# **MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 8(N)(4)

**TO:** Honorable Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE:

May 5, 2020

FROM: Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** 

Resolution approving a contract in the amount of \$160,000.00 for sale and purchase between Reliable Property Management, LLC, as Seller and Miami-Dade County, as Buyer, of an approximately 15,000 square foot property; improved with a residence located on the SW corner of NW 2nd Street and NW 2nd Avenue in Florida City. known as Parcel 111 for parking lot expansion and improvements to the existing end-of-the-line transit terminal/park and ride facility at SW 344th Street; declaring such acquisition to be a public necessity; and authorizing the County Mayor to execute the contract, exercise all rights conferred therein, take all other actions necessary to effectuate said purchase, expend any funds received for qualifying relocation expenses, and to accept conveyance of property by Warranty Deed

The accompanying resolution was prepared by the Transportation and Public Works Department and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Dennis C. Moss.

Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

APW/smm

# Memorandum



Date:

May 5, 2020

To:

Honorable Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From:

Carlos A. Gimenez

Mayor

Subject:

Resolution Authorizing the Acquisition of Designated Property Known as Parcel 111 in Connection with the Project Entitled Parking Lot Expansion and

Improvements to Existing End-of-the-Line Transit Terminal/Park-and-Ride

Facility at SW 344th Street

#### Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners (Board) approve the attached resolution that authorizes the execution of a Contract for Sale and Purchase (Contract) between Miami-Dade County (Buyer) and Reliable Property Management, LLC (Seller) for \$160,000.00 (Attachment "B" to the Resolution). If approved, the resolution: (i) authorizes the acquisition of property (Folio No. 16-7824-007-1180), including an approximately 15,000 square foot residential lot and home at the SW corner of NW 2nd Street and NW 2nd Avenue, Florida City (Property); (ii) authorizes the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to execute the Contract and exercise all rights set forth therein; and (iii) authorizes the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to expend federal funds, if applicable, for any qualifying residential relocation.

### Scope

The impact of this project is Countywide; however, it is located within Commission District 9, represented by Commissioner Dennis C. Moss and is located within the municipality of Florida City.

#### Fiscal Impact/Funding Source

This resolution approves the acquisition of property as part of a larger project to expand an existing park and ride facility and terminal. The land acquisition will cost \$160,000.00 and the cost of the total project is estimated at \$1,366,507.00. Funding for this project has been awarded through an FTA grant. Funding is programmed within the FY 2019-20 Adopted and Multi-Year Capital Plan, Vol.2. Transportation and Public Works and falls within Project No. 671610/Site No. 75317. The existing bus terminal maintenance and operational cost are \$125,000.00 and once the new facilities are built, annual maintenance and operational costs are estimated to increase to a total of \$170,000.00.

#### Track Record/Monitor

Francisco Fernandez, Chief Real Estate Officer, Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTPW), Roadway Engineering and Right-of-Way Division, will be responsible for implementation of this item.

#### **Delegated Authority**

The County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee is authorized to execute the attached Contract for Sale and Purchase and to exercise and all other rights conferred therein, take all actions to

Honorable Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson and Members, Board of County Commissioners Page No. 2

effectuate the purchase, expend funds for any qualifying relocation expenses and accept conveyance of the property by warranty deed.

#### **Background**

DTPW has programmed a project consisting of a parking lot expansion (adding 77 new spaces) and improvements to the existing end-of-the-line transit terminal/park-and-ride and kiss-and-ride facility at SW 344th Street and construction of restroom facilities. The area to be acquired by DTPW for the project improvements is legally described in Attachment "A" to the Resolution. If the current occupant is deemed eligible, in accordance with Federal guidelines and the terms of the federal grant, the occupant will be provided relocation benefits. Another item on this Agenda (Legistar #200310) is also needed for this project.

Jennifer Moon Deputy Mayor



# **MEMORANDUM**

(Revised)

	donorable Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson and Members, Board of County Commissioners	<b>DATE</b> : May 5, 2020
FROM:	figail Price-Williams ounty Attorney	SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 8(N)(4)
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	"3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if	f raised
·	6 weeks required between first reading an	d public hearing
	4 weeks notification to municipal officials hearing	required prior to public
-	Decreases revenues or increases expenditu	res without balancing budget
:	Budget required	
:	Statement of fiscal impact required	
	Statement of social equity required	
-	Ordinance creating a new board requires report for public hearing	detailed County Mayor's
-	No committee review	
2	Applicable legislation requires more than present, 2/3 membership, 3/5's 7 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4) requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) requirement per 2-116.1(4)(c)(2)) to a	, unanimous, CDMP )(c), CDMP 2/3 vote , or CDMP 9 vote
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Veto			5-5-20
Override			

RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION APPROVING A CONTRACT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$160,000.00 FOR SALE AND PURCHASE BETWEEN RELIABLE PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, LLC, AS SELLER AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY. AS BUYER, OF AN APPROXIMATELY 15,000 SQUARE FOOT PROPERTY; IMPROVED WITH A RESIDENCE LOCATED ON THE SW CORNER OF NW 2ND STREET AND NW 2ND AVENUE IN FLORIDA CITY, KNOWN AS PARCEL 111 FOR PARKING LOT EXPANSION AND IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EXISTING END-OF-THE-LINE TRANSIT TERMINAL/PARK AND RIDE FACILITY AT SW 344TH STREET; DECLARING SUCH ACQUISITION TO BE A PUBLIC NECESSITY; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR THE COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT, EXERCISE ALL RIGHTS CONFERRED THEREIN, TAKE ALL OTHER ACTIONS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE SAID PURCHASE, EXPEND ANY FUNDS RECEIVED FOR QUALIFYING RELOCATION EXPENSES, AND TO ACCEPT CONVEYANCE OF PROPERTY BY WARRANTY DEED

WHEREAS, this Board desires to accomplish the purposes outlined in the accompanying memorandum, a copy of which is incorporated herein by reference,

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

Section 1. This Board ratifies and adopts the matters set forth in the foregoing recital.

Section 2. This Board approves the Contract for Sale and Purchase, in the amount of \$160,000.00, between Reliable Property Management, LLC, as Seller, and the County, as Buyer, of an approximately 15,000 square foot improved property including a residence, located at SW corner of NW 2nd Street and NW 2nd Avenue in Florida City in substantially the form attached

as Attachment "B" and made part hereof, to be utilized in connection with the project consisting of a parking lot expansion and improvements to an existing end-of-the-line transit terminal/park-and-ride facility located at SW 344th Street. This Board further authorizes the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to execute same for and on behalf of Miami-Dade County, to exercise all rights conferred therein, to take all other actions necessary to effectuate said purchase, to accept conveyance of said property by Warranty Deed, and to expend any federal funds received for eligible relocation of the residence to the extent applicable.

Section 3. Pursuant to Resolution No. R-974-09, this Board directs the County Mayor or the County Mayor's designee to record the instrument of conveyance accepted herein in the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida; and (a) provide a recorded copy of the instrument to the Clerk of the Board within thirty (30) days of execution of said instrument; and (b) direct the Clerk of the Board to attach and permanently store a recorded copy of said instruments together with this resolution.

The foregoing resolution 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:

Audrey M. Edmonson, Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa, Vice Chairwoman

Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

Jose "Pepe" Diaz

Eileen Higgins

Joe A. Martinez

Dennis C. Moss

Xavier L. Suarez

Daniella Levine Cava
Sally A. Heyman
Barbara J. Jordan
Jean Monestime
Sen. Javier D. Souto



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The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020. 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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Debra Herman

#### ATTACHMENT "A"

Miami-Dade County
Public Works R/W Division

Legal Description (Fee Simple)

#### Parcel 111

All of Lots 4 and 5 in Block 19, of MAP OF DETROIT, FLORIDA, commonly known as TOWN OF FLORIDA CITY, according to the plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 2, at Page 74, of the Public Records of Miami-Dade County, Florida.

EXHIBIT "A" (1 of 1)

#### ATTACHMENT B

#### **CONTRACT FOR SALE AND PURCHASE**

Project Name: Parking Lot Expansion and Improvements to existing end-of-the-line transit terminal/park-and-ride facility at SW 344th Street

Project No. 20100622

Parcel # 111, Folio #: 16-7824-007-1170

This **Contract for Sale and Purchase** is entered into as of the <u>13</u> day of <u>Neverther</u> 2019, by and between **MIAMI-DADE COUNTY**, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereinafter referred to as "Buyer" and **Reliable Property Management**, **LLC**, 7342 NE 11 St., Okeechobee, FL 34974-8127, hereinafter referred to as "Seller".

**WITNESSETH**, that for and in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the Buyer and Seller agree as follows:

- 1. REALTY. Seller agrees to sell to Buyer that certain real property for Parking Lot Expansion and Improvements to existing end-of-the-line transit terminal/park-and-ride facility at SW 344<sup>th</sup> Street comprising approximately 15,000 square feet of real property and more specifically described in **Exhibit A**, and shown **Exhibit B**; together with all tenements, hereditaments, privileges, servitudes, rights-of-reverter, and other rights appurtenant to real property, if any, and all buildings, fixtures, and other improvements thereon, if any, all fill and top soil thereon, if any, all oil, gas and mineral rights possessed by Seller, if any, and all right, title and interest of Seller in and to any and all streets, roads, highways, easements, drainage rights, or rights-of-way, appurtenant to the real property, if any, and all right, title and interest of Seller in and to any and all covenants, restrictions, agreements and riparian rights benefiting the real property, if any. (All of the foregoing being referred to as the "Property").
- 2. PURCHASE PRICE. Buyer agrees to pay a purchase price of \$160,000.00 (One Hundred Sixty Thousand and 00/100 Dollars), exclusive of all previously dedicated rights of way, if any. The said price will be paid at closing by Miami-Dade County check for the Property referenced in Exhibit A and Exhibit B" herein. This contract is for the real estate to be acquired in fee simple and will be subject to Miami Dade Board of County Commission (BCC) approval.
- 3. INTEREST CONVEYED. Seller is the recorded owner of the fee simple title to the subject Property, and agrees to convey good, marketable and insurable title, which is unencumbered and free of any liens, mortgages, leases, or any other encumbrance, by Warranty Deed.
- 4. AD VALOREM TAXES. Buyer, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, is exempt from payment of ad valorem taxes. Therefore, it shall be Seller's responsibility to comply with Section 196.295, Florida Statutes by placing the appropriate amount of pro rata taxes to the day of closing and any delinquent taxes, if any, in escrow with the Dade County Tax Collector.
- 5. TITLE INSURANCE. Buyer shall, at Buyer's own cost and expense and within fifteen (15) business days of the effective date of this Contract, obtain a marketable title insurance commitment and Buyer shall at Buyer's expense obtain an owner's marketable title insurance policy (ALTA Form "B") from a title insurance company licensed by the State of Florida in the amount of the purchase price. Said policy shall show a good, marketable and insurable title to the Property in the Seller's name. In addition, the policy shall insure title to the Property for the

period between closing and recording of the warranty deed. In connection herewith, Seller agrees to provide and pay the cost of recording of all affidavits and other documents as required by the title insurer. Buyer shall have ten (10) business days from receipt of title documents to inspect said title documents and report defects, if any, in writing to the Seller. If the title search shows title to the Property to be unmarketable and uninsurable as provided herein, the Seller shall have sixty (60) days from receipt of written notice from Buyer to cure the designated defects, including the institution of necessary lawsuits. The Seller hereby agrees to use reasonable diligence to cure said defects including the institution of necessary lawsuits. If Seller is unable, after reasonable diligence, to make the title good, marketable and insurable and acceptable to Buyer, then this Contract shall be rendered null and void and both Buyer and Seller shall be released of all obligations hereunder, except that Buyer may waive any defects and proceed with closing at Buyer's option. Seller shall pay all reasonable recording fees for corrective instruments required hereunder. Should the estimated cost to cure said title defect exceed a sum which is equal to 2% of the purchase price as stated in paragraph 2, Seller may elect to terminate this contract and neither party shall have any further obligations under this Contract.

- 6. PROPERTY INSPECTION: Seller shall grant reasonable access to the Property to Buyer, its agents, contractors and assigns for the purpose of conducting the inspections described below; provided, however, that all such persons enter the Property and conduct the inspections at their own risk.
  - Hazardous Materials: Buyer shall, at its own cost and expense, and at least 30 days prior to the date of closing, obtain a Letter of Current Enforcement Status of the Property by the Dade County Department of Environmental Resources Management (DERM) and conduct any tests required or recommended by DERM to determine the existence and extent, if any, of hazardous materials or toxic substances and hazardous waste on the Property in violation of any laws, ordinances, rules or restrictions of any governmental authority having jurisdiction. The term "Hazardous Materials" shall mean any hazardous or toxic substance, material or waste; it shall also include solid waste or debris of any kind. If the Letter of Current Enforcement Status or subsequent testing confirms the presence of hazardous materials or toxic substances and hazardous waste on the Property, Buyer may elect to terminate this Contract and both Buyer and Sellers shall be released from all further obligations hereunder. Should Buyer elect to proceed with closing, Seller shall, at Seller's sole cost and expense and prior to closing, promptly and diligently commence and complete any and all assessments, clean ups and monitoring of the Property necessary to obtain full compliance with any and all applicable federal, state and local laws, ordinances, rules and regulations and any other applicable governmental restrictions. However, should the estimated cost of clean up of hazardous materials exceed a sum which is equal to 2 % of the purchase price as stated in paragraph 2., Sellers may elect to terminate this contract and neither party shall have any further obligations under this Contract.

#### 7. TENANCIES.

A. Seller further warrants and represents that no person is living on or occupying the Property, that there are no leases or other agreements and understandings affecting possession, use or occupancy of the Property.

B. The following name(s) address(es) and telephone number(s) are the lessee(s) of the

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Property known to the Seller(s), and Seller(s) agree to provide Buyer with copies of all lease

- 8. LIENS. Certified municipal and county liens, if any, shall be paid in full at or before closing by the Seller. If a pending lien has been filed against the subject Property which has not been certified as of the date of closing, and the work and improvements for which the lien was filed have been completed prior to the closing, despite the fact that the pending lien has not been certified, the Seller shall pay such lien.
- 9. CLOSING. The closing of this transaction shall be completed within 180 days of the execution of this contract unless otherwise extended, as mutually agreed upon by both Buyer and Seller or as otherwise provided herein. The precise date, time and place of closing shall be set by Buyer.
- 10. TIME. Buyer and Seller mutually agree to fully and timely execute such papers as deemed necessary by Buyer's and Seller' attorneys to complete the conveyance in accordance with the terms of this contract. Time is of the essence of this Contract. All obligations are subject to Acts of God or Nature or any other occurrence, which is beyond the control of Seller or Buyer.
- 12. BROKERS. Any and all real estate fees or commissions claimed due pursuant to this transaction to any real estate broker or agent shall be paid by the Seller. Seller shall hold Buyer harmless from and against any and all claims, liability, cost, expense, damages, judgments and causes of action, including reasonable attorney's fees, based on real estate commissions claimed due pursuant to this transaction to any real estate broker or real estate agent.
- 13. EXPENSES. Seller shall be responsible for recording fees on the Warranty Deed. Seller shall be responsible for the payment of Florida Documentary Stamp Taxes and Miami-Dade County Surtax on the Warranty Deed.
- 14. LOSS. All risk of loss to the Property shall be borne by Seller until transfer of title.
- 15. ACCESS. Seller warrants and represents that there is legal ingress and egress to the Property.
- 16. POSSESSION. Seller shall deliver possession of the Property and keys to all locks, if any, to the Buyer at closing.
- 17. DEFAULT. If Seller defaults under this Contract, Buyer may waive the default and proceed with closing or seek specific performance. If Buyer defaults under this Contract, Seller may waive the default and proceed with closing, or seek specific performance.
- 18. LITIGATION. In the event of any litigation arising out of this Contract, each party shall bear its own attorney's fees and costs, including appellate proceedings.

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- 19. DISCLOSURE. Seller warrants that there are no facts known to Seller, which materially affect the value of the Property which has not been disclosed by Seller to Buyer or which are not readily observable to Buyer.
- 20. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST. This Contract shall be binding on the heirs, successors and assigns of the respective parties hereto.
- 21. RIGHT TO ENTER PROPERTY. Seller agrees that Buyer and its agents shall, upon reasonable notice, have the right to enter the Property for all lawful purposes in connection with this transaction provided the Buyer shall indemnify and hold Seller harmless for damage or injury caused by Buyer and its agents within and to the extent of all limitations of Section 768.28, Florida Statutes.
- 22. RECORDING. This Contract or notice thereof may be recorded by Buyer in the minutes of the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Miami-Dade County, Florida, but shall not be recorded in the official public records of the Clerk of the Court of Miami-Dade County, Florida.
- 23. ASSIGNMENT. Neither this Contract nor any interest therein shall be assigned by Buyer or Seller without the express written consent of each other, which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- 24. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Contract contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto as it pertains to the subject matter contained herein and shall supersede and take precedence over any and all prior and contemporaneous agreements and understandings between the parties hereto.
- 25. EFFECTIVENESS. The effectiveness of this Contract is contingent upon a public hearing approval pursuant to Section 33-303 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, if required, approval by Federal Transit Agency, if required, and the Effective Date hereof shall be the date of approval hereof by the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners ("Board"), no motion to reconsider such approval is made at the next regularly scheduled meeting of said Board. If a motion to reconsider approval hereof is made within such time, then the Effective Date hereof shall be the date of the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board, at which next regularly scheduled meeting, provided a motion to reconsider has been filed, the Board shall reconsider its prior approval hereof; provided further, however, that such initial Board approval or subsequent reconsideration and approval ratification shall not be effective until the earlier of: a) the date the Mayor of Miami-Dade County indicates approval of such County Commission action; or b) the lapse of ten (10) days without the Mayor's veto (the "Effective Date"). In the event that the Mayor vetoes the Board's approval, the Board approval shall not be effective in the absence of an override of the Mayor's veto, which shall be at the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board after the veto occurs, in which case such override date shall be the Effective Date. The actions of the Commission and the Mayor in connection with the award or rejection of any contract rest within their sole discretion. The date of such approval of the Contract by Buyer as set forth above, along with the execution by the Miami-Dade County Manager and attested by the Clerk of the Board, is the Effective Date of this Contract. Buyer agrees to promptly deliver the Buyer executed Contract within ten (10) days of the Effective Date.

## 26. NOTICE. All communications regarding this transaction shall be directed to:

as to Buyer: Raul O. Ballina, Real Estate Officer

Miami-Dade County

Department of Transportation and

**Public Works** 

111 N.W. 1 Street, Ste 1610

Miami, FL 33128

as to Seller: Patricia Bloom, as Manager of,

Reliable Property Management, LLC

7342 NE 11 ST.

Okeechobee, FL 34974

# IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Buyer and Sellers have duly executed this Contract as of the day and year above written.

	BUYER:
ATTEST:	MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
By:Clerk	By: County Mayor or County Mayor's Designee
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency.	
Assistant County Attorney	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
The foregoing was accepted a Resolution No	and approved on theday of, 2019, by of the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County,

(Seller's signature on following page)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantor(s) have hereunto set their hand and seal the day and year first above written.

Reliable Property Management, LLC Witness Printed Name Patricia Bloom, Its Manager Witness Printed Name STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF OLecchobee I HEREBY CERTIFY, that on this 3 day of Walenber, 2019, before me, an officer duly authorized to administer oaths and take acknowledgments, personally appeared Patricia Bloom, Manager of Reliable Property Management, LLC, a Florida Limited Liability Company, LLC personally known to me, or proven by producing the following identification: to be the person(s) who executed the foregoing instrument freely and voluntarily for the purposes therein expressed. WITNESS my hand and official seal in the County and State aforesaid, the day and year last aforesaid. Notary Signature **NOTARY SEAL/STAMP** Print Name: \_ Jennifer Smith Notary Public, State of **NOTARY PUBLIC** My commission expires: STATE OF FLORIDA Commission/Serial No.

Comm# GG093721 Expires 6/11/2020 Miami-Dade County Public Works R/W Division

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**EXHIBIT "A"** 

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