MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(4)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

April 4, 2017

FROM:

Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution directing the County Mayor to prepare

a feasibility report relating to the establishment of a comprehensive plan to reduce

pedestrian fatalities by incorporating components of Los Angeles' Vision Zero campaign and present said

report to the County Commission pursuant to Ordinance No. 14-65

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson.

County Attorney

APW/smm

TO: Honorable Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr. DATE: April 4, 2017 and Members, Board of County Commissioners SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 11(A)(4) FROM: 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

Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's

Current information regarding funding source, index code and available

balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

No committee review

3/5's __, unanimous ____) to approve

Approved	Mayor	Agenda Item No. 11(A)(4)
Veto		4-4-17
Override		
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RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO PREPARE A FEASIBILITY REPORT RELATING TO THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO REDUCE PEDESTRIAN FATALITIES BY INCORPORATING COMPONENTS OF LOS ANGELES' VISION ZERO CAMPAIGN AND PRESENT SAID REPORT TO THE COUNTY COMMISSION PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE NO. 14-65

WHEREAS, traffic and pedestrian safety is of paramount importance to the residents and visitors of Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, establishing pedestrian-friendly policies promote healthy living and enhanced quality of life; and

WHEREAS, at the June 7, 2016 Board of County Commissioners meeting, the Board approved Resolution No. R-529-16 adopting the Miami-Dade Local Action Plan for Safer People, Safer Streets ("Action Plan"); and

WHEREAS, the goals of the Action Plan include adopting a "Vision Zero" policy with the goal of zero pedestrian and bicycle deaths; and

WHEREAS, Los Angeles, through its initiative entitled Vision Zero, installed, for example, a scramble crosswalk at one of its most dangerous intersections; and

WHEREAS, a scramble crosswalk is an intersection which allows pedestrians to cross in all directions, straight and diagonally, while all drivers wait; and

WHEREAS, prior to the installation of the scramble crosswalk the intersection in question averaged one accident per month, but in the six months after installation there were none; and

WHEREAS, components of Los Angeles' Vision Zero program may be useful in reducing and ultimately eliminating pedestrian deaths in Miami-Dade County,

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

Section 1. Directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to prepare a feasibility report relating to the establishment of a comprehensive plan to reduce pedestrian fatalities by incorporating components of Los Angeles' Vision Zero campaign.

<u>Section 2.</u> Directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to provide the requested feasibility report to the Board within 90 days of the effective date of this resolution, which shall be placed on an agenda of the Board pursuant to Ordinance No. 14-65.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Vice Chairwoman 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:

Esteban L. Bovo, Jr, Chairman Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman

Bruno A. Barreiro
Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Barbara J. Jordan
Jean Monestime
Rebeca Sosa
Xavier L. Suarez

Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman
Daniella Levine Cava
Sally A. Heyman
Joe Martinez
Dennis C. Moss
Sen. Javier D. Souto

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The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 4th day of April, 2017. 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.

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Bruce Libhaber