

**RESOLUTION No. 07- 68**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA ADOPTING THE U.S. MAYORS CLIMATE PROTECTION AGREEMENT AS ENDORSED BY THE 73<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS MEETING; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Doral supports proactive measures that protect our environment and preserve the overall health and well-being of our community; and

**WHEREAS**; the U.S. Mayors Climate Protection Agreement [Exhibit A] commits participating cities to take the following three actions:

- Strive to meet or beat the Kyoto Protocol targets in their own communities through actions ranging from anti-sprawl land-use policies to urban forest restoration projects to public information campaigns;
- Urge their state governments, and the federal government, to enact policies and programs to meet or beat the greenhouse gas emission reduction target suggested for the United States in the Kyoto Protocol -- 7% reduction from 1990 levels by 2012;
- Urge the U.S. Congress to pass the bipartisan greenhouse gas reduction legislation which would establish a national emission trading system.

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

**Section 1.** The City Council of the City of Doral, Florida hereby adopts the U.S. Mayor's Climate Protection agreement included herein as Exhibit "A" and commits to taking the actions as listed in the above "whereas" clause.

**Section 2.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Councilwoman Ruiz who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilman Van Name and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilman Michael DiPietro	(Councilman DiPietro had been excused from the meeting at the time of the vote)
Councilwoman Sandra Ruiz	Yes
Councilman Robert Van Name	Yes


PASSED and ADOPTED this 12<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2007.

ATTEST:

  
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JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

  
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BARBARA HERRERA, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

  
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JOHN HEARN, ESQ., CITY ATTORNEY