

RESOLUTION NO. 2004-43-94

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI GARDENS
SUPPORTING THE MOVEMENT TOUR AND THE MIAMI
GARDENS MUSIC FESTIVAL; PROVIDING FOR JOINT
SPONSORSHIP; PROVIDING FOR DIRECTIONS TO THE
CITY MANAGER; PROVIDING FOR ADOPTION OF
REPRESENTATIONS; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

WHEREAS, African American voters were denied the right to vote in the past two elections, and

WHEREAS, African American voters were more likely to have their ballots discarded than other groups, and

WHEREAS, The Movement Tour proposes to present The Miami Gardens Music Festival as a youth-oriented Voter Education/Registration event on April 17th, 2004, at Pro Player Stadium, and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Miami Gardens desires to join with The Movement Tour in order to produce this event,

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

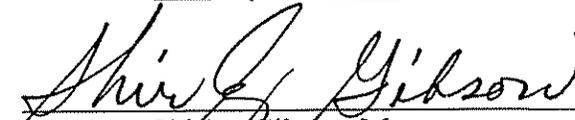
Section 1: ADOPTION OF REPRESENTATIONS: The foregoing Whereas paragraphs are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true, and the same are hereby made a specific part of this Resolution.

Section 2: APPROVAL: The City of Miami Gardens hereby approves the concept of the Miami Gardens Music Festival as a Voter education/registration event on April 17, 2004, at Pro Player Stadium.

Section 3: DIRECTIONS TO THE CITY MANAGER: The City Manager is hereby authorized to assist The Movement Tour in producing this event and to take such actions as necessary to accomplish this.

Section 4: EFFECTIVE DATE. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 10th day of March, 2004.


Shirley Gibson, Mayor

ATTEST:


Ronetta Taylor, CMC
City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:**
Sonja Knighton, City Attorney

Moved by: Councilman Braynon

Seconded by: Councilwoman Watson

VOTE: 7-0

Mayor Gibson	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Vice Mayor Aaron Campbell	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilman Melvin L. Bratton	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilman Oscar Braynon, II	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilwoman Audrey J. King	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilwoman Sharon Pritchett	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)
Councilwoman Barbara Watson	<u> x </u> (Yes)	<u> </u> (No)