## **RESOLUTION NO. 21-53**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF NORTH MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE CONVERSION OF STAFFING OF THE EASTERN SHORES 35<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE GUARDHOUSE FROM CERTIFIED LAW ENFORCEMENT PERSONNEL TO SECURITY GUARDS; AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER OR DESIGNEE TO TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS TO IMPLEMENT THIS RESOLUTION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Eastern Shores Security Guard Taxing District ("District") was created and operated by the Miami-Dade County in 1994/1995 to create additional public improvements and special services; and

**WHEREAS** the additional public improvement and special services are funded by assessments to the property owners in the District, and

**WHEREAS**, In December 2017, the residents voted to transfer the governance of the District from Miami-Dade County to the City and this was effectuated in February 2018, and

**WHEREAS**, In June 2018, the Commission established the Eastern Shores Special Security Guard Special Taxing District Advisory Board to offer advice on service levels and needs; and

**WHEREAS**, the City provides the governance, assessment, operation and maintenance for the District; and

**WHEREAS**, the 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue community guardhouse is staffed by law enforcement personnel and funded by the District; and

WHEREAS, the Advisory Board of the Eastern Shores Special Security Guard Special Taxing District desires to convert the staffing of the 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue guardhouse from law enforcement personnel to security guards

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Mayor and City Commission of the City of North Miami Beach, Florida.

Section 1. The foregoing recitals are true and correct.

**Section 2.** The Mayor and City Commission of the City of north Miami Beach hereby authorizes the conversion of staffing of the 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue guardhouse from law enforcement personnel to security guards.

**Sections 3**. Funding for these services is at the expense of the 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue Eastern Shores Special Security Guard Special Taxing District.

**Section 4.** The City Manager or Designee is authorized to take appropriate actions to implement this Resolution.

Section 5. <u>Effective Date.</u> This Resolution shall be in force and take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** by the City of North Miami Beach City Commission at the regular meeting assembled this  $18^{\text{th}}$  day of May 2021.

ATTEST:

ANDRISE BERNARD, CMC CITY CLERK ANTHONY F. DEFILLIPO MAYOR

(CITY SEAL)

APPROVED AS TO FORM, LANGUAGE AND FOR EXECUTION

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Sponsored: Mayor and City Commission