MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(16)

TO:

Honorable Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

July 6, 2017

FROM:

Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

SUBJECT:

Resolution directing the County Mayor to study the feasibility of accepting the donation from Fontainbleau Lakes, LLC of certain land in Fontainebleau East that was once part of the Fontainebleau Golf Course for a park; directing County Mayor to undertake due diligence on the land, to identify and study mechanisms available to the County to fund the ongoing maintenance of such land as park, and to report back to this Board within 60 days on the results thereof and recommendations on how to proceed

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Senator Javier D. Souto.

Abigail Price-Will

County Attorney

APW/smm



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| P | lease note any items checked. | | |
| | "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if | raised | |
| | 6 weeks required between first reading and | d public hearing | |
| | 4 weeks notification to municipal officials in hearing | required prior to public | |
| | 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 3/5's, unanimous) to approve | majority vote (i.e., 2/3's, | |
| | Current information regarding funding sou balance, and available capacity (if debt is co | rce, index code and available ontemplated) required | |

| Approved | <u>Mayor</u> | Agenda Item No. 11(A)(16) |
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| Veto | | 7-6-17 |
| Override | | |
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RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ACCEPTING THE DONATION FROM FONTAINBLEAU LAKES, LLC OF CERTAIN LAND IN FONTAINEBLEAU EAST THAT WAS ONCE PART OF THE FONTAINEBLEAU GOLF COURSE FOR A PARK; DIRECTING COUNTY MAYOR OR MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO UNDERTAKE DUE DILIGENCE ON THE LAND, TO IDENTIFY AND STUDY MECHANISMS AVAILABLE TO THE COUNTY TO FUND THE ONGOING MAINTENANCE OF SUCH LAND AS PARK, AND TO REPORT BACK TO THIS BOARD WITHIN 60 DAYS ON THE RESULTS THEREOF AND RECOMMENDATIONS ON HOW TO PROCEED

WHEREAS, a principal and the registered agent of Fontainbleau Lakes, LLC ("Owner"), Mr. Masoud Shojaee, approached Miami-Dade County with an offer to donate to the County certain land owned by the Owner for use and maintenance by the County as a public park; and

WHEREAS, the land that the Owner is offering to donate to the County for a park was once part of the Fontainebleau Golf Course, is located in Fontainebleau East, and consists of the land identified in Folio numbers 30-4004-084-0540, 30-4004-084-0550, and 30-4004-084-0560 ("Park Land") and in the shaded areas in the surveys attached to this resolution as Exhibit "A"; and

WHEREAS, it would be in the best interest of the residents surrounding the Park Land if Miami-Dade County were to own, manage and maintain the Park Land as a public park for the use, benefit and enjoyment of the public; and

WHEREAS, the County would need to establish and create either a special taxing district, a community development district, or some other mechanism in order to pay for the maintenance and operations of the Park Land if the County were to accept the donation of such land; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to have the County Mayor or Mayor's designee study the feasibility of the County accepting the donation of the Park Land from the Owner, at no cost to the County; and

WHEREAS, as part of the feasibility study, this Board desires to have the County Mayor or Mayor's designee undertake due diligence on the land, including researching the title to determine if there are any liens or encumbrances associated with the Park Land and an environmental assessment to determine whether there is any contamination on the Park Land, and to identify and study the mechanisms available to fund the ongoing maintenance of the Park Land; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to have the County Mayor or Mayor's designee submit a written report back to this Board within 60 days of this resolution on the results of such feasibility study and the County Mayor or Mayor's designee's recommendations as to how best to proceed with this acquisition,

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

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated in this resolution and are approved.

Section 2. This Board directs the County Mayor or Mayor's designee to study the feasibility of the County accepting the donation of the Park Land from the Owner, at no cost to the County, for use as a public park.

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<u>Section 3.</u> This Board directs the County Mayor or Mayor's designee to, as part of the feasibility study, undertake due diligence on the Park Land, including researching the title to determine if there are any liens or encumbrances associated with the Park Land and an environmental assessment to determine whether there is any contamination on the Park Land, and to identify and study the mechanisms available to fund the ongoing maintenance of the Park Land.

Section 4. This Board directs the County Mayor or Mayor's designee to report back to this Board, in writing, within 60 days of this resolution on the results of such feasibility study and the County Mayor or Mayor's designee's recommendations as to how best to proceed with this acquisition. Pursuant to Ordinance No. 14-65, the completed report shall be placed on an agenda of the Board.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Senator Javier D. Souto. 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
Sally A. Heyman
Joe A. Martinez
Dennis C. Moss
Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto

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The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 6th day of July, 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

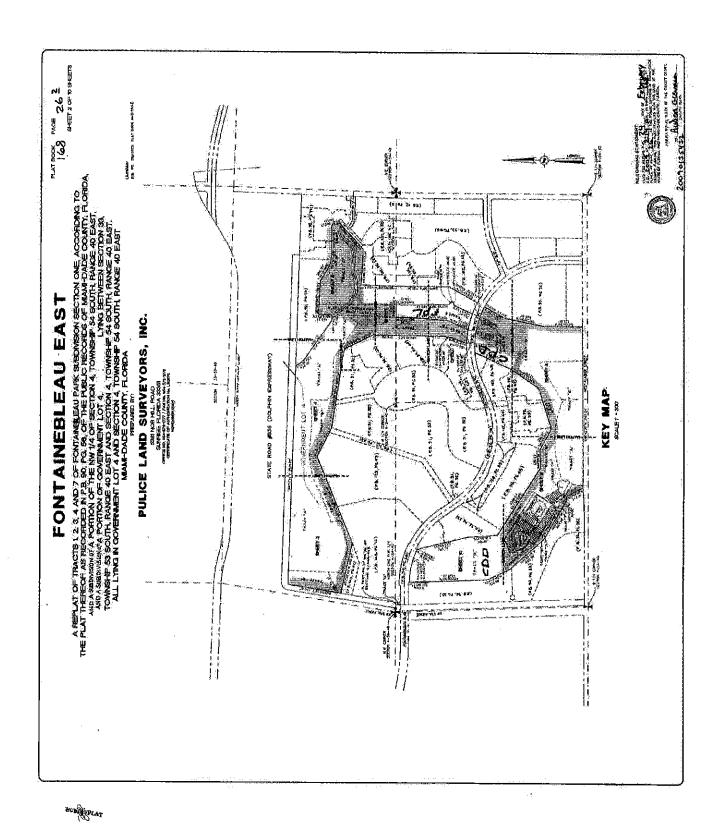
By:______ Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

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Monica Rizo Perez





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