

MEMORANDUM

Amended
Agenda Item No. 11(A)(24)

TO: Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

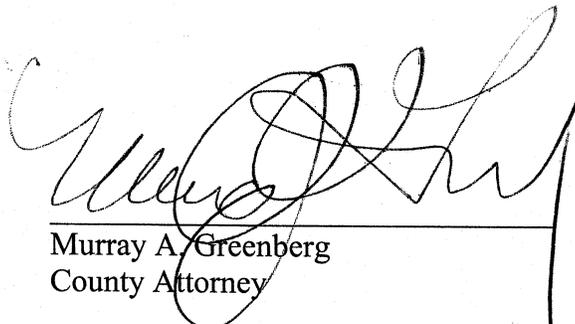
DATE: June 6, 2006

FROM: Murray A. Greenberg
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution directing County
Manager to develop a
comprehensive program to
address illegal dumping

R#748-06

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, Commissioner Carlos A. Gimenez, Chairman Joe A. Martinez, Commissioner Dennis C. Moss, Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle, Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and Senator Javier D. Souto.



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Please note any items checked.

- "4-Day Rule" ("3-Day Rule" for committees) applicable if raised
- 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- Budget required
- Statement of fiscal impact required
- Bid waiver requiring County Manager's written recommendation
- Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- Housekeeping item (no policy decision required)
- No committee review

Approved _____ Mayor

Veto _____

Override _____

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6-6-06

RESOLUTION NO. 748-06

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MANAGER TO DEVELOP A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM TO ADDRESS ILLEGAL DUMPING WHICH SHALL INCLUDE A REWARD PROGRAM FOR INFORMATION LEADING TO THE ARREST OF PERSONS WHO HAVE COMMITTED ILLEGAL DUMPING IN UNINCORPORATED MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, USING 25 CAMERAS ON A ROTATING BASIS TO DETECT AND PUNISH ILLEGAL DUMPERS AT "HOTSPOTS" WITHIN THE COUNTY, AND USING THE "CRIME WATCH" RESOURCES TO HELP REPORT INCIDENTS OF DUMPING; AND TO IDENTIFY THE RESOURCES TO FUND THE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, illegal dumping in unincorporated Miami-Dade County is a problem continually faced by the County; and

WHEREAS, identifying, catching and prosecuting those people who commit the act of illegal dumping is a priority for Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, reward programs for information which result in the arrest and conviction of people involved in illegal dumping will help to reduce the events of illegal dumping; and

WHEREAS, identifying and catching illegal dumping through the use of portable cameras will help reduce this illegal activity; and

WHEREAS, making use of the existing "Crime Watch" program will be beneficial to the efforts to curb illegal dumping,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that the County Manager is hereby directed to develop a comprehensive program and present a plan to this Board which addresses the problem of illegal dumping by providing a reward to people who provide

information which leads to the arrest and conviction of people who have committed the act of illegal dumping in unincorporated Miami-Dade County; which determines the feasibility of using 25 cameras on a rotating basis at the various "hot spots" within the County; and which makes use of the existing "Crime Watch" program to identify and prosecute people involved in illegal dumping. The Manager shall identify revenue sources to fund this program and report back to this Board within 45 days. This program, if implemented, should be advertised throughout the County to notify the area residents of the availability of a reward for such information.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, Commissioner Carlos A. Gimenez, Chairman Joe A. Martinez, Commissioner Dennis C. Moss, Commissioner Dorrin D. Rolle, Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and Senator Javier D. Souto and offered by Commissioner _____, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	
Dennis C. Moss, Vice-Chairman	
Bruno A. Barreiro	Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Audrey M. Edmonson	Carlos A. Gimenez
Sally A. Heyman	Barbara J. Jordan
Dorrin D. Rolle	Natacha Seijas
Katy Sorenson	Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto	

The Chairman thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 6th day of June, 2006. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

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Thomas H. Robertson