

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(14)

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

DATE: September 1, 2022

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution directing the County Mayor to prepare a plan to institute a traffic congestion communications campaign that, at a minimum, produces reports via AM and FM radio during peak traffic hours providing information regarding traffic conditions throughout Miami-Dade County; and to provide a report to this Board within a specified time

Resolution No. R-851-22

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Senator Javier D. Souto.



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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 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 _____

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9-1-22

RESOLUTION NO. R-851-22

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO PREPARE A PLAN TO INSTITUTE A TRAFFIC CONGESTION COMMUNICATIONS CAMPAIGN THAT, AT A MINIMUM, PRODUCES REPORTS VIA AM AND FM RADIO DURING PEAK TRAFFIC HOURS PROVIDING INFORMATION REGARDING TRAFFIC CONDITIONS THROUGHOUT MIAMI-DADE COUNTY; AND TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THIS BOARD WITHIN A SPECIFIED TIME

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County has consistently ranked amongst the United States cities with the worst traffic congestion; and

WHEREAS, traffic congestion is generally especially heavy during peak rush hour periods, and can be worsened due to traffic accidents, roadwork, and network gridlock; and

WHEREAS, traffic congestion has a negative impact on the quality of life for Miami-Dade County residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, providing enhanced traffic reporting during peak traffic hours could help drivers better navigate through traffic congestion and other conditions impacting the flow of traffic throughout Miami-Dade County,

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

Section 1. This Board directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to prepare a plan to institute a traffic congestion communications campaign that, at a minimum, produces reports via AM and FM radio during peak traffic hours providing information regarding traffic conditions throughout Miami-Dade County. Such traffic reports should, at a minimum,

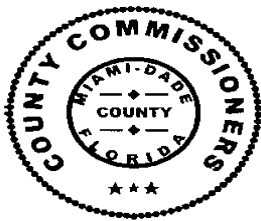
provide the location of traffic congestion, accidents, and other traffic delays that would impact daily peak hour commutes. The plan should include also recommend funding sources for the implementation of the traffic congestion communications campaign and any other recommendation regarding the scope of the traffic reports.

Section 2. This Board further directs the County Mayor or County Mayor’s designee to, within 60 days of the effective date of this resolution, place a report detailing the plan required by section 1 of this resolution on an agenda of the full Board without committee review pursuant to Ordinance No. 14-65.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Senator Javier D. Souto. It was offered by Commissioner **Sally A. Heyman** , who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Rebeca Sosa** 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	absent	Keon Hardemon aye
Sally A. Heyman	aye	Danielle Cohen Higgins aye
Eileen Higgins	aye	Joe A. Martinez absent
Kionne L. McGhee	aye	Jean Monestime aye
Raquel A. Regalado	aye	Rebeca Sosa aye
Sen. Javier D. Souto	aye	

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 1st day of September, 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: **Basia Pruna**
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

Annery Pulgar Alfonso
Anita Viciano Zapata