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# INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT FOR THE MONITORING OF DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY AND ENFORCEMENT OF PERMITTED LAND USES IN ACTIVITY CENTER

This is an Interlocal Agreement, made and entered into by and between: Broward County, a political subdivision of the state of Florida, hereinafter referred to as "County," and City of Miramar, a Florida municipal corporation, created and existing under the laws of the state of Florida, hereinafter referred to as "City," collectively referred to as the "Parties."

- A. This Agreement is entered into pursuant to Section 163.01, Florida Statutes, also known as the "Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969."
- B. It is the purpose and intent of the Parties to permit County and City to make the most efficient use of their respective powers, resources, and capabilities by enabling them to cooperate on the basis of mutual advantage and thereby accomplish the objectives provided for herein in the manner that will best accord with the existing resources available to each of them and with the needs and developments within their respective jurisdictions.
- C. The density and intensity of land uses permitted within each Activity Center is specified within the Broward County Land Use Plan.
- D. City has the Miramar Innovation & Technology Activity Center ("Activity Center") within its jurisdiction.
- E. Pursuant to the requirements of the Broward County Land Use Plan, the Parties wish to provide that the monitoring of development activity and the enforcement of permitted land uses shall be the responsibility of City.

Now, therefore, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, payments, and representations herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

# ARTICLE 1 BACKGROUND; PURPOSE AND INTENT

- 1.1 The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein as if set forth in full hereunder.
- 1.2 It is the purpose and intent of this Interlocal Agreement for County and City, pursuant to Section 163.01, Florida Statutes, as amended, to cooperate and provide for a means by which each governmental entity may exercise its respective powers, privileges, and authorities that they share in common and that each might exercise separately in order to further a common goal.

### ARTICLE 2 MONITORING OF DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITY

- 2.1 City agrees to monitor development activity and to enforce permitted land use densities and intensities within the Activity Center consistent with the effective land use plan, as certified by the Broward County Planning Council.
- 2.2 City agrees to submit semi-annual reports to the Broward County Planning Council setting forth its monitoring and enforcement activities within the Activity Center to enable County to ensure that the density and intensity of land uses within the Activity Center are being complied with by City.

## ARTICLE 3 INDEMNIFICATION

Nothing herein is intended to serve as a waiver of sovereign immunity by any party nor shall anything included herein be construed as consent to be sued by third parties in any matter arising out of this Agreement or any other contract. City and County are state agencies or political subdivisions as defined in Chapter 768.28, Florida Statutes, and agree to be fully responsible for the acts and omissions of their agents or employees to the extent permitted by law.

### ARTICLE 4 MISCELLANEOUS

- 4.1 <u>Joint Preparation</u>: The preparation of this Interlocal Agreement has been a joint effort of the Parties and the resulting document shall not, solely as a matter of judicial construction, be construed more severely against one of the Parties than the other.
- 4.2 <u>Entire Agreement and Modification</u>: This Interlocal Agreement incorporates, supersedes, and includes all prior negotiations, correspondence, conversations,

agreements, or understanding applicable to the matter contained herein. It is further agreed that no change, alteration, or modification in the terms and conditions contained herein shall be effective unless contained in a written document executed with the same formality and of equal dignity herewith.

- 4.3 Public Records: The Parties shall comply with all public records requirements of Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, as may be required by law. As such, City agrees to permit County to examine all records and grants County the right to audit any books, documents, and papers that were generated during the course of administration of the Activity Center. City shall maintain the records, books, documents, and papers associated with this Interlocal Agreement in accordance with Chapter 119, Florida Statutes, as amended.
- 4.4 Recordation/Filing: This Agreement shall be recorded in the public records of Broward County, in accordance with the Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969.
- 4.5 <u>Default</u>: In the event of any default or breach of any of the terms of this Interlocal Agreement, it is specifically acknowledged and agreed that either party shall, in addition to all other remedies which may be available in law or equity, have the right to enforce this Interlocal Agreement by specific performance, injunctive relief, prohibition, or mandamus to compel the other party to abide by the terms of this Interlocal Agreement.
- 4.6 <u>Notices</u>: Whenever either party desires to give notice unto the other, such notice must be in writing, sent by certified United States mail, return receipt requested, addressed to the party for whom it is intended at the place last specified; and the place for giving of notice shall remain such until it shall have been changed by written notice in compliance with the provisions of this paragraph. For the present, the parties designate the following as the respective places for giving of notice:

For County:
Administrator
Broward County Planning Council
115 S. Andrews Avenue, Rm. 307
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33301-4801

For City:

ATTN: Whittingham O. Gordon, City Manager CITY OF MIRAMAR 2300 Civic Center Place Miramar, Florida 33025

4.7 <u>Choice of Law; Waiver of Jury Trial</u>: Any controversies or legal problems arising out of this transaction and any action involving the enforcement or interpretation

of any rights hereunder shall be submitted to the jurisdiction of the state courts of the Seventeenth Judicial Circuit of Broward County, Florida, the venue situs, and shall be governed by the laws of the state of Florida. To encourage prompt and equitable resolution of any litigation that may arise hereunder, each party hereby waives any rights it may have to a trial by jury of any such litigation.

- 4.8 <u>Conflict</u>: In the event that this Interlocal Agreement conflicts with any other agreement pertaining to the monitoring of development activity and the enforcement of the density or intensity of permitted land uses within the Activity Center, the Parties agree that the terms and conditions contained in this Interlocal Agreement shall prevail.
- 4.9 <u>Counterpart Originals</u>: The Parties agree that this Agreement may be executed in counterparts, and that collectively the counterparts shall be considered an original agreement and shall be deemed legally sufficient and binding upon the Parties.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties has Agreement on the respective dates under each Board of County Commissioners, signing by authorized to execute same by Board action 20, and City of Miramar, signing by and the authorized to execute same.	h signature: Broward Count and through its Mayor or on on the day of	ty, through its · Vice-Mayor,
<u>County</u>		
ATTEST:	Broward County, through its Board of County Commission	
County Administrator and ex officio Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of Broward County, Florida	Approved as to form by Office of the Broward Count Andrew J. Meyers, County Governmental Center, Suite 115 South Andrews Avenue Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33 Telephone: (954) 357-7606	aty Attorney Attorney e 423 e 3301
	By Maite Azcoitia Deputy County Attor	

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CITY OF MIRAMAR, FLORIDA

Whittingham O. Gordon, City Manager

Date: 12/29/2021

ATTEST:

Denise A. Gibbs, City Clerk

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency for the use of and reliance by the City of Miramar only:

Austin Pamies Norris Weeks Powell, P.L.L.C

City Attorney

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