

RESOLUTION No. 20-35

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADOPT THE STORMWATER VULNERABILITY STUDY COMPLETED IN JANUARY OF 2020; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the Public Works Department (PWD) attended the 2018 Florida Stormwater Association Conference in Sanibel Island, Florida where innovative and forward-thinking ideas and practices are presented to the conference attendees; and

WHEREAS, while attending this conference, a panel discussed the importance and the relationship between stormwater management and groundwater elevation under sea level rise conditions; and

WHEREAS, in order to analyze the impact of sea level rise to the groundwater within the City of Doral, the PWD proposed the Stormwater Vulnerability Study to the Mayor and City Council Members during the May 2019 Council Meeting; and

WHEREAS, Work Order No. 7 for the completion of the Stormwater Vulnerability Study Work Order No. 07 was assigned to ADA Engineering Inc. via Resolution No. 19-123 (approved 5-0); and

WHEREAS, the Stormwater Vulnerability Study was completed in January of 2020 by ADA Engineering Inc.; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of this Stormwater Vulnerability Assessment Report for the City of Doral stormwater infrastructure will assist for future planning and updates of the 5-Year Stormwater Capital Improvement Plan (CIP) which follows the City's strategic goal of "Quality of Place"; and

WHEREAS, the adoption of the Stormwater Vulnerability Study will allow the PWD to incorporate the findings into the 2020 Stormwater Master Plan and CIP update, and will allow the PWD to publish the Study through the American Flood Coalition who the City became a member of via Resolution No. 19-160 (approved 5-0); and

WHEREAS, staff recommends that the City Council approve and authorize the City Manager to adopt the Stormwater Vulnerability Study attached to this Resolution; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND 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 adoption of the Stormwater Vulnerability Study completed in January of 2020 by ADA Engineering, Inc, is hereby approved.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Manager is authorized to adopt the Stormwater Vulnerability Study on behalf of the City in furtherance hereof.

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

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember Mariaca who moved its adoption.

The motion was seconded by Councilmember Cabral and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Christi Fraga	Not Present at Time of Vote
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Absent / Excused
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12 day of February, 2020.



JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:



LUIS FIGUEREDO, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY