

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE FINANCE AND ECONOMIC RESILIENCY COMMITTEE, TO PROVIDE A ONE-TIME MATCHING FUND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,000 ("CITY'S CONTRIBUTION"), FOR EQUIPMENT FOR THE PROSTART KITCHEN AT MIAMI BEACH SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL, TO BE MATCHED BY A CONTRIBUTION FROM THE MIAMI BEACH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ("CHAMBER") IN AN AMOUNT OF AT LEAST \$250,000, AND AN IN-KIND CONTRIBUTION TO RETROFIT THE EXISTING ROOM FROM THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD ("SCHOOL BOARD"), IN AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF AT LEAST \$750,000; AND FURTHER AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE ANY REQUIRED DOCUMENTS OR AGREEMENTS RELATED TO THIS RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, the Education Compact reflects the desire of the Miami Beach community to support excellence in education in the City's public schools and is an investment in the overall enhancement of education for the City's residents; and

WHEREAS, at the February 9, 2022 City Commission meeting, the Mayor and City Commission referred discussion item C4F to the Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee (the "Committee") to discuss providing a one-time matching contribution of \$100,000 in funding towards the cost of implementing a ProStart hospitality training program and kitchen at Miami Beach Senior High School; and

WHEREAS, ProStart is a nationwide, two-year high school culinary arts and restaurants management program that reaches approximately 130,000 students in more than 1,700 high schools across 50 states, Guam and the District of Columbia. From culinary techniques to management skills, ProStart's industry-driven curriculum provides real-life experience opportunities and builds practical skills and a foundation that will last a lifetime. Students who have completed the requirements of the Prostart program are awarded an industry-recognized certificate, the Prostart National Certificate of Achievement. Students who receive the certificate are eligible for NRAEF scholarship opportunities and course credits at some of the country's leading hospitality and culinary arts colleges and universities; and

WHEREAS, Per the Miami Beach Chamber of Commerce, at least \$250,000 will be raised to support this partnership. Miami-Dade County Public Schools has indicated an in-kind contribution of at least \$750,000 to retrofit the existing student kitchen at Miami Beach Senior High School to accommodate the new equipment; and

WHEREAS, As part of the City's contribution, Miami-Dade County Public Schools will ensure there are at least six (6) culinary classes available each year following completion of the retrofit and new equipment installation for no less than five (5) years including inclusion of the

classes as elective offerings in the Miami Beach Senior High School master schedule and marketing of the program annually to students during student subject selection; and

WHEREAS, at the April 29, 2022 Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee meeting, the Committee recommended that the City allocate matching funds in the amount of \$100,000 to support the cost of implementing a ProStart hospitality training program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept the recommendation of the Finance and Economic Resiliency Committee to provide a one-time matching fund in the amount of \$100,000 ("City's Contribution"), for equipment for the ProStart Kitchen at Miami Beach Senior High School, to be matched by a contribution from the Miami Beach Chamber of Commerce ("Chamber") in an amount of at least \$250,000, and an in-kind contribution to retrofit the existing room from the Miami-Dade County Public School Board ("School Board"), in an estimated amount of at least \$750,000; and further authorize the City Manager to execute any required documents or agreements related to this resolution.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____ 2022.

ATTEST:

RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK

DAN GELBER, MAYOR

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION



City Attorney

5-2-22
Date