RESOLUTION No. 15-47

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE CITY'S PARTICIPATION IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY'S "BIKE305 MONTH" INITIATIVE; DECLARING THE MONTH OF MARCH AS "BIKE305 MONTH" IN AND THROUGHOUT THE CITY; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO COLLABORATE WITH MIAMI-DADE COUNTY TO COORDINATE EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE INITIATIVE; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, in 2007, Miami-Dade County, through the Miami-Dade Park, Recreation and Open Spaces Department, adopted the Parks and Open Space Master Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Master Plan's goals include the promotion of healthy lifestyles for county residents and visitors through the provision of quality outdoor recreation opportunities on greenways and trails throughout the County; and

WHEREAS, to bring attention to this effort, Miami-Dade Board County has declared the Month of March as "Bike305 Month" to encourage families to connect to their community by bicycles and promote physical activity; and

WHEREAS, a reduction in automobile travel and the expansion of non-motorized transportation such as bicycling reduces traffic congestion, decreases greenhouse gas emissions, improves air quality, reduces the dependence on foreign oil, and enhances the overall quality of life in a community; and

WHEREAS, the increased activity and daily exercise provided by bicycling improves health, fitness, vitality, and overall well-being; and

WHEREAS, the City of Doral (the "City") has and continues to seeks the way to work with Miami-Dade Count to provide residents with the opportunity to walk and bike on greenways and trails that is a safe and comfortable environment, while allowing them to

learn about the parks, attractions and events along pathways and trails; and

WHEREAS, Staff has recommended that the City participate and model Miami-Dade County in proclaiming March as "Bike305 Month" to encourage families to connect to their community by bicycles and promote physical activity; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to participate in "Bike305 Month" and to show its support by declaring the month of March "Bike305 Month" in and throughout the City of Doral.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

<u>Section 1.</u> The above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

<u>Section 2.</u> <u>Approval.</u> The City's participation in Miami-Dade County's "Bike305 Month" is hereby approved. The month of March is hereby declared "Bike305 Month" in and throughout the City of Doral.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Authorization.</u> The City Manager is hereby authorized to collaborate with Miami-Dade County to coordinate events and activities in the City associated with Bike305 Month.

Section 4. Implementation. The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Effective Date.</u> This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Ruiz who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rodriguez and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Luigi Boria	Yes
Vice Mayor Sandra Ruiz	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes
Councilwoman Ana Maria Rodriguez	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18 day of March, 2015

ATTEST:

CONNIE DIAZ, INTERIM CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE SOLE USE OF THE CITY OF DORAL

WEISS, SEROTA, HELFMAN, COLE, & BIERMAN, PL

CITY ATTORNEY