

RESOLUTION No. 2010-31-1213

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO TAKE ANY AND ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO PRODUCE THE SECOND ANNUAL BID WHIST TOURNAMENT ON MARCH 18, 2010; PROVIDING FOR THE ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Gardens Parks and Recreation Department offers an array of programs for residents to engage in recreation and socialization, and

WHEREAS, one of the pastimes enjoyed by our residents is the card game Bid Whist, and

WHEREAS, in 2009, Vice Mayor Oliver Gilbert joined efforts with the Parks and Recreation Department to facilitate an Inaugural Bid Whist Tournament, and

WHEREAS, the event was a huge success with 48 teams participating, and

WHEREAS, Vice Mayor Gilbert would like to once again partner with the Parks and Recreation Department to present the Second Annual Bid Whist Tournament on March 18, 2010 at Calder Race Track and Casino, and

WHEREAS, the proposed event will include refreshments, complimentary t-shirt giveaways and cash prizes, and

WHEREAS, Staff estimates that it will cost approximately Six Thousand Dollars (\$6,000.00) to execute all program components, and

WHEREAS, this estimated amount is already allocated in the Parks and Recreation Department's budget,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

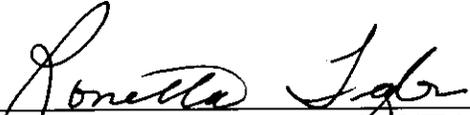
Section 2. AUTHORIZATION: The City Council of the City of Miami Gardens hereby authorizes and directs the City Manager to take any and all steps necessary to produce the Second Annual Bid Whist Tournament to be held at Calder Race Track and Casino on March 18, 2010.

Section 3. EFFECTIVE DATE: This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its final passage.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS AT ITS REGULAR MEETING HELD ON FEBRUARY 10, 2010.


SHIRLEY GIBSON, MAYOR

ATTEST:


RONETTA TAYLOR, MMC CITY CLERK

PREPARED BY: SONJA KNIGHTON DICKENS, ESQ., CITY ATTORNEY

SPONSORED BY: VICE MAYOR OLIVER GILBERT III

MOVED BY: Vice Mayor Gilbert
SECOND BY: Councilwoman Watson

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VOTE: 6-1

Mayor Shirley Gibson	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Vice Mayor Oliver Gilbert, III	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilman Aaron Campbell	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilwoman Barbara Watson	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	<u> </u> (Yes)	<u> X </u> (No)
Councilman André Williams	<u> X </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)



**City of Miami Gardens
Agenda Cover Memo**

Council Meeting Date:	February 10, 2010		Item Type: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	Resolution X	Ordinance	Other	
Fiscal Impact: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	Yes	No	Ordinance Reading: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	1st Reading		2nd Reading	
	X			Public Hearing: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	Yes	No	Yes
Funding Source:	General Fund- Parks & Recreation		Advertising Requirement: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	Yes		No	
Contract/P.O. Required: <i>(Enter X in box)</i>	Yes	No	RFP/RFQ/Bid #:				
		X					
Sponsor Name	Vice Mayor Oliver Gilbert III		Department:	Parks and Recreation Department			

Short Title:

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Staff Summary:

Background

The City of Miami Gardens Parks and Recreation Department offers an array of programming for residents to engage them in recreation and socialization. One of the pastimes enjoyed by our residents is the card game Bid Whist. To further support this pastime, Vice Mayor Gilbert joined efforts with the Parks and Recreation Department to facilitate an inaugural Bid Whist Tournament in 2009. The event was a huge success with 48 teams participating.

Current Situation

Vice Mayor Gilbert would like to once again partner with the Parks and Recreation Department to present the second annual Bid Whist Tournament on March 18, 2010 at Calder Race Track, located at 21001 NW 27th Avenue. The proposed event will include:

**ITEM J-1) CONSENT AGENDA
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2nd Annual Bid Whist Tournament**

- Bid Whist Tournament,
- Food and refreshments,
- Complimentary t-shirt and giveaway for the first 150 registrants,
- Cash prizes for the first, second, and third place teams,
- Two tickets to Jazz in the Gardens for the fourth place team.

While the Bid Whist Tournament is still in the planning stages, staff estimates it will take approximately \$6,000 to execute all program components. This estimated amount is already allocated in the Parks and Recreation budget.

Proposed Action:

Vice Mayor Oliver Gilbert recommends that the City Council adopt the attached resolution, authorizing the City Manager to take any and all steps necessary to implement the second annual Bid Whist Tournament on March 18, 2010.

Attachment:

None