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COMMISSION MEMORANDUM

TO: MAYOR DAN GELBER
MEMBERS OF THE CITY COMMISSION
ALINA T. HUDAK, CITY MANAGER

FROM: RAFAEL PAZ, ACTING CITY ATTORNEY



DATE: MAY 12, 2021

SUBJECT: A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ESTABLISHING THE "AD HOC NEIGHBORHOOD RESILIENCY PROJECTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE," FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR (SUBJECT TO EARLIER OR LATER SUNSET BY CITY COMMISSION) TO ADVISE THE ADMINISTRATION AND CITY COMMISSION IN CONNECTION WITH THE CITY'S RESILIENCY PROJECTS IN ORDER TO IMPROVE PLANNING AND DELIVERY OF THESE CRITICAL PROJECTS; PRESCRIBING THE PURPOSE, POWERS AND DUTIES, COMPOSITION, TERMS OF OFFICE, KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERIENCE OF THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS; AND, PROVIDING FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE LIAISON TO THE COMMITTEE.

The above-referenced Resolution has been prepared at the request of Commissioner Mark Samuelian.

The City of Miami Beach has launched several resiliency projects to combat flooding, and address sea level rise, including First Street Neighborhood Improvement Project, the Indian Creek Flood Mitigation Project, the West Avenue Neighborhood Improvement Project, and the Palm and Hibiscus Neighborhood Infrastructure Improvement Project, all of which could dramatically impact residents, private properties, and businesses.

Commissioner Mark Samuelian has sponsored this Resolution, which shall establish an ad hoc Neighborhood Resiliency Projects Advisory Committee ("Committee") for a period of one year. As set forth in Exhibit "A" attached to the Resolution, the Committee would be tasked solely with making advisory recommendations to the City Manager and the City Commission, on neighborhood and private property matters related to the City resiliency projects in order to help improve planning and delivery of these critical projects by incorporating resident ideas and feedback.

Exhibit "A" outlines the purpose and powers of the Committee, membership composition, and administrative liaisons to the Committee.

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