to exceed $11,988.00, from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund

–*Federal*, to purchase a one-year updated subscription to the LeadsOnline Pawn Shop Automation System from LeadsOnLine, a *sole source* vendor, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 09 day of october, 2012.

Isis Garcia-Martinez
Council President

Attest:

Approved on the 15 day of Oct, 2011.

Marbelys Rubio, Acting City Clerk

Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:

William M. Grodnick, City Attorney

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Resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote with Council Members, Caragol, Casals-Muñoz, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Gonzalez, Hernandez and Lozano voting "Yes".