

**RESOLUTION No. 23-24**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING LEGISLATION THAT WILL MITIGATE THE EFFECTS OF LIME ROCK MINING BLASTS IN THE CITY OF DORAL AND PROVIDE ECONOMIC RELIEF FOR INDIVIDUALS AND BUSINESSES THAT HAVE SUFFERED REAL PROPERTY DAMAGE AS RESULT OF LIME ROCK MINING BLAST; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the negative effects of blasts for lime rock mining activity west of the Florida Turnpike continues to effect the City of Doral residents and business owners; and

**WHEREAS**, based on scientific studies, there is sufficient evidence to support a direct correlation between the intensity of lime rock mining blasts, and its effects on nearby physical structures; and

**WHEREAS**, the City finds it has an obligation on behalf of its residents and business owners to advocate and champion legislation that will mitigate the effects of lime rock mining blasts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council urges its State legislative representatives to pass meaningful legislation that will place limits on the intensity of lime rock mining blasts; and

**WHEREAS**, further, the City urges its State legislative representatives to pass meaningful legislation that will provide a legal avenue to individuals who have suffered from the effect of lime rock mining blasts a path to obtain financial compensation for their losses; and

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

**Section 1. Recitals.** The above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made part hereof by this reference.

**Section 2. Approval.** The Mayor and City Council hereby support the passage of meaningful legislation that will place restrictions on the intensity of lime rock mine blasts, and provide an adequate remedy to individuals and businesses that have suffered economic losses due to the negative effects of lime rock mining activities. The City hereby urges our State legislative representatives to author and champion State legislation that will regulate and restrict the intensity of lime rock blasts, and provide an adequate remedy to individuals and businesses that have suffered economic losses due to the negative effects of lime rock mining activities.

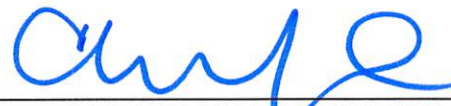
**Section 3. Instructions.** The City Clerk or their designee are authorized and instructed to send a copy of this resolution to our State legislative representatives.

**Section 4. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

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

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| Mayor Christi Fraga         | Yes    |
| Vice Mayor Rafael Pineyro   | Yes    |
| Councilwoman Digna Cabral   | Absent |
| Councilwoman Maureen Porras | Yes    |
| Councilman Oscar Puig-Corve | Yes    |

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8 day of February, 2023.



CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, MMC  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY  
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