## **MEMORANDUM**

Agenda Item No. 3(A)(4)

**TO:** Honorable Chairman Jose "Pepe" Diaz

and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** March 1, 2022

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan

County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving allocation

in amount of \$200,000.00 from

District 12 portion of the

Marlins' settlement payment to the Village of Virginia Gardens

("Village") for a capital

improvement project to improve the Village's baseball fields; and authorizing the County Mayor to execute grant agreement with the Village and to exercise any and

all rights conferred therein

Resolution No. R-173-22

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Chairman Jose "Pepe" Diaz.

Geri Bonzon-Keenan County Attorney

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Approved	<u>Mayor</u>	Agenda Item No. 3(A)(4)
Veto		3-1-22
Override		

RESOLUTION NO.	R-173-22
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RESOLUTION APPROVING ALLOCATION IN AMOUNT OF \$200,000.00 FROM DISTRICT 12 PORTION OF THE MARLINS' SETTLEMENT PAYMENT TO THE VILLAGE OF VIRGINIA GARDENS ("VILLAGE") FOR A CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT TO IMPROVE THE VILLAGE'S BASEBALL FIELDS; AND AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE GRANT AGREEMENT WITH THE VILLAGE AND TO EXERCISE ANY AND ALL RIGHTS CONFERRED THEREIN

WHEREAS, at the February 17, 2021 Board of County Commissioners meeting, this Board approved a settlement agreement between Miami-Dade County, the City of Miami ("City"), Miami Marlins, LP, and Marlins TeamCo, LLC ("settlement agreement") to resolve the County's and City's claims pertaining to the Non-Relocation Agreement's equity payment; and

**WHEREAS,** the County's share of the equity payment resulting from the settlement agreement is \$4,763,000.00 ("settlement funds") and are unrestricted, general funds; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2021, this Board adopted Resolution No. R-226-21 setting forth County policy that the settlement funds be divided equally among all County Commission Districts (representing \$366,384.61 per Commission District) to be used, subject to prior Board approval, for coronavirus disease 19 ("COVID-19") relief efforts, capital projects, the needs of the Miami-Dade Police Department, or the needs of the Miami-Dade Corrections Department, as allocated by each of the County Commissioners for their respective districts; and

WHEREAS, on January 19, 2022, this Board adopted Resolution No. R-58-22, amending County policy to provide that the settlement funds may also be used for assistance necessary and relief efforts as a result of a declared state of emergency in Miami-Dade County, including but not

limited to, the Surfside building collapse emergency that transpired on June 24, 2021, when a portion of the residential building located at 8777 Collins Avenue, known as Champlain Towers South in Surfside, Florida collapsed; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to allocate \$200,000.00 from the Commission District 12 portion of the settlement funds to the Village of Virginia Gardens ("Village") to be used for a capital improvement project to improve the Village's baseball fields,

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

The recitals set forth above are incorporated into this resolution as if fully Section 1. set forth herein and are approved.

The Board approves the allocation in the amount of \$200,000.00 from the Section 2. Commission District 12 portion of the settlement funds to the Village to be used for a capital improvement project to improve the Village's baseball fields, and authorizes the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to execute a grant agreement with the Village following review for form and legal sufficiency by the County Attorney's Office and to execute any and all rights conferred therein.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Chairman Jose "Pepe" Diaz. It was offered by Commissioner , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded Rebeca Sosa by Commissioner Oliver G. Gilbert, III and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

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

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The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 1<sup>st</sup> day of March, 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

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By:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as to form and legal sufficiency.

MRP

Monica Rizo Perez