

# MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(21)

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**TO:** Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** June 30, 2015

**FROM:** R. A. Cuevas, Jr.  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution waiving by a two-thirds vote of members present the term limit restriction for Miami-Dade County Youth Commission member Gia Castillo; and authorizing reappointment for additional term

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The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Xavier L. Suarez.



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Please 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
- ☐ Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
Veto \_\_\_\_\_  
Override \_\_\_\_\_

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6-30-15

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION WAIVING BY A TWO-THIRDS VOTE OF MEMBERS PRESENT THE TERM LIMIT RESTRICTION FOR MIAMI-DADE COUNTY YOUTH COMMISSION MEMBER GIA CASTILLO; AND AUTHORIZING REAPPOINTMENT FOR ADDITIONAL TERM

**WHEREAS**, on January 21, 2010, the Board of County Commissioners enacted Ordinance No. 10-06, amending Chapter 2, Section 2-11.38.2 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida to permit the waiver of term limits for members of County boards; and

**WHEREAS**, according to Section 2-2062(b) of the Code of Miami-Dade County, each County Commissioner appoints two members of the Miami-Dade County Youth Commission ("Youth Commission"), an advisory board to the County Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, according to Section 2-2062(g) of the Code of Miami-Dade County, no member shall serve more than two years as a member of the Youth Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Section 2-11.38.2 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, the Board of County Commissioners may, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, waive the term limit restriction; and

**WHEREAS**, Gia Castillo, an eleventh grader at Maritime and Science Technology Academy, is serving her second consecutive year as a member of the Youth Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, Gia Castillo is a dedicated member of the Youth Commission and actively participates in the Youth Commission's Advocacy and Legislation Committee; and

**WHEREAS**, Gia Castillo was appointed by the District 7 County Commissioner to serve on the Youth Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the District 7 County Commissioner wishes to re-appoint Gia Castillo to serve a third year on the Youth Commission; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board wishes to waive the applicable term limit and authorize reappointment of Gia Castillo to the Youth Commission for an additional one year term,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**, that this Board, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, waives the term limit applicable to Youth Commission member Gia Castillo to allow for the reappointment of Gia Castillo by the District 7 County Commissioner to an additional one year term as member of the Youth Commission and authorizes such reappointment.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Xavier L. Suarez. 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 |                      |
| Bruno A. Barreiro                   | Daniella Levine Cava |
| Jose "Pepe" Diaz                    | Audrey M. Edmonson   |
| Sally A. Heyman                     | Barbara J. Jordan    |
| Dennis C. Moss                      | Rebeca Sosa          |
| Sen. Javier D. Souto                | Xavier L. Suarez     |
| Juan C. Zapata                      |                      |

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2015. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board, or (2) approval by the County Mayor of this Resolution and the filing of this approval with the Clerk of the 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.



Estephanie S. Resnik