



MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 15(A)(8)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jose “Pepe” Diaz and
Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: May 3, 2022

FROM: Honorable Harvey Ruvlin, Clerk
Circuit and County Courts

SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing
Intergovernmental
Cooperation Agreement
with the Town of
Golden Beach

Basia Pruna, Director
Clerk of the Board Division

Section 2-70(6) of the Miami-Dade County Code provides that the Property Appraiser may submit resolutions, ordinances, or reports related to his duties to the Clerk of the Board for placement on the next available agenda of the Miami-Dade County Board of County of Commissioners.

Attached for your consideration is a proposed resolution submitted by the Property Appraiser authorizing an Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Town of Golden Beach.

BP/dmc


Attachment

Memorandum



Date: May 3, 2022

To: Honorable Chairman Jose “Pepe” Diaz
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

From: Pedro J. Garcia, MNAA
Property Appraiser 

Subject: Resolution Authorizing Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement with the Town of Golden Beach

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board of County Commissioners (Board) authorize execution of the attached Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement (Agreement) by and among Miami-Dade County on behalf of the Tax Collector (Collector), Miami-Dade County Office of the Property Appraiser (Appraiser) and the Town of Golden Beach (Town) to utilize the uniform method for the levy, collection and enforcement of non-ad valorem assessments, as prescribed in Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes.

Scope

The Town is located within County Commission District 4, represented by Commissioner Sally A. Heyman. The Town has requested that the Appraiser and Collector include its proposed or adopted non-ad valorem assessments for high-speed fiber optic internet services (Internet Services) of the Town on the notice of proposed taxes as specified in Section 200.069, Florida Statutes, and on the combined notice of ad valorem and non-ad valorem assessments provided for in Sections 197.3632 and 197.3635, Florida Statutes.

Delegation of Authority

This item authorizes the County Mayor or County Mayor’s designee to execute the agreement approved by this item on behalf of the Tax Collector, following approval by the County Attorney’s Office as to legal sufficiency.

Fiscal Impact/Funding Source

The Town agrees that the County shall be entitled to retain two percent on the amount of special assessments collected and remitted to cover all the County’s associated costs. There is no negative fiscal impact to the County because of this Agreement.

Track Record/Monitor

The Town agrees that all certified assessment rolls will be maintained and transmitted to the Appraiser and Collector on compatible electronic medium as defined in Section 197.3632(1), Florida Statutes. The Agreement is managed by the Office of the Property Appraiser.

Background

In accordance with Sections 197.3632 and 197.3635, Florida Statutes, and the Agreement, the Town will charge separate non-ad valorem assessments for Internet Services of the Town. The Agreement affords the Town the convenience and financial savings of utilizing the TRIM notice and combined tax bill for

collection of its non-ad valorem assessments. Use of the ad valorem method for collection of these assessments could result in issuance of tax certificates, tax deeds and the loss of title to the property, if said assessments are not paid by the property owners. The term of this Agreement commences with special assessments collected in 2022 and continues until cancelled by either party.



MEMORANDUM
(Revised)

TO: Honorable Chairman Jose "Pepe" Diaz
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: May 3, 2022

FROM: 
Gen Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Agenda Item No. 15(A)(8)

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 present ____, 2/3 membership ____, 3/5's ____, unanimous ____, CDMP 7 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) ____, CDMP 2/3 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) ____, or CDMP 9 vote requirement per 2-116.1(4)(c)(2) ____) to approve
- Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved _____ Mayor
Veto _____
Override _____

Agenda Item No. 15(A)(8)
5-3-22

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, AND THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY APPRAISER TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE UNIFORM METHOD FOR THE LEVY, COLLECTION AND ENFORCEMENT OF NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT CONTAINED IN SECTIONS 197.3632 AND 197.3635 OF THE FLORIDA STATUTES; AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE SAME AND EXERCISE PROVISIONS CONTAINED THEREIN, INCLUDING CANCELLATION

WHEREAS, the Town of Golden Beach (“the Town”) has adopted resolution number 2796.22, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit A, setting forth the Town’s intent to use the uniform method for the levy and collection of certain non-ad valorem assessments; and

WHEREAS, prior to the public hearing at which Resolution 2796.22 was adopted, the Town published notice of its intent to consider utilization of the uniform method of levy, collection and enforcement of non-ad valorem assessment, a copy of which notice is attached hereto as Exhibit B; and

WHEREAS, the Town wishes to enter into an agreement with the Miami-Dade County Office of the Property Appraiser (the “Property Appraiser”) and Miami-Dade County (the “County”), in substantially the form attached hereto as Exhibit C, to collect these non-ad valorem assessments by placing them on the TRIM notice and tax bill; and

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, in accordance with sections 197.3632 and 197.3635 of the Florida Statutes, the uniform method for the levy, collection and enforcement of non-ad valorem assessments, this Board hereby approves the attached Intergovernmental Cooperation Agreement between the Town, the County, and the Property Appraiser to provide services to the Town (“Agreement”). This Board hereby further authorizes the Mayor or designee to execute the Agreement on behalf of the County, in substantially the form attached hereto, and to exercise the provisions contained therein, including cancellation.

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:

Jose “Pepe” Diaz, Chairman	
Oliver G. Gilbert, III, Vice-Chairman	
Sen. René García	Keon Hardemon
Sally A. Heyman	Danielle Cohen Higgins
Eileen Higgins	Joe A. Martinez
Kionne L. McGhee	Jean Monestime
Raquel A. Regalado	Rebeca Sosa
Sen. Javier D. Souto	

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 3rd day of May, 2022. 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.

DPL

Jorge Martinez-Esteve
Daija Page Lifshitz

EXHIBIT A

TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2796.22

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, PROVIDING FOR THE UNIFORM METHOD OF LEVYING, COLLECTING AND ENFORCING NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENTS FOR HIGH SPEED INTERNET SERVICES IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 197.3632, F.S. THROUGHOUT THE INCORPORATED AREA OF THE TOWN FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING ON OCTOBER 1, 2022; STATING A NEED FOR SUCH LEVY; PROVIDING FOR THE MAILING AND TRANSMITTAL OF THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.



CERTIFICATION
I certify this to be a true and correct copy
Of the record in Town Hall files.
WITNESSED my hand and official seal of the
Town of Golden Beach, Florida
This 10 day of February 2022
[Signature]

WHEREAS, pursuant the Charter of the Town of Golden Beach, Florida (the "Town"), and Chapter 166, Florida Statute, the Town has the authority to enter into a Service Agreement, including addendums thereto with Hotwire Communications, Ltd, a Pennsylvania Limited Partnership (the "Internet Provider") to provide for high-speed fiber optic internet services ("Internet Services") to the Town and to all of the properties located within the boundaries of the Town and to defray the cost of providing such Internet Service in whole or in part by the imposition of non-ad valorem special assessments on the properties benefitted by such Internet Services; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council of the Town hereby determines that the provision of Internet Services are necessary for the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Town; and

WHEREAS, Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes establishes a uniform method for the levy, collection and enforcement of non-ad valorem assessments (the "Uniform Method"); and

WHEREAS, Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, authorizes the Town to elect to utilize the Uniform Method; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council desires to use the Uniform Method for the purpose of collecting special assessments to be levied on those properties benefitted by provision of such Internet Services; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has advertised and conducted a public hearing, as shown on the advertisement and proof of publication attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibits "A" and "B," respectively, prior to the adoption of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, the legal description of the boundaries of the properties which may be subject to the levy of non-ad valorem assessments is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit "C;" and

WHEREAS, the Town Council finds that the adoption of this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. Intent. Commencing with the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2022, the Town intends to use the Uniform Method of collecting non-ad valorem assessments as authorized by Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, as amended from time to time to fund the costs of the Internet Services. Such non-ad valorem assessments will be levied within the incorporated area of the Town (the "Service Area"). A legal description of the Service Area subject to the non-ad valorem assessment is attached hereto and



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[Signature]

incorporated herein as Exhibit "C." The non-ad valorem assessments and the Town's use of the Uniform Method of collecting such non-ad valorem assessments may continue for more than one year.

Section 3. Need for Levy. The Town Council hereby determines that the levy of the non-ad valorem assessments is needed to defray the cost of providing Internet Services within the Service Area of the Town.

Section 4. Authorization. The Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Manager to implement the intent and purpose of this Resolution by, including but not limited to, notifying the Miami-Dade County Property Appraiser's office, the Tax Collector and the Department of Revenue for the State of Florida of the Town's intent to collect such non-ad valorem assessments by using the uniform method of collection and entering into a written agreement with the Property Appraiser and Tax Collector for this purpose, subject to the approval of the Town Attorney as to form, content, and legal sufficiency.

Section 5. Direction to Town Clerk. The Town Clerk is hereby directed to send certified copies of this Resolution to the Miami-Dade County Property Appraiser, Miami-Dade County Tax Collector, and the Florida Department of Revenue.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

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CERTIFICATION
I certify this to be a true and correct copy
Of the record in Town Hall files.
WITNESSED my hand and official seal of the
Town of Golden Beach, Florida
This 16th day of FEBRUARY 20 22
[Signature]

The Motion to adopt the foregoing resolution was offered by Councilmember Mendal, seconded by Vice Mayor Lusskin, and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Glenn Singer	<u>Aye</u>
Vice Mayor Judy Lusskin	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Kenneth Bernstein	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Jaime Mendal	<u>Aye</u>
Councilmember Bernard Einstein	<u>Aye</u>

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach, Florida, this 18th day of January, 2022.



MAYOR GLENN SINGER

ATTEST:



LISSETTE PEREZ
TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



STEPHEN J. HELFMAN
TOWN ATTORNEY



CERTIFICATION
I certify this to be a true and correct copy
Of the record in Town Hall files.
WITNESSED my hand and official seal of the
Town of Golden Beach, Florida
This 16th day of February 2020


LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF SERVICE AREAS SUBJECT TO ASSESSMENT

Beginning at a point on the east right-of-way line of the Intracoastal Waterway as shown on the plat of "Florida East Coast Canal" as recorded in Plat Book 37, at page 2, of the public records of Dade County, Florida; said point being located on the north line of Section 35, Township 51 South, Range 42 East, and 3,752.5 feet east of the northwest corner of said Section 35;

Thence, easterly along the north line of said Section 35 a distance of 1,400 feet, more or less, to the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean;

Thence, southerly along the mean high water line of the Atlantic Ocean 6,570 feet, more or less, to the north line of a tract deeded by Benjamin Kline to Alfred E. Hills recorded in Deed Book 367, at page 382, of the public records of Dade County, Florida;

Thence, westerly along the north line of said Hills tract 1,850 feet, more or less, to a point on the east right-of-way line of the Intracoastal Waterway; said point also being the southwest corner of the plat of "Section 'D' of Golden Beach," as recorded in Plat Book 10, at page 10, of the public records of Dade County, Florida;

Thence, northerly and easterly along the west and north lines of Block 'H' of said plat 530 feet, more or less, to the intersection with the southerly projection of the west line of Block 'J' of said plat;

Thence, northerly along said southerly projection and along the west line of said Block 'J' 1,080 feet, more or less, to the intersection with the south line of said Section 35; said point of intersection being located 3,245.09 feet east of the southwest corner of said Section 35;

Thence, northerly along the east right-of-way line of the Intracoastal Waterway 5,300 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

Together with all riparian rights in any wise incident or otherwise appertaining to said land.



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WITNESSED my hand and official seal of the
Town of Golden Beach, Florida

This 10th day of February 2022

[Handwritten Signature]

MIAMI-DADE

EXHIBIT B

STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF MIAMI-DADE:

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared GUILLERMO GARCIA, who on oath says that he or she is the DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS, Legal Notices of the Miami Daily Business Review f/k/a Miami Review, a daily (except Saturday, Sunday and Legal Holidays) newspaper, published at Miami in Miami-Dade County, Florida; that the attached copy of advertisement, being a Legal Advertisement of Notice in the matter of

TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH - PUBLIC HEARING - INTENT TO USE THE UNIFORM AD VALOREM METHOD OF COLLECTION OF A NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT - JAN. 18, 2022

in the XXXX Court, was published in said newspaper by print in the issues of and/or by publication on the newspaper's website, if authorized, on

12/21/2021 12/28/2021 01/04/2022 01/11/2022

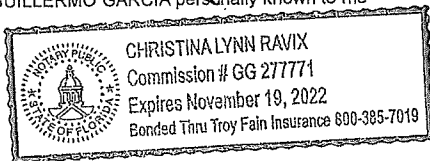
Affiant further says that the newspaper complies with all legal requirements for publication in chapter 50, Florida Statutes.

Guillermo Garcia

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11 day of JANUARY, A.D. 2022

C. Ravix

(SEAL)
GUILLERMO GARCIA personally known to me



NOTICE BY THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA OF INTENT TO USE THE UNIFORM AD VALOREM METHOD OF COLLECTION OF A NON-AD VALOREM ASSESSMENT

Notice is hereby given to all property owners of lands located within the boundaries of the Town of Golden Beach, Florida (the "Town") that the Town intends to use the uniform ad valorem method for collecting the non-ad valorem assessments levied by the Town as set forth in Section 197.3632, F.S., and that the Town Council of the Town (the "Town Council") will hold a public hearing on January 18, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. or as soon as practicable thereafter, at the Town Hall at 1 Golden Beach Drive, Golden Beach Florida.

The purpose of the public hearing is to consider the adoption of a Resolution authorizing the Town to use the uniform ad valorem method of collecting non-ad valorem assessments levied by the Town as provided in Section 197.3632, F.S.

The Town is considering adopting a non-ad valorem assessment to provide for high-speed fiber optic Internet services ("Internet Services") to the Town and to all of the properties located within the boundaries of the Town and to defray the cost of providing such Internet Service in whole or in part by the imposition of non-ad valorem special assessments on the properties benefitted by such Internet Services.

This non-ad valorem assessment is levied for the first time.

Interested parties may appear at the public hearing to be heard regarding the use of the uniform ad valorem method of collecting such non-ad valorem assessments, or join via Zoom via the following:

Zoom Room Meeting ID: 876 0722 6485 Passcode: 734544

For Dial In Only: Call (929) 205 6099 US Meeting ID: 876 0722 6485

If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this public hearing such person will need a record of proceedings and for such purpose such person may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made at their own expense and which record includes the testimony and evidence on which the appeal is based. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons needing a special accommodation or an interpreter to participate in this proceeding should contact the Town Clerk, at (305) 932-0744, with request for auxiliary aids or services at least two (2) business days before the meeting.

If you have any questions, please contact the Town Clerk.

Dated this 15th day of December 2021.
TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA
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**INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BY AND AMONG
MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PROPERTY APPRAISER
AND
MIAMI –DADE COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR
AND
TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH**

EXHIBIT C

THIS INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT (the “Agreement”) is made and entered into as of the ____ day of _____, 2022, by and among Miami-Dade County Office of the Property Appraiser (hereinafter referred to as (“Property Appraiser”), Florida, Miami-Dade County on behalf of the Tax Collector (hereinafter referred to as “Tax Collector”), Florida, and the Town of Golden Beach, Florida (hereinafter referred to as “Town”).

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Town intends to adopt non-ad valorem assessments or special assessments for high-speed fiber optic internet services (Internet Services) within the Town of Golden Beach; and

WHEREAS, the Town intends to utilize the uniform method of collection, as outlined in Sections 197.3632 and 197.3635, Florida Statutes, for collecting the above-referenced non-ad valorem special assessments for the aforementioned services; and

WHEREAS, the Town has requested that the Property Appraiser include its adopted non-ad valorem assessments for Internet Services on the Notice of Proposed Property Taxes as specified in Section 200.069, Florida Statutes (“TRIM Notice”); and

WHEREAS, the Town has requested that the Tax Collector include its adopted non-ad valorem assessments for Internet Services on the Combined Notice of Ad Valorem and Non-Ad Valorem Assessments provided for in Section 197.3635, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 197.3632, Florida Statutes, the Town, the Property Appraiser, and the Tax Collector must enter into a written agreement evidencing the Property Appraiser's and the Tax Collector's agreement to place the Town's herein specified non-ad valorem assessments on the TRIM Notice and tax bill; and

WHEREAS, the Town represents that it has duly complied with the Notice provisions and adopted Resolution No. 2796-22 in compliance with the required resolutions set forth in Section 197.3632 Florida Statutes, so as to entitle the Town to utilize the non-ad valorem method of collection, and the Tax Collector and Property Appraiser have relied on these representations, and

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration and intending to be legally bound hereby, the Town, the Property Appraiser, the Tax Collector agree as follows:

1. The Town, Property Appraiser, and Tax Collector shall abide by all statutes, rules and regulations pertaining to the levy and collection of non-ad valorem assessments, including the provisions of sections 197.3632, 197.3635, Florida Statutes, as amended, and any applicable rules duly promulgated by the Department of Revenue.
2. The Property Appraiser agrees to place the Town's non-ad valorem assessments for Internet Services within the Town of Golden Beach on the Notice of Proposed Property Taxes and Proposed or Adopted Non-Ad Valorem Assessments prepared in accordance with Section 200.069, Florida Statutes.
3. The Tax Collector agrees to the Town's request to place its adopted non-ad valorem assessments for Internet Services within the Town of Golden

Beach on the Combined Notice of Ad Valorem Taxes and Non-Ad Valorem Assessments in accordance with Section 197.3635, Florida Statutes.

4. The Town agrees that all certified assessment rolls will be maintained and transmitted to the Property Appraiser and the Tax Collector on compatible electronic medium as defined in Section 197.3632(1), Florida Statutes.
5. The Town agrees that, in consideration for services herein agreed to be performed by the Tax Collector, the Tax Collector shall be entitled to retain, in the Tax Collector's sole discretion, the actual costs of collection not to exceed two percent (2%) on the amount of special assessments collected and remitted.
6. **Duration of this Agreement.** This Agreement shall take effect upon signing and shall extend to the collection of special assessments for each fiscal year thereafter until canceled by any Party pursuant to Section 10 herein.
7. **Severability of the Provisions in this Agreement.** The provisions in this Agreement, except for Section 4, are intended to be severable. If any provision of this Agreement shall be held to be invalid or unenforceable in whole or in part, such provision shall be ineffective to the extent of such invalidity or unenforceability without in any manner affecting the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions of this Agreement.
8. **Governing Law.** This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Florida.
9. **Amendments or Modifications of this Agreement.** It is anticipated by the parties that the terms and conditions of this Agreement will be

periodically amended or modified. Such amendments or modifications must be in writing and must be duly executed by all parties to this Agreement.

10. **Terms and Cancellation.** The Term of this Agreement shall commence upon the date first above written and shall run through the end of the calendar year and shall automatically be renewed thereafter, for successive terms, not to exceed one year each. Any party may cancel this Agreement at the end of the term upon written notice to the other parties prior to the end of the term.
11. **Intent to be Legally Bound.** By signing this Agreement, the Parties hereto confirm and state that they have carefully read this Agreement, that they know the contents hereof, that they fully expect to carry out each and every provision, and that they intend to be legally bound by the rights and obligations set forth herein.
12. **Indemnification and Hold Harmless** The Town shall indemnify and hold harmless, to the extent permitted by Florida law and without waiving its right of sovereign immunity, the Property Appraiser, Tax Collector and their respective officers, employees, agents and instrumentalities from any and all liability, losses or damages, including attorneys' fees and costs of defense, which the Property Appraiser, Tax Collector or their respective officers, employees, agents or instrumentalities may incur as a result of claims, demands, suits, causes of actions or proceedings of any kind or nature arising out of, relating to or resulting from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of the Town or its employees, agents, servants, partners principals, or subcontractors arising out of, relating to, or resulting from the performance of the Agreement. The Town shall pay all claims and losses

in connection therewith and shall investigate and defend all claims, suits or actions of any kind or nature in the name of the Property Appraiser or Tax Collector where applicable, including appellate proceedings, and shall pay all costs, judgments, and attorneys' fees which may issue thereon.

13. **Headings.** The headings for each paragraph in this Agreement are for the purposes of reference only and shall not limit or otherwise affect the meaning of any provision.

14. **Complete Agreement.** This document shall represent the complete agreement of the Parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto execute this Agreement, and they affirm that they have the power to do so on behalf of the Town, the Tax Collector, and the Property Appraiser.


(S E A L)

TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA

A municipal corporation of the
State of Florida

ATTEST:

By: 
LISSETTE PEREZ Town Clerk
(name and title)

By: 
Alexander Diaz Town Manager
(name and title)

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY APPRAISER

By: _____
Pedro J. Garcia
Property Appraiser

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY ITS BOARD OF COUNTY
COMMISSIONERS

ATTEST:

By: _____
Harvey Ruvin
County Clerk

By: _____
Daniella Levine Cava
Mayor

Approved as to legal sufficiency for Miami-Dade County and the Office of the Property
Appraiser:

By: _____
Assistant County Attorney