

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(2)

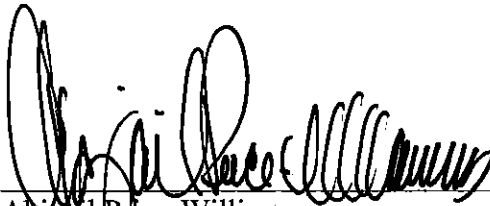
TO: Honorable Chairman Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: November 8, 2018

FROM: Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution proclaiming Miami-
Dade County as a Purple Heart
County

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz.



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County Attorney

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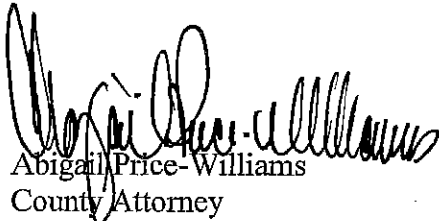


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Please note any items checked.

- "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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11-8-18

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AS A
PURPLE HEART COUNTY

WHEREAS, the military decoration now known as the “Purple Heart” was established by General George Washington in 1782 as the “Badge of Military Merit,” and is the nation’s oldest military award and one of its most commonly recognized; and

WHEREAS, the Purple Heart is awarded to members of the U.S. Armed Forces who have been wounded or killed while engaged in combat with the enemy or during foreign peacekeeping missions; and

WHEREAS, according to the United States Census Bureau, Miami-Dade County is home to over 50,000 veterans; and

WHEREAS, among Miami-Dade County’s population of veterans are many living recipients of the Purple Heart in addition to the survivors of the hundreds of veterans from Miami-Dade County who have given their lives in the service of the United States in many armed conflicts; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to recognize the service and sacrifice of recipients of the Purple Heart by declaring Miami-Dade County a “Purple Heart County,”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board proclaims Miami-Dade County as a Purple Heart County.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz. 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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| Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Chairman | |
| Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman | |
| Daniella Levine Cava | Jose "Pepe" Diaz |
| Sally A. Heyman | Eileen Higgins |
| Barbara J. Jordan | Joe A. Martinez |
| Jean Monestime | Dennis C. Moss |
| Rebeca Sosa | Sen. Javier D. Souto |
| Xavier L. Suarez | |

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 8th day of November, 2018. 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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Miguel A. Gonzalez