

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, CONSENTING TO AND CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF RICHARD M. CLEMENTS AS THE CHIEF OF POLICE FOR THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, on April 5, 2019, Chief Daniel J. Oates informed the City Manager via letter of his intent to retire at the expiration of his contract in June 2019; and

WHEREAS, soon thereafter, the City Manager commenced the search to recruit a new Chief of Police for the Miami Beach Police Department (the "Police Department"); and

WHEREAS, the City Manager has appointed Richard M. "Rick" Clements ("Chief Clements") as the new Chief of Police for the City of Miami Beach; and

WHEREAS, Chief Clements has a Bachelor of Science degree in Political Science from the University of Utah; and

WHEREAS, Chief Clements has served with the City's Police Department for twenty-nine (29) years, and is currently the Deputy Chief of Police for the City; and

WHEREAS, Chief Clements' track record in law enforcement demonstrates that he has the leadership skills necessary to lead the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article IV, Section 4.02(b) of the City's Charter, the City Manager has the power to appoint the directors of City departments, except for the City Attorney's Office and the City Clerk's Office, with the consent of the Mayor and the City Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Commission consent to and confirm the appointment of Richard M. Clements as the Chief of Police for the City of Miami Beach, Florida.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED THAT THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, hereby consent to and confirm the appointment of Richard M. "Rick" Clements as Chief of Police for the City of Miami Beach.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 26th day of June, 2019.

ATTEST:

Dan Gelber, Mayor

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney

6/24/19
Date