RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE CITY'S COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN (CEMP).

WHEREAS, Chapter 252 of Florida Statutes and Rule 9G-7 assigns the responsibility for disaster mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery to Boards of County Commissioners and requires each County to adopt a Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP); and

WHEREAS, Miami-Dade County has a CEMP under which the City of Miami Beach has conducted pre- and post-disaster operations; and

WHEREAS, it has become apparent following recent events and disasters that the City has certain topographical, cultural, and operational conditions for which planning deviates from – but does not contradict or undermine – those of the County; and

WHEREAS, being prepared for disasters means being ready to respond promptly as hazardous situations occur, to save lives and protect property, as well as to provide relief from suffering; and

WHEREAS, the City of Miami Beach has developed its own Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit A to the Memorandum accompanying this Resolution (the "Miami Beach CEMP");

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Miami Beach CEMP is to provide the framework for the development of detailed operating procedures; and

WHEREAS, the City continues to work closely with the Miami-Dade Office of Emergency Management for coordination of preparedness, mitigation, response and recovery objectives, and the County is aware of and supports planning efforts specific to municipalities; and

WHEREAS, this hyper-local approach to the various levels of emergency management reduces some of the County's burden as well as providing more immediate service to the residents, businesses, and visitors of Miami Beach; and

WHEREAS, the Miami Beach CEMP compliments, rather than detracts from the Miami-Dade County CEMP.

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 of the City of Miami Beach hereby approve and adopt the Miami Beach Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.

PASSED and **ADOPTED** this _____day of _____, 2022.

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Dan Gelber, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

_____ 9/9/2022
City Attorney Date