

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE EXPENDITURE TOTALING AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$13,118.86 FROM THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRUST FUND-*STATE* TO PURCHASE FIVE HUNDRED AND THIRTY TASER CARTRIDGES FROM TASER INTERNATIONAL, A SOLE SOURCE VENDOR, UPON SUCH COSTS HAVING BEEN APPROVED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE.

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Police Department deploys the Taser system to provide Hialeah police officers with a less lethal response to the physical resistance they often encounter while performing their law enforcement duties; and

WHEREAS, to continue this successful officer safety program, the Hialeah Police Department must purchase an additional five hundred and thirty taser cartridges, to continue to fulfill the objective of continually providing every sworn member of the Hialeah Police Department with equipment compatible to the current Taser equipment and system operated by the Department; and

WHEREAS, the purchase of the taser cartridges will ensure that more officers have a less-lethal option at their disposal when reacting to escalating safety situations where use of force is required; and

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

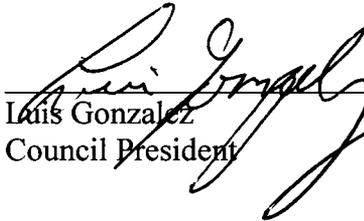
WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recommended adoption of this resolution and determined that the proposed expenditure complies with Florida Statutes.

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 \$13,118.86 from the Law Enforcement Trust Fund- *State* to purchase five hundred and thirty Taser cartridges from Taser

International, a sole source vendor, upon such costs having been approved by the Chief of Police.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 26 day of January, 2016.


Luis Gonzalez
Council President

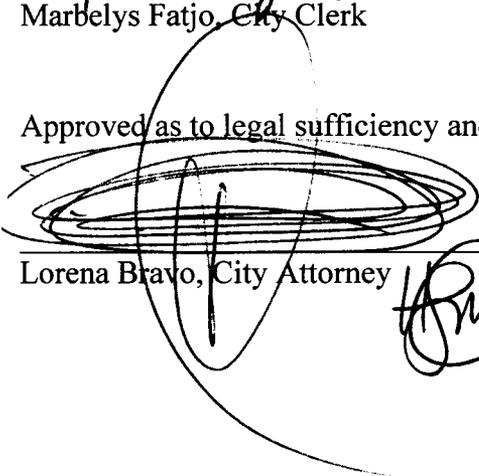
Attest:

Approved on the 1 day of February, 2016.


Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk


Mayor Carlos Hernandez

Approved as to legal sufficiency and form:


Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by a (7-0) unanimous vote with Councilmembers, Caragol, Cue-Fuente, Garcia-Martinez, Hernandez, Gonzalez, Lozano and Casáls-Muñoz voting "Yes".