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June 8, 2012

Robert Baldwin, City Manager  
City of Dania Beach  
100 West Dania Beach Blvd.  
Dania Beach, Florida 33004

Dear Mr. Baldwin:

Re: City of Dania Beach – Request for Multi-Way Stops Signs

At the May 22, 2012 Board of County Commissioner's meeting, the Board discussed the request from the City of Dania Beach to remove portions of SE 5 Avenue, SE 3 Street, and SE 7 Street from the Traffic Engineering Agreement (TEA) with the City of Dania Beach.

The Board directed staff to provide the City of Dania Beach with language to pass a resolution requesting the reference intersections to be removed from the TEA. Attached for your use and presentation to your City Commission is suggested language for the resolution.

Once your City Commission has approved the resolution, please provide a copy of the approval to my office. This approved resolution, along with an amendment to the TEA, will be scheduled for a future board meeting for discussion and approval.

If you have any questions, please contact Scott Brunner, Director, Traffic Engineering Division at (954) 847-2600.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Bertha Henry", is written over the word "Sincerely,".

Bertha Henry  
County Administrator

cc: Alphonso Jefferson, Jr., Assistant to the County Administrator  
Thomas J. Hutka, P.E., Director, Public Works Department  
Tony Hui, P.E., Deputy Director, Public Works Department  
Scott Brunner, P.E., Director, Traffic Engineering Division

{Suggested Title...}

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DANIA BEACH, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THE REMOVAL OF PORTIONS OF SE 5<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE, SE 3<sup>RD</sup> STREET AND SE 7<sup>TH</sup> STREET FROM THE TRAFFIC ENGINEERING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF DANIA BEACH AND BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; FURTHER, PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

{Suggested WHEREAS clauses...}

**WHEREAS, on June 21, 1994, Broward County ("County") and City of Dania Beach ("City") entered into a Traffic Engineering Agreement ("TEA"), wherein the City granted jurisdictional authority to the County for the installation, operation, and maintenance of traffic control devices on City local roadways; and**

**WHEREAS, the City seeks to exclude portions of SE 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, SE 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and SE 7<sup>th</sup> Street from the subject agreement in order for the City to retain its original jurisdiction on these roadway segments pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 316.006(2)(a) pertaining to the installation, operation, and maintenance of traffic control devices which shall conform to the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) and applicable specifications of the Florida Department of Transportation; and**

**WHEREAS, the City acknowledges that the transfer back of its original jurisdictional authority for traffic control devices requires conformance with the provisions outlined in Florida Statutes Chapter 316 for exercising such powers and authority, and that the City shall be fully responsible for all actual costs of traffic control, operation, maintenance, repair, enforcement, liability insurance, and indemnification associated with such placement and maintenance of traffic control devices; and**

**WHEREAS, the City acknowledges that this request, if agreed to by the County, relieves the County of all statutory traffic control responsibilities and liabilities associated with the excluded portions of the subject roadways;**

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DANIEA BEACH, FLORIDA:**

{Suggested Section 1 language...}

**Section 1. The recitals set forth in the preamble to this Resolution are incorporated by reference herein.**

**Section 2. That the City Commission of the City of Dania Beach, Florida, by adopting this resolution, is seeking to exclude portions of SE 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, SE 3<sup>rd</sup> Street and SE 7<sup>th</sup> Street from the existing TEA with Broward County in order for the City to retain its original traffic control jurisdiction on these roadway segments pursuant to Florida Statutes Section 316.006(2)(a).**