RESOLUTION NO. 2073-11

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK, FLORIDA, PURSUANT TO ITS HOME RULE AUTHORITY, DECLARING THAT TWO DOLLARS ($2.00) OF EACH PAID CITATION PURSUANT TO THE MUNICIPAL TRAFFIC LIGHT SAFETY ACT ENACTED BY ORDINANCE IN ARTICLE VI, CHAPTER 98 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF WINTER PARK, SHALL BE DEDICATED AND USED FOR APPROPRIATE POLICE OFFICER TRAINING.

WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida has home rule authority to take any action in the furtherance of the interest of the City of Winter Park and its citizens so long as such action is not expressly prohibited by the Constitution or Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, as authorized by the Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Act, CS/HB 325, signed into law by the Governor of Florida on May 12, 2010 (resulting in the creation of Chapter 2010-80, Laws of Florida), the City by Ordinance has enacted its Traffic Light Safety Act in Chapter 98 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Winter Park; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Mark Wandall Traffic Safety Act and Chapter 98 of the City Code, the City is authorized to receive revenue derived from the operation of the red light camera safety program; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has determined that it will be in the best interest of the citizens of the City of Winter Park that a portion of the revenue derived from the operation of the traffic light safety program enacted pursuant to these authorities shall be devoted to police training.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida as follows:

Section 1. Two dollars ($2.00) of each paid citation as a result of an infraction determined under and pursuant to the authority of Chapter 98 of the City Code, Article VI: The Traffic Light Safety Act, shall be paid over and dedicated solely to appropriate police training as determined by the Chief of Police, consistent with appropriate standards for police training, including those standards set out by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement.

Section 2. The recitals set forth above are hereby adopted and incorporated herein by reference.

Section 3. The City Manager and Chief of Police for the City of Winter Park shall maintain appropriate records showing the amount of such funds dedicated and
utilized for purposes of law enforcement officer training, and showing in reasonable detail the training actually delivered to law enforcement personnel of the City of Winter Park pursuant to the use of the funds dedicated for this purpose pursuant to this Resolution.

Section 4. This Resolution shall be published once in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Winter Park, Florida.

Section 5. This Resolution shall become effectively immediately upon its passage and adoption.

ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Commission of the City of Winter Park, Florida, held at City Hall, Winter Park, Florida on the 24th day of January, 2011.

Kenneth W. Bradley, Mayor

Attest: Cynthia S. Bonham, City Clerk