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RESOLUTION NO. 09-70

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA; RELATING TO THE BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN MASTER PLAN REPORT, ACCEPTING THE FINAL REPORT DOCUMENTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS; FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE VILLAGE MANAGER TO PROCEED WITH IMPLEMENTATION OF THE REPORT FINDINGS, FOLLOWING IDENTIFICATION AND AVAILABILITY OF APPROPRIATE FUNDING SOURCES; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, The Village of Palmetto Bay entered into an Interlocal Agreement with Miami-Dade County Metropolitan Planning Organization on October 20, 2008 for the development of a Bicycle and Pedestrian master plan; and,

WHEREAS, The Village of Palmetto Bay contracted with The Corradino Group to prepare a Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan for the Village of Palmetto Bay; and,

WHEREAS, The Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan links the existing Village generators with the overall County system which borders Palmetto Bay on both the east and west boundaries, coupled with the Village's municipal circulator routes connected with the Busway, the internal traffic calming implemented in the past several years and the potential Safe Routes to School project, will make Palmetto Bay a model for intermodal suburban communities in Miami-Dade County; and,

WHEREAS, Palmetto Bay's Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan was formulated through intensive public involvement, including conversations with community members, elected officials and Village staff; and,

WHEREAS, the committee selected and prioritized improvements based on six (6) levels of bicycle and pedestrian projects: basic pedestrianism, local connectivity, commuter access, greenways, commercial connectors and policy; and,

WHEREAS, the projects mentioned above were prioritized by the committee on how well it would address the needs and wants of the Village at large, as well as the cost and effectiveness in terms of developing a complete and safe bicycle and pedestrian network; and,

WHEREAS, the final report serves as the Non-Motorized component of the Village's Transportation Element to the Comprehensive Plan; and,

WHEREAS, This Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan will become a component of the Village's 5-Year Capital Improvement Element of the Comprehensive Plan; and,

WHEREAS, funding for the prioritized improvements will be provided through Citizens Independent Transportation Trust (CITT) for improvements providing connection to Miami-Dade

1 County Transit Routes, CITT Transit for all roadway improvements associated with bike lanes and
2 also through available grant funding; and,
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4 **WHEREAS**, The Administration is recommending that the final report is accepted and the
5 Village Manager is authorized to proceed with prioritizing Bicycle and Pedestrian projects identified
6 in the prioritized improvements following identification and availability of appropriate funding
7 sources. ; and,
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10 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE**
11 **COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:**
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13 Section 1: The Village of Palmetto Bay, Florida accepts the final report and authorizes its use
14 as a guide to bicycle and pedestrian mobility within the Village.
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16 Section 2: This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.
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18 **PASSED** and **ADOPTED** this 14th day of September, 2009.
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22 ATTEST:


23 Meighan Rader
24 Village Clerk
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26 Eugene P. Flinn Jr.
27 Mayor
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29 **READ AND APPROVED AS TO FORM:**
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31 Eve Boutsis
32 Village Attorney
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34 **FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION:**
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36 Council Member Ed Feller YES
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38 Council Member Howard J. Tendrich YES
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40 Council Member Shelley Stanczyk YES
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42 Vice-Mayor Brian W. Pariser YES
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44 Mayor Eugene P. Flinn, Jr. YES
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