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**RESOLUTION NO. 2015-101**

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**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE INSTALLATION OF "NO-RIGHT TURN" SIGNS ALONG NORTHBOUND SW 87 AVENUE; REQUESTING THAT MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS WASTE MANAGEMENT DIVISION OF TRAFFIC ENGINEERING INSTALL THE RESTRICTION SIGNS AT MULTIPLE INTERSECTIONS ALONG SW 87<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE BETWEEN SW 184<sup>TH</sup> STREET AND SW 168<sup>TH</sup> STREET; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (Sponsored by Mayor Eugene Flinn)**

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**WHEREAS**, congestion on adjacent residential roads has increased infiltration of traffic through the Palmetto Bay community; and,

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**WHEREAS**, safety concerns and issues related to speeding and cut-through neighborhood traffic has been on-going for a number of years for this neighborhood located in the Village of Palmetto Bay; and,

**WHEREAS**, Miami Dade County (MDC) Public Works Waste Management (PWWM) Division of Traffic Engineering initiated several studies that identified a significant level of infiltration on the network of roadways adjacent to the eastside of SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue between SW 184<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street; and,

**WHEREAS**, modifications to signal timings on adjacent roads to mitigate infiltration has resulted in minimal effectiveness; and,

**WHEREAS**, Miami Dade County (MDC) Public Works Waste Management (PWWM) Division of Traffic Engineering has confirmed their willingness to install "No Right Turn" restriction signs at designated places along SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue between SW 184<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street during the morning traffic peak hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.; and,

**WHEREAS**, the restrictions shall be enforced to allow for the study and determination of the feasibility and desirability of permanent changes relative to address traffic infiltration and speeding in this specified neighborhood; and,

**WHEREAS**, concurrence from two-thirds (2/3) of the affected residents and/or property owners along the entire area encompassed between SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue, SW 84<sup>th</sup> Avenue, SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 184<sup>th</sup> Street must be received in order for PWWM to authorize with the installation of right turn restriction signs; and,

1           WHEREAS, in lieu of concurrence from the affected residents and/or property  
2 owners along this area, the Village Council may pass a resolution after a public hearing; and,  
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4           WHEREAS, the Village held a Public Hearing with residents concerning traffic  
5 calming initiatives relative to this neighborhood on Thursday, September 10, 2015, at 7:00  
6 p.m. in the Village Council Chambers; and  
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8           WHEREAS, the majority of the residents that attended the meeting requested "No  
9 Right Turn" signs along SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue between SW 184<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street; and,  
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11           WHEREAS, the Village Council supports the placement of "No Right Turn" signs  
12 by PWWM to restrict right-turns for northbound traffic along SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue between SW  
13 184<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street for traffic calming initiatives; and  
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15           WHEREAS, the traffic calming initiative shall take place Monday through Friday  
16 between the morning peak hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. for as long as the Village deems  
17 necessary for the safety of the residents and pedestrians along that area.  
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19           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND**  
20 **VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA, AS**  
21 **FOLLOWS:**  
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23           Section 1: The Village Council supports the installation of the "No-Right Turn"  
24 signs along Northbound SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue.  
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26           Section 2: The Village Council hereby requests that *PWWM* installs "*no right turn*"  
27 *restriction signs* to restrict right-turns for northbound traffic along SW 87<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
28 between SW 184<sup>th</sup> Street and SW 168<sup>th</sup> Street Monday through Friday during  
29 morning peak hours of 7:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m. to preserve the safety of the residents  
30 and pedestrians along that area.  
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32           Section 3: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.  
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35           **PASSED and ADOPTED** this 18 day of November 2015.  
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40 Meighan J. Alexander  
41 Village Clerk  
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Eugene Flinn  
Mayor

1 APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE USE  
2 AND RELIANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA ONLY:

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Dexter W. Lehtinen  
Village Attorney

10 FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION:

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12	Council Member Karyn Cunningham	<u>YES</u>
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14	Council Member Tim Schaffer	<u>YES</u>
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16	Council Member Larissa Siegel Lara	<u>YES</u>
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18	Vice-Mayor John DuBois	<u>Absent</u>
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20	Mayor Eugene Flinn	<u>YES</u>
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