



1           **WHEREAS**, the Mayor and Village Council desire to encourage the Florida  
2 Legislature to amend state law to protect the health, welfare and safety of Florida's  
3 children by increasing the penalties associated with trespass to school zones or school  
4 safety zones; and

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6           **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND**  
7 **VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA, AS**  
8 **FOLLOWS:**

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10           **Section 1.**    The above whereas clauses are incorporated by reference.

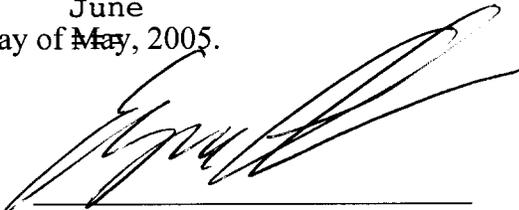
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12           **Section 2.**    The village council seeks the support of all neighboring communities  
13 in Miami-Dade County, Broward County, Palm Beach County and all other affected  
14 communities within Florida to support the village's efforts to lobby the Florida  
15 Legislature to amend the legislation so that the interests of all minor children in the state  
16 of Florida are protected; and ensure that all convicted sexual offenders or sexual  
17 predators found trespassing on school grounds or on school safety zones be prosecuted  
18 for a felony offense.

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20           **Section 3.**    This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

21           **PASSED and ADOPTED** this 6<sup>th</sup> day of <sup>June</sup>~~May~~, 2005.

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24    Attest:

  
25           Meighan Pier  
26           Village Clerk

  
27           Eugene P. Flinn, Jr.  
28           Mayor

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30    APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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34           Eve A. Boutsis,  
35           Nagin Gallop & Figueredo, P.A.  
36           Office of Village Attorney  
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1 FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION:  
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3 Council Member Ed Feller YES  
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5 Council Member Paul Neidhart YES  
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7 Council Member John Breder YES  
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9 Vice-Mayor Linda Robinson YES  
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11 Mayor Eugene P. Flinn, Jr. YES  
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