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**RESOLUTION NO. R2014-65**

**A RESOLUTION OF WELLINGTON, FLORIDA'S COUNCIL  
APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND  
CLERK TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT  
WITH THE DROWNING PREVENTION COALITION OF  
PALM BEACH COUNTY TO PROVIDE FOR VOUCHERS  
FOR FREE SWIMMING LESSONS UNDER THE "BUCK  
PROGRAM" FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015; AND  
PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, Section 163.01, Florida Statutes, known as the "Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969," authorizes local governments to make the most efficient use of their powers by enabling them to cooperate with other localities on a basis of mutual advantage and thereby to provide services and facilities that will harmonize geographic, economic, population and other factors influencing the needs and development of local communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County was created to generate public awareness of the danger of childhood drowning and implement a water safety program to reduce drowning incidents; and

**WHEREAS**, the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County has proposed an Interlocal Agreement with Wellington to provide for vouchers for free swimming lessons for those individuals under the "Buck Program" who may not otherwise have the ability to afford them; and

**WHEREAS**, Staff recommends that the Village Council approve the Interlocal Agreement with the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County; and

**WHEREAS**, such Interlocal Agreement has been prepared and a copy is attached hereto.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY WELLINGTON, FLORIDA'S COUNCIL** that:

**SECTION 1.** The foregoing recitals are hereby affirmed and ratified.

**SECTION 2.** The Wellington Council hereby approves the Interlocal Agreement with the Drowning Prevention Coalition of Palm Beach County, attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and hereby authorizes the Mayor and Clerk to execute the Agreement.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 11<sup>th</sup> day of November , 2014.

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2 **ATTEST:**

**WELLINGTON**

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5 By: \_\_\_\_\_  
6 Awilda Rodriguez, Wellington Clerk

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Bob Margolis, Mayor

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8 **APPROVED AS TO FORM**  
9 **AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY**

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12 By: \_\_\_\_\_  
13 Laurie Cohen, Village Attorney