

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE FINANCE AND ECONOMIC RESILIENCY COMMITTEE TO ISSUE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR CURB MANAGEMENT SERVICES; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO DEVELOP AND ISSUE THE RFP, AND REQUIRING THAT THE RFP BE TRANSMITTED TO THE CITY COMMISSION VIA LETTER TO COMMISSION (LTC) PRIOR TO ISSUANCE.**

**WHEREAS**, on March 18, 2020, the Mayor and Commission approved referral item no. C4P entitled, "Discuss A Pilot Program With Curbflow, Inc. For Realtime Curb Access Management of Commercial and On-Demand Operators At No Cost To The City of Miami Beach" to the Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee (FERC) for discussion; and

**WHEREAS**, cities throughout the country are increasingly utilizing curb management tools and services to provide efficient parking availability for a variety of services, including freight/commercial loading, food deliveries, parcels, and ride sharing services; and

**WHEREAS**, Curbflow, Inc. provides curb management services related to these uses through a reservation platform to secure brief time slots at designated curbside parking spaces for third party purveyors/service providers; assess a fee to purveyors for said service which results in no expense to the City; and has state-of-the-art technology to monitor and assist the City in managing curbside availability through digitized loading zones, enforcement, and automated analytics; and

**WHEREAS**, the use of curbside parking for the purposes of freight loading zones (FLZ) requires an annual or semi-annual permit fee of \$364 or \$182, respectively, (infrequent users may pay the hourly metered parking fee); and this permit fee is established in the Miami Beach City Code; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Attorney has opined that the introduction of a third party curb management/reservation service (and their related fees) would require all purveyors/delivery services to utilize the third party service; and an amendment to the City Code would be required to establish a provision for curb management/reservation service and related fees; and

**WHEREAS**, a competitive procurement in the form of a Request for Proposals (RFP) establishing a one year pilot is recommended to determine the effectiveness and viability of curb management services; and if the pilot is deemed successful, executing a full term agreement for curb management services; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 12, 2020, the Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee approved a motion directing the Administration to proceed with the development and issuance of an RFP for curb management services with the goal of first establishing a one year pilot prior to executing a full term agreement.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA**, that, the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept and approve the recommendation of the Finance and Resiliency Committee to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for curb management services; authorizing the City Manager to develop and issue the RFP, and requiring that the RFP be transmitted to the City Commission prior to issuance.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of July, 2020.

**ATTEST:**

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Dan Gelber, Mayor

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

**APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION**

  
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City Attorney *RAP*

*7/8/20*  
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Date