TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH RESOLUTION NO. 1232,00

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, IN SUPPORT OF APPROVAL OF THE CERTIFICATE OF NEED APPLICATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF AN OPEN HEART SURGERY SERVICE PROGRAM AT THEIR COMMUNITY HOSPITAL, AVENTURA HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Aventura Hospital and Medical Center is located in close proximity to the Town of Golden Beach and has, for any years, continually provided high quality health services to the residents of our Town and neighboring communities; and

WHEREAS, the Hospital, with 407 acute care beds, provides community residents with a broad range of high quality medical services by approximately 800 medical staff physicians, 1,200 employees and 200 volunteers, with an array of outpatient services including emergency services, ambulatory services, specialty surgery services, diagnostic testing, laboratory services, obstetrics, pediatric service, oncology, psychiatric services, home health care services and many others; and

WHEREAS, our residents are in need of local open heart and cardiovascular surgery services and Aventura Hospital and Medical Center is seeking certificate of need approval from the State of Florida Agency for Health Care Administration to initiate such services;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF GOLDEN BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS

Section 1. The Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach is in support of approval of the certificate of need application and implementation of an open heart surgery service program at their community hospital, Aventura Hospital and Medical Center and recognizes the need for this program for residents of our Community.

Section 2. Conflict. That all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with this Resolution are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 3. Effective Date. That this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon approval of the Town Council.

This Resolution was sponsored by Mayor Addicott

The Motion to adopt the foregoing Resolution was offered by Mayor Addicott, seconded by Councilwoman Chikovsky and on roll call the following vote ensued:

Mayor Addicott
Vice Mayor Feinman
Councilmember Chikovsky
Councilmember Einstein
Councilmember Paruas
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PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Golden Beach this <u>18</u>th day of <u>April</u>, 2000.

ATTEST:

ROSEMARY J. WASCURA

TOWN CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

JOSEPH GELLER TOWN ATTORNEY