

CITY COMMISSION ORDINANCE/RESOLUTION

TITLE: Resolution 21-46 (Administration)

DESCRIPTION: RESOLUTION NO. 21-46

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF COOPER CITY, THE BROWARD SHERIFF'S OFFICE, AND RENAISSANCE CHARTER SCHOOL, INC., FOR SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER SERVICES, ATTACHED HERETO AS EXHIBIT "A" AND INCORPORATED HEREIN; AUTHORIZING AND DIRECTING THE APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO TAKE ANY AND ALL ACTION NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE INTENT OF THIS RESOLUTION; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. (Administration)

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CITY MANAGER RECOMMENDATION:

The City Manager recommends approval of Resolution 21-46, approving and authorizing a triparty agreement between the City, Renaissance Charter School, Inc., and Broward Sheriff's Office that will provide for placement of a School Resource Officer at Renaissance Charter School.

BACKGROUND OF ITEM:

In 2010 the City Commission approved Renaissance Charter School's development order and conditional uses, to include a condition that Renaissance Charter School must maintain a full-time school resource officer onsite.

School resource officers within Cooper City's jurisdiction are staffed by Broward Sheriff's Office (BSO). However, BSO no longer contracts with Charter Schools for this staffing position.

In November 2020, the City Commission approved Resolution 20-11-2 that authorized the execution of a tri-party agreement for placement of a School Resource Officer at Renaissance Charter School, thereby allowing Renaissance to comply with the terms of its conditional used approval.

ANALYSIS:

In order for Renaissance to comply with their conditional use approval, the City Commission has agreed to serve as a funding pass-through, whereby BSO will place a School Resource Officer at Renaissance as part of the City's contract with BSO for police Services. Renaissance Charter School will then reimburse the City monthly for the cost of the school resource officer.

Resolution 21-46 approves and authorizes a similar agreement as the one approved last year, with the same terms and conditions but with an increase in the cost of the SRO position. However, the cost is a pass through per the terms of the agreement.

FISCAL IMPACT:

The expenditure of the SRO position (\$178,498.00) is accounted for as an expenditure and as revenue in the proposed FY 21-22 budget.

ALTERNATIVES:

The Commission may opt to not execute the agreement but Renaissance Charter School will not be in compliance with their development order

ATTACHMENTS:

- 1. Resolution 21-46
- 2. Tri-Party Agreement