SECOND EXTENSION OF EMERGENCY ORDER ISSUED MONDAY, MARCH 16, 2020 BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF HIALEAH, FLORIDA PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 252, FLORIDA STATUTES IN RESPONSE TO THE THREATS POSED BY CORONAVIRUS DISEASE 2019 (COVID19)

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order Number 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the State of Florida as a result of the threat of the spread of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19); and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, County Mayor Carlos Gimenez also declared a countywide state of emergency in response to the first reported case of coronavirus infection in Miami-Dade County; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Donald J. Trump and the Centers for Disease Control issued the "15 Days to Slow the Spread" guidance advising individuals to adopt far-reaching social distancing measures such as avoiding gatherings of more than 10 people and the closure of bars, restaurants, food service establishments and gyms in states with evidence of community spread; and

WHEREAS, since my execution of the First Extension to Emergency Order issued Monday, March 16, 2020 at 10:23 a.m., First Extension having been signed on Monday, March 23, 2020, for the City of Hialeah and in response to the President's and CDC's social distancing guidelines, and in attempt to flatten the curb and slow the spread of the virus in the community, both the Governor and County Mayor continue to issue emergency orders further restricting the public's ability to congregate;

WHEREAS, as of March 27, 2020, County Mayor Carlos Gimenez, subject to few exceptions, (i) has closed until further notice all restaurants, bars, nightclubs, gyms and fitness centers (EO03-20), all non-essential retail and commercial establishments (EO07-20), all hotels, motels, and commercial lodging establishments to non-essential lodgers (EO09-20), all private and public parks, beaches, and recreational facilities (EO06-20); (ii) has implemented the CDC social distancing guidelines and prohibited groups or gatherings of more than 10 people (EO10-20); (iii) has urged persons 65 and older or with underlying medical conditions that would increase the risk of severe illness from COVID-19 to stay home (EO11-20); and (iv) has issued a "stay at home" order for all County residents and visitors (EO12-20);

WHEREAS, all current and future County Emergency Orders combating the spread and addressing the impacts of COVID-19 shall be referred to as the SAFER AT HOME protocols; and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County has the greatest number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in the State of Florida and as of March 27, 2020, the City of Hialeah had 84 positive COVID-19 cases;

WHEREAS, the City has taken action and continues to take action to slow the spread and reduce the impact of the disease in case of an outbreak to protect its population and employees; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, gives authority to political subdivisions to declare a state of local emergency for a limited duration, thereby waiving the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision by law; and

WHEREAS, Coranavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) may require extraordinary and immediate actions by the City of Hialeah in order to maintain order and protect the life, health, safety and welfare of the public;

THEREFORE, in preparation and in response to impending risk to the life, health, safety and welfare posed by Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) and pursuant to the authority provided by Chapter 252.38 and in furtherance of all national, state and county emergency orders issued to date;

In order to safeguard the life, health, safety and welfare of the residents of the City of Hialeah; and

In an attempt to slow the spread and mitigate the potential impact of Coronavirus Disease;

I HEREBY FIND THAT:

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- 1. A state of local emergency continues to exist in the City of Hialeah, Florida.
- 2. Consistent with State Executive Orders 20-51, 20-52, 50-68, 20-69, 20-70, 20-71, 20-82, 20-83 and the SAFER AT HOME protocols promulgated by Miami-Dade County, the emergency management powers as provided by Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, and the City Charter, as Mayor of the City of Hialeah I invoke the power to take whatever prudent actions and issue any and all orders as are necessary within the City of Hialeah to protect the life, health, safety, and welfare of the community and to carry out the provisions of Florida Statutes Sections 252.31 through and including 252.90.
- 3. This Emergency Order shall remain in effect for seven (7) days from the date it is executed or until cancelled, whichever event occurs first.

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ORDERED this 3.77 day of March, 2020 at // 5.2 a.m/ p.m.			
Attest Marbelys Fatjo, City Clerk		Mayor Carlos Herna	andez
In the absence of the Clerk, this Order is signed in the presence of the following witnesses:			
Signature Name:	Date	Signature Name:	Date