

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGENCY AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH AND MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, ACCEPTABLE TO THE CITY MANAGER AND THE CITY ATTORNEY, FOR THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF CERTAIN IMPROVEMENTS ON LOCAL ROADWAYS FOR DELINEATORS AND GREEN PAINT ON BIKE LANES.

WHEREAS, as part of the Transportation Master Plan and Bicycle-Pedestrian Master Plan process, the City of Miami Beach Commission adopted a new modal hierarchy consisting of: 1- Pedestrians, 2- Bicycles, Transit, and Freight, and 3- Private Vehicles; and

WHEREAS, through the master planning process, staff received support from the community and City Commission for segregating and protecting bicycle facilities to reduce conflict with vehicular traffic; and

WHEREAS, in March 2017, City staff met with members of the West Avenue Neighborhood Association (WAVNA) to discuss various operation issues on the bicycle lanes along West Avenue between Lincoln Road and 17th Street; and

WHEREAS, staff observed various vehicles parking on the West Avenue bicycle lanes to access businesses on the east side of the street and deliveries occurring from the bicycle lanes on the west side of the street; and

WHEREAS, the site conditions observed were forcing bicyclists to enter travel lanes to bypass the obstruction, thus increasing the likelihood of conflicts with vehicular traffic; and

WHEREAS, following the review of the site conditions, staff determined that the installation of delineators was warranted to protect the bicycle lanes and eliminate parking violations on the bicycle lanes; and

WHEREAS, to transfer its installation and maintenance responsibilities for delineators and green painted bike lanes, Miami-County is proposing an Intergovernmental Agency Agreement; and

WHEREAS, given the aesthetic appearance of delineators in an urban environment, staff will develop a process consisting of both engineering analysis and public input for future installations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA that the Mayor and City Commission hereby authorize the City Manager to execute of an Intergovernmental Agency Agreement between the City of Miami Beach and Miami-Dade County, acceptable to the City Manager and the City Attorney, for the installation and maintenance of certain improvements on local roadways for delineators and green paint on bicycle lanes.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of July, 2017

ATTEST:

Philip Levine, Mayor

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

City Attorney

7/21/17
Date