

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 7(B)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

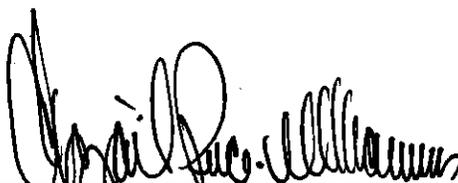
DATE: (Second Reading 3-8-16)
January 20, 2016

FROM: Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Ordinance pertaining to Small
Business Enterprise Programs;
amending sections 2-8.1.1.1.2 of
the Code to allow participants in
the Small Business Enterprise
Goods Program to use the
existing Bonding and Financial
Assistance Program available to
Small Business Enterprises for
construction services

Ordinance No. 16-28

The accompanying ordinance was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Co-Prime Sponsors Commissioner Audrey M. Edmonson and Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan, and Co-Sponsors Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava and Chairman Jean Monestime.



Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

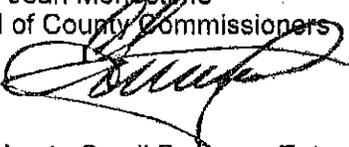
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Date: March 8, 2016

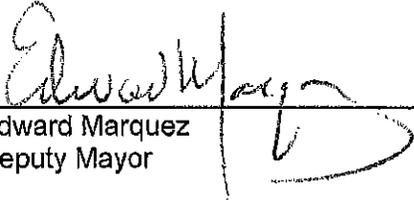
To: Honorable Chairman Jean Monastine
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: Carlos A. Gimenez 
Mayor

Subject: Fiscal Impact Pertaining to Small Business Enterprise Programs

The proposed Ordinance pertaining to the Small Business Enterprise Programs amends Section 2-8.1.1.1.2 of the Code of Miami-Dade County to allow participants in the Small Business Enterprise Goods Program to use the existing bonding and financial assistance program available to Small Business Enterprises for Construction Services.

The current funding for the program will be managed by existing staff within the Business Outreach and Education unit of Small Business Development. Therefore, it is anticipated that the implementation of this ordinance will have no fiscal impact to Miami-Dade County.


Edward Marquez
Deputy Mayor

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Date: March 8, 2016

To: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: Carlos A. Gimenez
Mayor

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Subject: Social Equity Statement for Ordinance pertaining to Small Business Enterprise Programs; amending sections 2-8.1.1.1.2 of the Code to allow participants in the Small Business Enterprise Goods Program to use the existing Bonding and Financial Assistance Program available to Small Business Enterprises for Construction Services firms

The proposed Ordinance amends Section 2-8.1.1.1.2 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida to allow participants in the Small Business Enterprise Goods Program to use the existing Bonding and Financial Assistance Program available that is currently available to Small Business Enterprises for Construction Services firms.

Allowing all certified Small Business Enterprise Goods firms to utilize the existing bonding and financial assistance program may benefit them by providing the financial assistance that can bolster their efforts to access County contracts. This may allow certified firms to have an opportunity to contribute to the County's economic tax base by virtue of being financially stable companies in our community and creating jobs.

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Edward Marquez
Deputy Mayor



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(Revised)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jean Monestime
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DATE: March 8, 2016

FROM: Abigail Price-Williams
County Attorney

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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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3-8-16

ORDINANCE NO. 16-28

ORDINANCE PERTAINING TO SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAMS; AMENDING SECTIONS 2-8.1.1.1.2 OF THE CODE OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA TO ALLOW PARTICIPANTS IN THE SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE GOODS PROGRAM TO USE THE EXISTING BONDING AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM AVAILABLE TO SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISES FOR CONSTRUCTION SERVICES; PROVIDING SEVERABILITY, INCLUSION IN THE CODE, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County (the “County”) is a multi-ethnic community; and

WHEREAS, the County is committed to ensuring that all members of the community have an equal opportunity in being awarded County contracts; and

WHEREAS, the Board previously passed and adopted Ordinance No. 97-52, codified at Section 10-33.02 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida, creating a Small Business Enterprise Construction Services Program (“CSBE”), which included a Bonding and Financial Assistance Program; and

WHEREAS, the Board also passed and adopted Ordinance No. 15-141, which extended the Bonding and Financial Assistance Program to the County’s Small Business Enterprise Services Program (“SBE”) and Small Business Enterprise Architecture and Engineering Program (“CBE”); and

WHEREAS, the existing Bonding and Financial Assistance Program was established to provide assistance to CSBEs, SBEs, and CBEs in (i) preparing and completing bond packages, (ii) providing funding to be used for bonding purposes, and (iii) providing financial assistance such as mobilization capital, line of credit and/or working capital loans through partnering relationships with financial institutions; and

WHEREAS, such bonding and financial assistance would also benefit small businesses and minority or women business enterprises participating in the County's Small Business Enterprise Goods Program,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Section 2-8.1.1.1.2 of the Code of Miami-Dade County, is hereby amended as follows:¹

Sec. 2-8.1.1.1.2. Small Business Enterprise Goods Program.

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(3) *Program.*

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(f) SBE >>Bonding and<< Financial Assistance. ~~[[SBD will develop a program to identify methods of financial assistance to SBE vendors on Miami Dade County contracts]]>>This program will provide SBEs with assistance in obtaining bonding and/or financial assistance for goods and services contracts. Bonding assistance will include providing assistance in preparing and completing bond packages as well as providing funding to be used for bonding purposes. Financial assistance will include providing financial assistance such as mobilization capital, line of credit and/or working capital loans through partnering relationships with financial institutions<<.~~

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Section 2. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause or provision of this ordinance is held invalid, the remainder of this ordinance shall not be affected by such invalidity.

¹ Words stricken through and/or [[double bracketed]] shall be deleted. Words underscored and/or >>double arrowed<< constitute the amendment proposed. Remaining provisions are now in effect and remain unchanged.

Section 3. It is the intention of the Board of County Commissioners, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this ordinance, including any sunset provision, shall become and be made part of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida. The sections of this ordinance may be renumbered or relettered to accomplish such intention, and the word “ordinance” may be changed to “section,” “article,” or other appropriate word.

Section 4. This ordinance shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of enactment unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

PASSED AND ADOPTED: March 8, 2016

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency:

APW
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Prepared by:

David Stephen Hope

Co-Prime Sponsors: Commissioner Audrey M. Edmonson
Commissioner Barbara J. Jordan

Co-Sponsors: Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava
Chairman Jean Monestime