MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(20)

TO: Honorable Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: May 8, 2007

FROM: Murray A. Greenberg County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution directing the Clerk of the Board to implement a system for processing lobbyist registrations, reports and payments on-line

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Commissioner Rebeca Sosa.

Murray A. Greenberg
County Attorney

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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**

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Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

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05-08-07

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE CLERK OF THE BOARD TO TAKE THE NECESSARY STEPS TO IMPLEMENT A SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING LOBBYIST REGISTRATIONS, REPORTS AND PAYMENTS ON-LINE

WHEREAS, the current system for registering lobbyists, filing mandatory reports and paying fees requires each lobbyist to physically appear at the Office of the Clerk of the Board and execute the required documents; and

WHEREAS, technological advances including the internet have greatly increased the efficiency with which services are provided by government; and

WHEREAS, the Board finds it to be in the best interest of the County to implement an on-line system for processing lobbyist registrations, payments and reports; and

WHEREAS, the Board further finds that the addition of kiosks, with online capabilities, at various locations in Miami-Dade County, such as the Public Health Trust, will facilitate, among other things, the efficient registration of lobbyists and the payment of fees,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that the Clerk of the Board is directed to take the necessary steps to implement a system for processing lobbyist registrations, reports and payments on-line. The system implemented by the Clerk may include on-line kiosks at various locations in Miami-Dade County including, but not limited to, the Public Health Trust where lobbyists may register, pay the required fees and file reports.

The foregoing resolution was sponsored by Commissioner Rebeca Sosa 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:

Bruno A. Barreiro, Chairman
Barbara J. Jordan, Vice-Chairwoman

Jose "Pepe" Diaz	Audrey M. Edmonson
Carlos A. Gimenez	Sally A. Heyman
Joe A. Martinez	Dennis C. Moss
Dorrin D. Rolle	Natacha Seijas
Katy Sorenson	Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto	

The Chairman thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 8th day of May, 2007. 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. GKS

Gerald K. Sanchez