

## **RESOLUTION 19-\_\_**

### **A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF CUTLER BAY, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING MULTIPLE EDWARD BYRNE MEMORIAL JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT ALLOCATIONS FROM THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT FOR TRAINING AND OUTREACH CONDUCTED BY THE CUTLER BAY POLICING UNIT; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Florida Department of Law Enforcement (the “FDLE”) administers the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG), a formula-based, block-grant program from the U.S. Department of Justice (DOJ), with the goal of improving the criminal justice system; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Cutler Bay (the “Town”) is currently eligible for three grant allocations totaling \$20,185.00 (the “Grants”), and desires to use the funding to support a variety of efforts that will improve the safety and security of our residents and officers; and

**WHEREAS**, the Grant would offset the Town’s costs to conduct community outreach, implement a child safety curriculum, and ensure that our Policing Unit receives valuable emergency response training; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council desires to accept the grant allocations and authorize the Town Manager to submit the Town’s Grant applications attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and execute any and all subsequent agreements between the FDLE and the Town; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town Council finds that this Resolution is in the best interest and welfare of the residents of the Town.

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

**Section 1.**      **Recitals.** That each of the above stated recitals is hereby adopted and confirmed.

**Section 2.**      **Grant Acceptance.** The Town Council accepts the Grant allocations totaling \$20,185.00.

**Section 3.**      **Authorization.** The Town Council hereby authorizes the Town Manager or his designee to submit the Town’s Grant applications attached hereto as Exhibit “A” and execute any and all subsequent agreements or documents related to the Grant, subject to the approval of the Town Attorney as to form, content and legal sufficiency.

**Section 4.**      **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_ day of September, 2019.

Attest:

\_\_\_\_\_  
TIM MEERBOTT  
Mayor

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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 Tim Meerbott \_\_\_\_\_

Vice Mayor Sue Ellen Loyzelle \_\_\_\_\_

Council Member Robert "B.J." Duncan \_\_\_\_\_

Council Member Michael P. Callahan \_\_\_\_\_

Council Member Roger Coriat \_\_\_\_\_