

## **MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(37)

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

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE**: May 5, 2020

**FROM:** Abigail Price-Williams

County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution recognizing May 7 as

2020 National Day of Prayer and declaring May 7 as 2020 Miami-Dade County Day of Prayer

Resolution No. R-449-20

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.

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		"3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if	raised		
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		No committee review			
		Applicable legislation requires more than a present, 2/3 membership, 3/5's _ 7 vote requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) requirement per 2-116.1(3)(h) or (4)(c) ) to a	, unanimous (c), CDMP , or CDMP 9 v	CDMP	
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Approved	Mayor	Agenda Item No. 11(A)(37)
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RESOLUTION NO.

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY 7 AS 2020 NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER AND DECLARING MAY 7 AS 2020 MIAMIDADE COUNTY DAY OF PRAYER

R-449-20

WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer is observed annually on the first Thursday of May; and

WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer is recognized by federal law, which directs the President to issue a proclamation every year "designating the first Thursday in May as a National Day of Prayer on which the people of the United States may turn to God in prayer and meditation at churches, in groups, and as individuals"; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Day of Prayer was created in 1952 by a joint resolution of the United States Congress, and signed into law by President Harry S. Truman; and

**WHEREAS**, every President since 1952 has signed a National Day of Prayer proclamation; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Day of Prayer has its roots in the earliest days of our nation, as the Second Continental Congress established days of fasting and prayer from 1775 to 1783; and

**WHEREAS**, the National Day of Prayer can be celebrated by Americans of any and all religions, and can be observed on an individual basis; and

**WHEREAS**, the global public health emergency caused by Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) has caused, and continues to cause, a great amount of uncertainty, pain, and suffering across the world and in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, for many people, prayer and meditation can give hope, strength and improved mental well-being, all of which are desperately needed as our community responds to novel Coronavirus; and

WHEREAS, in 2020, the first Thursday of May is May 7; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board wishes to recognize May 7, 2020 as the 2020 National Day of Prayer, and declare May 7, 2020 as the 2020 Miami-Dade County Day of Prayer,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that this Board hereby recognizes May 7, 2020 as the 2020 National Day of Prayer and declares May 7, 2020 as the 2020 Miami-Dade County Day of Prayer.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Esteban L. Bovo, Jr. It was offered by Commissioner **Audrey M. Edmonson**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Rebeca Sosa** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Audrey M	I. Edmonson	n, Chairwoman aye					
Rebeca Sosa, Vice Chairwoman aye							
Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	absent	Daniella Levine Cava	aye				
Jose "Pepe" Diaz	aye	Sally A. Heyman	aye				
Eileen Higgins	aye	Barbara J. Jordan	aye				
Joe A. Martinez	ave	Jean Monestime	aye				
Dennis C. Moss	aye	Sen. Javier D. Souto	aye				
Xavier L. Suarez	aye						

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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: Melissa Adames

Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

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Anita Viciana Zapata