

MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item No. 11(A)(3)

TO: Honorable Chairman Oliver G. Gilbert, III
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

DATE: November 20, 2024

FROM: Geri Bonzon-Keenan
County Attorney

SUBJECT: Resolution urging (1) the Florida Legislature to appropriate funding for the resurfacing or repaving of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11; (2) the Florida Department of Transportation ("FDOT") to, subject to the appropriation of funding, include funding for the resurfacing or repaving of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11 in the appropriate current and future FDOT five-year work programs; and (3) the Miami-Dade Transportation Planning Organization to take the necessary actions, such as amending its long range Transportation Plan and Transportation Improvement Program, to prioritize the resurfacing or repaving of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11

Resolution No. R-1029-24

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime Sponsor Commissioner Roberto J. Gonzalez.



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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 ____, majority plus one ____, 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) ____, 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. 11(A)(3)
11-20-24

RESOLUTION NO. R-1029-24

RESOLUTION URGING (1) THE FLORIDA LEGISLATURE TO APPROPRIATE FUNDING FOR THE RESURFACING OR REPAVING OF STATE OWNED OR MAINTAINED ROADS WITHIN COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 11; (2) THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (“FDOT”) TO, SUBJECT TO THE APPROPRIATION OF FUNDING, INCLUDE FUNDING FOR THE RESURFACING OR REPAVING OF STATE OWNED OR MAINTAINED ROADS WITHIN COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 11 IN THE APPROPRIATE CURRENT AND FUTURE FDOT FIVE-YEAR WORK PROGRAMS; AND (3) THE MIAMI-DADE TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION TO TAKE THE NECESSARY ACTIONS, SUCH AS AMENDING ITS LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN AND TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM, TO PRIORITIZE THE RESURFACING OR REPAVING OF STATE OWNED OR MAINTAINED ROADS WITHIN COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 11

WHEREAS, having updated and properly maintained roads keeps drivers, pedestrians, and cyclists safe from any potential accidents, which adds to the security and serenity of our community; and

WHEREAS, road resurfacing is adding a new layer of asphalt atop the old layer, often followed by sealcoating; and

WHEREAS, road repaving is removing the old pavement or asphalt and adding a whole new layer of asphalt, often followed by sealcoating; and

WHEREAS, if the foundation of a road is deteriorating, repaving the road is the appropriate course of action in order to ensure the integrity of the road; and

WHEREAS, road resurfacing and repaving is an important part of maintaining the public infrastructure in good working order; and

WHEREAS, there are a number of state owned or maintained roads within County Commissioner District 11 that may benefit from resurfacing or repaving; and

WHEREAS, this Board desires to urge the Florida Legislature to fund the resurfacing or repaving, as may be necessary, of said roads,

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

Section 1. Urges the Florida Legislature to appropriate funding for the resurfacing or repaving, as may be necessary, of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11.

Section 2. Urges FDOT to, subject to the appropriation of funding, include funding for the resurfacing or repaving, as may be necessary, of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11 in the appropriate current and future FDOT Five-Year Work Programs.

Section 3. Urges the Miami-Dade Transportation Planning Organization (“TPO”) to take the necessary actions, such as amending its Long Range Transportation Plan and Transportation Improvement Program, to prioritize the resurfacing or repaving, as may be necessary, of state owned or maintained roads within County Commission District 11.

Section 4. Directs the Clerk of this Board to send a certified copy of this resolution to the Governor, Senate President, House Speaker, the Chair and members of the Miami-Dade State Legislative Delegation, the Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation, the District Six Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation, and the Executive Director of the TPO.

Section 5. Directs the County's state lobbyists to advocate for the actions described in sections 1 and 2 above, and authorizes and directs the Office of Intergovernmental Affairs to amend the 2025 State Legislative Package to include this item.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Commissioner Roberto J. Gonzalez. It was offered by Commissioner **Oliver G. Gilbert, III**, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner **Danielle Cohen Higgins** and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Anthony Rodríguez, Chairman	aye		
Kionne L. McGhee, Vice Chairman	aye		
Marleine Bastien	aye	Juan Carlos Bermudez	aye
Kevin Marino Cabrera	absent	Sen. René García	aye
Oliver G. Gilbert, III	aye	Roberto J. Gonzalez	aye
Keon Hardemon	aye	Danielle Cohen Higgins	aye
Eileen Higgins	aye	Raquel A. Regalado	aye
Micky Steinberg	aye		

The Chairperson thereupon declared this resolution duly passed and adopted this 20th day of November, 2024. 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

JUAN FERNANDEZ-BARQUIN, CLERK

By: **Basia Pruna**
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as
to form and legal sufficiency.

Annery Pulgar Alfonso
Bruce Libhaber