

ORDINANCE NO. _____

AN ORDINANCE OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2 OF THE MIAMI BEACH CITY CODE, ENTITLED "ADMINISTRATION," BY AMENDING ARTICLE III, ENTITLED "AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES," BY AMENDING DIVISION 18, ENTITLED "SENIOR AFFAIRS COMMITTEE," BY AMENDING SECTION 2-190.13 THEREOF, ENTITLED "COMPOSITION," TO ALLOW SENIOR RESIDENTS RESIDING IN FEDERATION TOWERS TO ALSO BE ELIGIBLE TO SERVE ON THE SENIOR AFFAIRS COMMITTEE; AND, PROVIDING FOR REPEALER, SEVERABILITY, CODIFICATION, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, on April 11, 2018, the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Miami Beach adopted Ordinance No. 2018-4178 (the "Ordinance"), establishing the Senior Affairs Committee to provide senior residents of Miami Beach with the opportunity to represent and articulate the needs of persons 55 years of age and older, to foster increased involvement in the affairs of city government by senior citizen residents, and to provide recommendations to the Mayor and City Commissioners on issues and programs affecting the City's senior citizen population; and

WHEREAS, the Ordinance, codified in Sections 2-190.11 through 2-190.14 of City's Code of Laws and Ordinances ("City Code"), requires for the Committee to be composed of eleven (11) voting members and one nonvoting ex-officio member and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Commission determined that it is in the best interest of the City to amend Section 2-190.13 to allow senior residents residing in Federation Towers to also be eligible to serve on the Senior Affairs Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. Section 2-190.13 of Division 18, of Article III, of Chapter 2 of the City Code, entitled "Administration," is hereby amended as follows:

CHAPTER 2

ADMINISTRATION

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ARTICLE III. AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

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Division 18. Senior Affairs Committee

Sec. 2-190.13. Composition.

The senior affairs committee shall be composed of 124 voting members and one nonvoting ex-officio member as follows:

- (a) Two at-large appointments by the city commission.
- (b) Nine members shall be appointed as follows:
 - (1) An individual selected by the board of directors of Jewish Community Services of South Florida.
 - (2) An administrator selected by the board of trustees for Mount Sinai Medical Center who is not the chief executive officer of Mount Sinai Medical Center.
 - (3) A resident of the Four Freedoms House who shall be recommended by the residents of the Four Freedoms House and ratified by the city commission.
 - (4) A resident of the Blackstone Apartments who shall be recommended by the residents of the Blackstone Apartments and ratified by the city commission.
 - (5) A resident of Stella Maris House selected by the board of directors of Stella Maris House.
 - (6) A resident of Rebecca Towers selected by the board of commissioners of the Miami Beach Housing Authority.
 - (7) A resident of Council Towers North who shall be recommended by the residents of Council Towers North and ratified by the city commission.
 - (8) A resident of Council Towers South who shall be recommended by the residents of Council Towers South and ratified by the city commission.
 - (9) A resident of Federation Towers who shall be recommended by the residents of Federation Towers and ratified by the city commission.
- ~~(9)~~ (10) An individual selected by the board of directors of UNIDAD of Miami Beach.
- (c) The chairperson of the Hispanic Affairs Committee, or the chairperson's designee, shall serve as a nonvoting, ex-officio member.

The members referenced in subsection (a) above shall be 55 years of age or older or have a demonstrated interest and involvement in senior citizen services, issues, activities, or facilities at the time of appointment.

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SECTION 2. CODIFICATION

It is the intention of the Mayor and City Commission of the City of Miami Beach, and it is hereby ordained that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made part of the Miami Beach City Code. The sections of this ordinance may be

renumbered or relettered to accomplish such intention, and the word "ordinance" may be changed to "section," "article," or other appropriate word.

SECTION 3. REPEALER

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY

If any section, subsection, clause or provision of this Ordinance is held invalid, the remainder shall not be affected by such invalidity.

SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.

This Ordinance shall take effect on the ____ day of _____, 2020.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2020.

ATTEST:

Dan Gelber, Mayor

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

(Sponsored by Commissioner Michael Gongora)

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

Rafael Granado 2-4-2020
City Attorney Date
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