

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE CITY'S ATTACHED AD-HOC RESILIENCY COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE'S RESILIENCY COMMUNICATIONS PLAN, WHICH IS A PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION (PPI) FOR FLOOD-RELATED INFORMATION, TO SATISFY NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS FOR CREDIT UNDER THE COMMUNITY RATING SYSTEM.

WHEREAS, the goals of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) are to provide flood insurance to property owners, to encourage flood loss reduction activities by communities, and to save taxpayers' money; and

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Beach (City) participates in the NFIP and the Community Rating System (CRS). The CRS is a voluntary program that provides both incentives and tools to further the above-referenced goals; and

WHEREAS, participation in the CRS saves residents and businesses money by reducing flood insurance premiums; and

WHEREAS, a Program for Public Information (PPI) will help provide activity points to improve the City's CRS score, reduce flood insurance premiums, and complement communications efforts for our Miami Beach Rising Above Resiliency Strategy; and

WHEREAS, the Ad-Hoc Resiliency Communications Committee was created pursuant to Resolution No. 2016-29585 to serve as a Program for Public Information Committee to develop a PPI for consideration and adoption by the City Commission; and

WHEREAS, the attached PPI was developed by the City's PPI Committee according to the seven-step planning and public involvement process defined by the CRS Program; and

WHEREAS, after the attached Program for Public Information has been adopted by the City Commission, an evaluation report will be prepared annually for consideration by the City Commission by a standing Program for Public Information Committee, to be created later this year, and the PPI will be implemented by the Building Department with support by the Communications Department, the Environment and Sustainability Department, and the Public Works Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the attached Resiliency

Communications Plan, which is a Program for Public Information (PPI) for flood-related information, is hereby adopted to satisfy the National Flood Insurance Program requirements for credit under the Community Rating System.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of March, 2017.

ATTEST:

Philip Levine, Mayor

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

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City Attorney *JA*

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Date