

RESOLUTION No. 2006-05-351

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE AND ATTEST, RESPECTIVELY, THAT CERTAIN ADDENDUM TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA AND THE STATE OF FLORIDA OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC DEFENDER FOR THE ELEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF FLORIDA, A COPY OF WHICH IS ATTACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT A; PROVIDING FOR INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CITY CLERK; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Gardens ("CITY") and the State of Florida Office of the Public Defender ("PUBLIC DEFENDER") are currently operating under an agreement whereby the PUBLIC DEFENDER defends indigent people for violations of municipal ordinances, at a rate of Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per hour, and

WHEREAS, the Agreement expired on September 30, 2005, and

WHEREAS, the CITY and the PUBLIC DEFENDER would like to continue their contractual relationship unless and until the Agreement is terminated by the parties,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, as follows:

Section 1. ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2. AUTHORITY: The Mayor and City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute and attest, respectively, that certain Addendum To The Agreement Between The City of Miami Gardens, Florida And The State Of Florida Office

Of The Public Defender For The Eleventh Judicial Circuit Of Florida, a copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

Section 3. INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CITY CLERK: The City Clerk is hereby authorized to obtain three (3) fully executed copies of the subject Agreement, with one to be maintained by the City; with one to be delivered to the Miami-Dade County Office of the Public Defender, and with one to be directed to the Office of City Attorney.

Section 4. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD ON JANUARY 11, 2006.

  
SHIRLEY GIBSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
RONETTA TAYLOR, CMC, CITY CLERK

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City Attorney

SPONSORED BY: DANNY O. CREW, CITY MANAGER

MOVED BY: Councilwoman Watson

SECONDED BY: Vice Mayor Braynon

**VOTE:** 5-0

Mayor Shirley Gibson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No)
Vice Mayor Oscar Braynon, II	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No)
Councilman Aaron Campbell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No)
Councilman Ulysses Harvard	<input type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No) Out of room
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	<input type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No) Abstained
Councilwoman Barbara Watson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Yes)	<input type="checkbox"/> (No)