

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

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE A GRANT AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND MIAMI BEACH WATERSPORTS CENTER INC., IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT NOT OF \$85,000, TO SUPPORT PROGRAMMING NEEDS AT THE RONALD W. SHANE CENTER.**

**WHEREAS**, Miami Beach Watersports Center Inc., a not-for-profit Florida corporation, has a long-term ground lease with the City for the property located at 6500 Indian Creek Drive (The Ronald W, Shane Center, "the Center"); and

**WHEREAS**, Miami Beach Watersports Center Inc. operates the Miami Beach Rowing Club, a premier rowing club which has undertaken a para-rowing program ("the Program") for rowers with a disability; and

**WHEREAS**, the Program has grown in popularity and needs financial assistance to expand, with the cost to operate the expanded Program estimated at \$160,000 annually; and

**WHEREAS**, as part of the Parks and Recreation Department's FY 20/21 Current Service Level Budget, \$85,000.00 has been earmarked to partially fund needs at the Center; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends executing a Grant Agreement with Miami Beach Watersports Center, to support the expansion of the Program as well as other needs; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the Grant Agreement, Miami Beach Watersports Center shall provide priority in the Program to Miami Beach Residents and U.S. Military Service Members; and

**WHEREAS**, the Grant Agreement will require the Miami Beach Watersports Center to provide a report on the number of participants trained, how the funds were spent and the Program's accomplishments in relationship to the funds provided by the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends that the Mayor and City Commission authorize the City Manager to execute a Grant 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 authorize the City Manager to execute a Grant Agreement between the City and Miami Beach Watersports Center Inc., in the total amount of \$85,000, to support programming needs at the Ronald W. Shane Center.

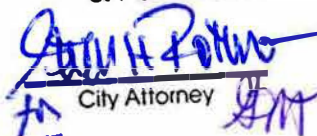
**PASSED and ADOPTED** this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2020.

**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

10/27/2020  
Date