

## Town of Miami Lakes Memorandum

To: Honorable Mayor Cid & Councilmembers

From: Honorable Vice Mayor Nelson Rodriguez

**Subject:** Resolution in Support of Blasting Moratorium

**Date:** April 2, 2020

## **Recommendation:**

## **Blasting Moratorium**

During these stressful times, I ask that we send an Emergency Resolution asking the County Mayor and the State of Florida Governor to place a Temporary Blasting Moratorium in Miami Dade County.

With Shelter in Place and State of Emergency orders, these blasts are causing major stress on the families in Northwest Dade. The daily blast is interrupting the home learning students are now actively doing.

Our residents are dealing with the stress of loss of employment and trying to create a new schedule as well as a structured learning environment for their children. With construction and road building at an almost complete stoppage, I believe that Lime Rock mining is not an essential service that needs to be open and operating during this State of Emergency.

I motion that the Mayor of Miami Dade County Carlos Giménez and the Governor of the State of Florida Ron DeSantis place a temporary Moratorium on Blasting in Northwest Miami-Dade County.

Fiscal Impact: Funding Source for Implementation: Timeline for Implementation:

Guiding Principles: 1, 2, 3, 4, 14

Objectives: