

RESOLUTION NO. 20-_____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, IN SUPPORT OF A MODIFICATION OF COUNTY EMERGENCY ORDER 07-20, TO INCLUDE THE CESSATION OF ROCK MINE BLASTING; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO THE TOWN CLERK; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE (N. RODRIGUEZ)

WHEREAS, during the Town of Miami Lakes (the “Town”) April 2, 2020 Council Special Call Meeting, the Town Council considered Vice Mayor Rodriguez new business item focused on the cessation of rock mine blasting activity during the duration of Miami-Dade County Emergency Order 07-20; and

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, in response to the highly contagious COVID 19 Virus, Governor DeSantis ordered the closure of schools throughout the State of Florida; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County (the “County”) Emergency Order 07-20, adopted on March 19, 2020, mandates the closure of all non-essential businesses in order to truncate the spread of the highly contagious COVID-19 Virus; and

WHEREAS, subsequently, the County and the Town have each passed a series of social distancing measures, and Safer at Home Orders all aimed at eliminating the COVID-19 threat; and

WHEREAS, the State, County, and Town’s restrictions on work and social interaction have unintentionally caused significant economic and emotional hardships for Town residents; and

WHEREAS, continual rock mine blasting at this time of crisis has exacerbated the economic and emotional stress felt by Town residents; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council urges the County to order the cessation of rock mining during the duration of County Emergency Order 07-20.

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.

Section 2. **Request that Miami-Dade County amend Emergency Order 07-20 to require the cessation of all rock mine blasting activity during the duration of the COVID-19 Emergency.** The Town Council hereby respectfully requests that Miami-Dade County amend its Emergency Order 07-20, and Order the cessation of all rock mining activity during the duration of the Emergency Order.

Section 3. **Instructions to Town Clerk.** The Town Clerk or their designee are authorized and instructed to send a copy of this resolution to all necessary official.

Section 4. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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Passed and adopted this _____ day of _____, 2020.

The foregoing resolution was offered by _____ who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Manny Cid	_____
Vice Mayor Nelson Rodriguez	_____
Councilmember Carlos Alvarez	_____
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	_____
Councilmember Joshua Dieguez	_____
Councilmember Luis Collazo	_____
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	_____

Manny Cid
MAYOR

Attest:

Gina Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Raul Gastesi, Jr.
Gastesi, Lopez and Mestre, PLLC
TOWN ATTORNEY