

# MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(20)

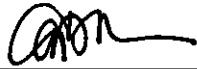

**TO:** Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** July 6, 2016

**FROM:** Abigail Price-Williams  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution directing the Office of Community Advocacy to display patriotic cultural, historic or artistic exhibits, demonstrations or displays representing the theme United We Stand located in or at County owned or operated buildings and facilities in observance of American Independence Month during the month of July beginning in July 2016 and each year thereafter; directing the Office of Community Advocacy to collaborate with the County Mayor to encourage all County departments to participate or contribute to the United We Stand patriotic exhibits, demonstrations or displays

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and Co-Sponsor Commissioner Audrey M. Edmonson.

  
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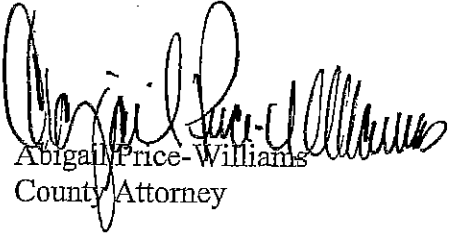
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Please note any items checked.

- "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
- Statement of social equity 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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7-6-16

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

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TO DISPLAY PATRIOTIC CULTURAL, HISTORIC OR ARTISTIC EXHIBITS, DEMONSTRATIONS OR DISPLAYS REPRESENTING THE THEME UNITED WE STAND LOCATED IN OR AT COUNTY OWNED OR OPERATED BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES IN OBSERVANCE OF AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE MONTH DURING THE MONTH OF JULY BEGINNING IN JULY 2016 AND EACH YEAR THEREAFTER; DIRECTING THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY ADVOCACY TO COLLABORATE WITH THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO ENCOURAGE ALL COUNTY DEPARTMENTS TO PARTICIPATE OR CONTRIBUTE TO THE UNITED WE STAND PATRIOTIC EXHIBITS, DEMONSTRATIONS OR DISPLAYS

**WHEREAS**, July 4th as Independence Day honors the birth of the United States of America and the signing of the Declaration of Independence; and

**WHEREAS**, the date commemorates the adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776, by the Continental Congress, setting the 13 colonies on the road to freedom as a sovereign nation; and

**WHEREAS**, this most American of holidays is marked every year by patriotic displays, parades, fireworks and backyard barbecues; and

**WHEREAS**, through passage of Resolution No. 880-09, this Board declared the month of July as American Independence Month; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board recognizes American Independence Month as a time to honor our founders and their legacy of freedom with gratitude and to remember the sacrifices of our men and women in uniform; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board would like to further recognize the freedoms we enjoy as Americans and honor the nation's heritage, history, society and people,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**, that this Board:

**Section 1.** Incorporates and approves the foregoing recitals as if fully set forth herein.

**Section 2.** Directs the Office of Community Advocacy to display patriotic cultural, historic or artistic exhibits, demonstrations or displays representing the theme "United We Stand" located in or at County owned or operated buildings and facilities in observance of American Independence Month during the month of July beginning in July 2016 and each year thereafter.

**Section 3.** Directs the Office of Community Advocacy to collaborate with the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to encourage all County departments to participate or contribute to the "United We Stand" patriotic exhibits, demonstrations or displays.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Rebeca Sosa and the Co-Sponsor is Commissioner Audrey M. Edmonson. 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:

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	

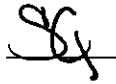
The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2016. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) 10 days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the County Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an 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.



Shanika A. Graves