## **RESOLUTION NO. 17-\_\_\_**

## A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ON S.W. 87 AVENUE AND URGING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMISSIONER DANIELLA LEVINE CAVA TO SUPPORT CONSTRUCTION OF THE BRIDGE ALSO; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Cutler Bay (the "Town") desires to express its support of the construction of a bridge on S.W. 87 Avenue; and

**WHEREAS,** Town residents have expressed their concern regarding the increase of traffic within the Town, and have asked the Town Council to support any means of alleviation of traffic; and

**WHEREAS**, on Wednesday, August 30, 2017, Miami-Dade County Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava held a Public Involvement Meeting to present the traffic study on the proposed bridge project and received public input; and

**WHEREAS,** on Thursday, November 30, 2017, Commissioner Levine Cava hosted a Telephone Town Hall Meeting to further discuss the traffic study and the Town expressed their support of any north/south traffic relief efforts; and

**WHEREAS**, a traffic study presented by Miami-Dade County Traffic Engineers recommends the construction of the bridge to alleviate traffic within the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to move forward with the construction of the bridge, the project must be approved by the Transportation Planning Organization ("TPO") on Thursday, December 7, 2017; and

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner Levine Cava is expected to provide her recommendation to the TPO at the December 7, 2017 meeting, and the Town Council urges her to support the construction of the bridge; and

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. <u>Recitals.</u> The above recitals are true and correct and are incorporated herein by this reference.

<u>Section 2.</u> <u>Support.</u> The Town Council hereby expresses its support of the construction of a bridge along S.W. 87 Avenue and urge Miami-Dade County Commissioner Daniella Levine Cava to express support of the bridge to the TPO.

Section 3. <u>Transmittal by Clerk.</u> The Town Clerk is hereby directed to transmit this Resolution to the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners and the TPO.

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Effective Date</u>. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of December, 2017.

Attest:

PEGGY R. BELL Mayor

DEBRA E. EASTMAN, MMC Town Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE SOLE USE OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY:

WEISS SEROTA HELFMAN COLE & BIERMAN, P.L. Town Attorney

Moved By: \_\_\_\_\_\_Seconded By: \_\_\_\_\_\_

FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION:

Mayor Peggy R. Bell

Vice Mayor Sue Ellen Loyzelle

Council Member Mary Ann Mixon

Council Member Michael P. Callahan

Council Member Roger Coriat