

RESOLUTION NO. 12-32

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT PROCESS AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO NEGOTIATE AND ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH MICROSOFT PREMIER SUPPORT SERVICES FOR THE PROVISION OF MICROSOFT INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$20,000.00; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, in 2011, the City of Doral purchased Microsoft Premier Services providing expert services at any level on any Microsoft product; and

WHEREAS, the level of sophistication and complexity of the City's information technology (IT) infrastructure makes it impossible to have expertise on all the technologies currently in use at the City; and

WHEREAS, the Microsoft Premier Support service has been a significant aid in our emergency response, planning, deployment, and daily operations areas and the cost of this service is fixed for government agencies at 8% below the same service for corporations; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-321 of the City Code, Staff respectfully requests that the City Council waive the competitive procurement process and authorize the City Manager to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Microsoft Premier Support Services for the provision of Microsoft IT services in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 as it is in the best interest of the City to obtain said services.

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

Section 1. The City Council of the City of Doral hereby waives the competitive procurement process pursuant to Section 2-321 of the City Code, and authorizes the City Manager to negotiate and enter into an agreement with Microsoft Premier Support Services for the provision of Microsoft IT services in an amount not to exceed \$20,000.00 as it is in the best interest of the City to obtain said services.

Section 2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

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

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Michael DiPietro	Yes
Councilmember Luigi Boria	Yes
Councilmember Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilmember Ana Maria Rodriguez	Absent

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of March, 2012.



JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:



BARBARA HERRERA, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:



JIMMY L. MORALES, CITY ATTORNEY