## **RESOLUTION NO. 2018**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES EXPRESSING ITS INTENT TO UTILIZE THE UNIFORM METHOD OF LEVYING, COLLECTING AND ENFORCING NON AD VALOREM ASSESSMENTS FOR THE MIAMI LAKES - LOCH LOMOND SECURITY GUARD SPECIAL TAXING DISTRICT LOCATED ENTIRELY WITHIN THE TOWN WHICH HEREINAFTER MAY BE LEVIED BY THE TOWN IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 197.3632, FLORIDA STATUTE PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER AND TOWN ATTORNEY TO TAKE NECESSARY MEASURES TO IMPLEMENT THE RESOLUTION: AUTHORIZING THE TOWN MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER AND THE TAX COLLECTOR; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TOWN CLERK; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, on September 5, 2017, the Town of Miami Lakes (the "Town") approved the transfer six (6) special taxing districts, including Miami Lakes-Loch Lomond Security Guard Special Taxing District ("Loch Lomond") from Miami-Dade County (the "County") to the Town; and

**WHEREAS,** on November 7, 2017, the County passed a resolution authorizing the transfer of Loch Lomond, and the execution of an interlocal agreement between the Town and the County to effectuate the transfer; and

**WHEREAS,** during the month of December the Town requested an extension from Miami-Dade County Property Appraiser to adopt a resolution in order to utilize the Uniform Method of Collection pursuant to Florida Statute § 197.3632; and

**WHEREAS**, on January 23, 2017, Special Elections were conducted via mail-in ballot for six Special Taxing Districts to the Town of Miami Lakes for all voters within the district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the voters within Loch Lomond voted in favor of the transfer; and

**WHEREAS,** the Town desires to use the Uniform Method of Collection and enter into an interlocal agreement with the Property Appraiser, Tax Collector and the Town in order to effectuate the collection of non-ad valorem taxes for Loch Lomond.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1. Recitals.** The foregoing Recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by this reference.

<u>Section 2. Authorization of Town Officials.</u> The Town Manager and/or his designee and the Town Attorney are authorized to take all steps necessary to implement the terms and conditions of this Resolution.

Section 3. Authorization to Execute Interlocal Agreement. The Town Manager is authorized to execute an Interlocal Agreement(s), similar and with substantially the same content and form as attached, and to execute any required agreements and/or documents to implement the terms and conditions of the Interlocal Agreement(s), to execute any extension and/or amendments to the Interlocal Agreement, subject to approval as to form and legality by the Town Attorney.

<u>Section 4. Instructions to the Town Clerk.</u> The Town Council hereby directs the Town Clerk to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Mayor Carlos A. Gimenez, and members of the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners, Hon. Pedro J. Garcia, Property Appraiser for Miami-Dade County and Miami-Dade County Tax Collector.

<u>Section 5. Effective Date</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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The foregoing resolution was offered by Councilmember		who
moved for adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember		and
upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follow	rs:	
Mayor Manny Cid		
Vice Mayor Frank Mingo		
Councilmember Luis Collazo		
Councilmember Tim Daubert		
Councilmember Ceasar Mestre		
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano		
Passed and adopted this day of	, 2018 Manny Cid	
Attest:	Mayor	
Gina M. Inguanzo Town Clerk		
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:		
Raul Gastesi, Jr. Gastesi & Associates, P.A.		

Town Attorney