MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(7)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

January 21, 2015

FROM:

R. A. Cuevas, Jr.

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution approving

allocation of \$4.5 million from Building Better Communities General Obligation Bond Program Project Number 326 -

"Acquire or Construct Multi-Purpose Facilities" to fund development of Richmond Heights Shopping Center by

Miami-Dade County

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Dennis C. Moss.

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Plea	se note any items checked.
	"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
	Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Mayor's report for public hearing
	No committee review
	Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's, 3/5's, unanimous) to approve
<u> </u>	Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved	<u> Mayor</u>	Agenda Item No.	11(A)(7)
Veto		1-21-15	
Override			

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION APPROVING ALLOCATION OF \$4.5 MILLION FROM BUILDING BETTER COMMUNITIES GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND PROGRAM PROJECT NUMBER 326 – "ACQUIRE OR CONSTRUCT MULTI-PURPOSE FACILITIES" TO FUND DEVELOPMENT OF RICHMOND HEIGHTS SHOPPING CENTER BY MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

WHEREAS, Appendix A to Resolution No. R-917-04 lists projects eligible for funding from the Building Better Communities General Obligation Bond Program (the "Bond Program") by project number, municipal project location, Commission district, project name, project description, street address and allocation; and

WHEREAS, one of those projects is Project No. 326 – "Acquire or Construct Multi-Purpose Facilities" in County Commission District 9 with a project description that provides "Acquire or construct multi-purpose facilities for various uses" and an allocation of \$4,500,000.00; and

WHEREAS, the Bond Program also includes Project No. 321 – "Redevelopment – Richmond Heights Shopping Center" located in County Commission District 9 with a project description that provides "Redevelopment of the Richmond Heights Shopping Center into a multi-use facility" and an allocation of \$3,600,000.00; and

WHEREAS, on June 4, 2013, this Board approved, pursuant to Resolution No.

R-458-13, the purchase of two parcels of property located at 14508 Lincoln Boulevard,

Miami, Florida, for the redevelopment of the Richmond Heights neighborhood and the

Richmond Heights Shopping Center; and

WHEREAS, since then, County staff has diligently been working towards the redevelopment of the Richmond Heights Shopping Center into a multi-use facility to include: (a) office space for government agencies and community/non-profit service providers in order to increase the neighborhood's access to services; (b) a historic room and exhibition hall for the use by, and the display of exhibits provided by, the local neighborhood and community; and (c) other multi-purpose space to be rented to for-profit and non-profit entities (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS, Project No. 321 – "Redevelopment – Richmond Heights Shopping Center" has only \$3.6 million allocated to it- \$330,000.00 of which was used to purchase the land, and this amount is not sufficient to complete the planning, design, and complete construction of the Richmond Heights Shopping Center; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to allocate \$4.5 million from Project Number 326 — "Acquire or Construct Multi-Purpose Facilities" in District 9 to fund a portion of the development, design and construction of the Project,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board finds that the Project is a "multi-purpose facility" eligible for funding from Bond Program Project No. 326 and approves the allocation of \$4.5 million from Project Number 326 to fund a portion of the planning, design and Construction of the Project located at 14508 Lincoln Boulevard, Miami, Florida.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Dennis C. Moss. It was 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:

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Jean Monestime, Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Vice Chairman

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The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 21st day of January, 2015. 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

Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

Monica Rizo