

MEMORANDUM

Amended
Agenda Item No. 11(A)(27)

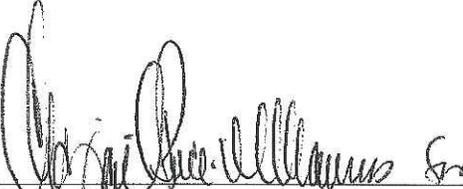
TO: Honorable Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: December 18, 2012

FROM: R. A. Cuevas, Jr.
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution condemning the
horrific attack at the Sandy Hook
Elementary School in Newtown,
Connecticut and expressing
sympathy and support for all
those affected by this tragedy
Resolution No. R-1062-12

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Dennis C. Moss and Co-Sponsors Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson, Commissioner Bruno A. Barreiro, Commissioner Lynda Bell, Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz, Commissioner Sally A. Heyman, Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, Commissioner Jean Monestime, Commissioner Rebeca Sosa, Senator Javier D. Souto, Commissioner Xavier L. Suarez and Commissioner Juan C. Zapata.


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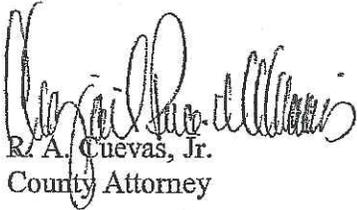
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Please note any items checked.

- "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
- 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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RESOLUTION NO. R-1062-12

RESOLUTION CONDEMNING THE HORRIFIC ATTACK AT THE SANDY HOOK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN NEWTOWN, CONNECTICUT AND EXPRESSING SYMPATHY AND SUPPORT FOR ALL THOSE AFFECTED BY THIS TRAGEDY

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2012, a mass shooting took place at the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut; and

WHEREAS, the people of Miami-Dade County wish to extend their sympathy to the Newtown community in this unimaginable tragedy and mourn the loss of 26 innocent lives, including 20 elementary school-age children; and

WHEREAS, the people of Miami-Dade County also would like to acknowledge the quick action of teachers, the school's principal, law enforcement officials and other first responders whose heroic efforts prevented the loss of additional life, in some cases giving up their own lives to save the lives of young children; and

WHEREAS, the people of Miami-Dade County will always remember the victims of this mass shootings and stand in solidarity with the surviving students, parents, teachers and families, as well as the entire Newtown community,

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

Section 1. Condemns the senseless attack at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut, on Friday, December 14, 2012.

Section 2. Offers condolences to all of the students, parents, teachers, administrators and faculty of Sandy Hook Elementary School, as well as their families, and recognizes that the healing process will be long and difficult for the entire Newtown community.

Section 3. Honors the selfless, dedicated service of:

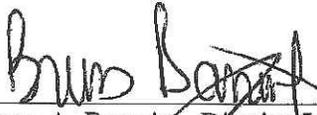
- (A) the teachers, principal and school support staff at Sandy Hook Elementary School in Newtown, Connecticut, some of whom sacrificed their own lives to save the lives of innocent young children; and
- (B) the emergency response teams and law enforcement officials who responded to the attack and who saved the lives of some of these young children based on their quick action; and

Section 4. Remains committed to working together to help prevent tragedies of this kind from ever happening again.

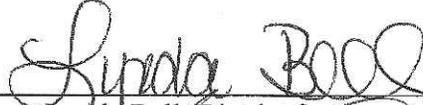
The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Dennis C. Moss, and the Co-Sponsors are Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson, Commissioner Bruno A. Barreiro, Commissioner Lynda Bell, Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., Commissioner Jose "Pepe" Diaz, Commissioner Sally A. Heyman, Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, Commissioner Jean Monestime, Commissioner Rebeca Sosa, Sen. Javier D. Souto, Commissioner Xavier L. Suarez and Commissioner Juan C. Zapata. It was offered by Commissioner **Dennis C. Moss**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Sally A. Heyman** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:



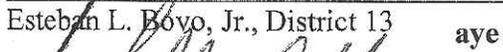
Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman aye



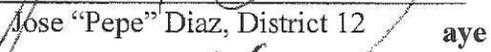
Bruno A. Barreiro, District 5 absent



Lynda Bell, District 8 aye



Esteban L. Bovo, Jr., District 13 aye



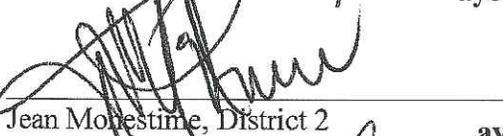
Jose "Pepe" Diaz, District 12 aye



Sally A. Heyman, District 4 aye



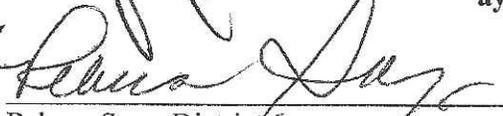
Barbara J. Jordan, District 1 aye



Jean Monestime, District 2 aye



Dennis C. Moss, District 9 aye



Rebeca Sosa, District 6 aye



Javier D. Souto, District 10 aye



Xavier L. Suarez, District 7 absent



Juan C. Zapata, District 11 aye



Carlos A. Gimenez, Mayor

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 18th day of December, 2012. This resolution shall become effective upon the earlier of (1) ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the 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

Christopher Agrippa

By: _____
Deputy Clerk



Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

Jmm/APW

Jess M. McCarty
Cynthia Johnson-Stacks