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MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(5)

TO: Honorable Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: June 3, 2014

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

SUBJECT: Resolution directing the Mayor to prepare a report within sixty days regarding necessary steps to increase the effectiveness of the County's inspection process regarding passenger motor vehicles
Resolution No. R-534-14

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Sally A. Heyman.

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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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6-3-14

RESOLUTION NO. R-534-14

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE MAYOR OR DESIGNEE TO PREPARE A REPORT WITHIN SIXTY DAYS REGARDING NECESSARY STEPS TO INCREASE THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE COUNTY'S INSPECTION PROCESS REGARDING PASSENGER MOTOR VEHICLES

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 31 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida (the "Code"), the County regulates for-hire vehicles including, but not limited to, passenger motor vehicles; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 31, Article III, of the Code requires that passenger motor vehicles, such a jitneys, comply with numerous vehicle standards relating to, among other things, the appearance of the vehicle; and

WHEREAS, to ensure that the standards are complied with, the Code requires periodic inspections of all passenger motor vehicles; and

WHEREAS, the County has one for-hire inspection station located at 2615 NW 10th Avenue in Miami; and

WHEREAS, this inspection station has seven (7) employees including five (5) vehicle inspectors; and

WHEREAS, a substantial number of complaints have been received regarding the condition of vehicles which have been inspected by the County; and

WHEREAS, the Commission believes that it is in the best interest of the County for the administration to evaluate ways in which to improve the effectiveness of the inspection process for passenger motor vehicles,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that the Mayor or designee is directed to evaluate ways in which to improve the effectiveness of the inspection process for passenger motor vehicles. The Mayor or designee shall prepare and submit to the Board a report within sixty (6o) days of the adoption of this resolution.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Sally A. Heyman. It was offered by Commissioner **Lynda Bell**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **José "Pepe" Diaz** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Rebeca Sosa, Chairwoman			**aye**
Lynda Bell, Vice Chair			**aye**
Bruno A. Barreiro	**absent**	Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	**aye**
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	**aye**	Audrey M. Edmonson	**aye**
Sally A. Heyman	**aye**	Barbara J. Jordan	**aye**
Jean Monestime	**aye**	Dennis C. Moss	**absent**
Sen. Javier D. Souto	**aye**	Xavier L. Suarez	**aye**
Juan C. Zapata	**absent**		

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 3rd day of June, 2014. This resolution shall become effective 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.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
BY ITS BOARD OF
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: ***Christopher Agrippa***
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency. GKS

Gerald K. Sanchez