

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-042

RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE CITY OF HIALEAH TRANSIT SYSTEM TITLE VI PROGRAM PLAN REAFFIRMING THE CITY'S POLICY OF NON-DISCRIMINATION IN ITS PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM, AND ESTABLISHING A COMPLAINT PROCEDURE AND A PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PLAN TO ENSURE ALL RIDERS EQUAL DISTRIBUTION TO, PARTICIPATION IN AND ENJOYMENT OF THE BENEFITS OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH'S PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SERVICES, A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT "A".

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah believes strongly in the founding principles of our Nation of liberty, justice and equality for all people under the law; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hialeah is firmly committed to ensuring that no person is excluded from participation in, denied the benefits of, or subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Hialeah Transit System Title VI Program Plan is to guide the administration and management of its transit system in a nondiscriminatory manner and consistent with the protections afforded by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Hialeah Transit System Title VI Program Plan is to inform the public about its rights to demand equality in the delivery of public transportation services and to afford the public due process through a complaint procedure and public participation plan; and

WHEREAS, the Hialeah Transit System Title Program Plan safeguards the public's right to equal participation in, distribution and enjoyment of the benefits of the City of Hialeah's transportation services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE 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 adopted and incorporated by reference as if fully set forth herein.

Section 2: The Mayor and the City Council of the City of Hialeah, Florida adopt the City of Hialeah Transit System Title VI Program Plan reaffirming the City’s policy of non-discrimination in its public transportation system, and establishing a complaint procedure and a public transportation plan to ensure all riders equal distribution to, participation in and enjoyment of the benefits of the City of Hialeah’s public transportation services, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit “A”.

Section 3: This resolution shall become effective when passed by 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 22 day of March, 2022.

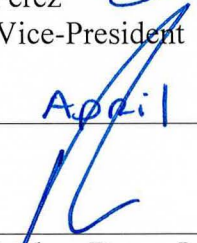


Monica Perez
Council Vice-President

Attest: Approved on this 7 day of April, 2022.



Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk



Mayor Esteban Bovo, Jr.

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:



Lorena Bravo, City Attorney

Resolution was adopted by 6-0-1 vote with Councilmembers Calvo, Casáls-Muñoz, Garcia-Roves, Perez, Rodriguez, and Tundidor voting “Yes” and with Council President Zogby absent.