

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

**RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA (M-DCPS) FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR, SUBJECT TO TWO (2) ADDITIONAL ONE-YEAR EXTENSIONS, BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT OF THE PARTIES; SAID AGREEMENT PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL CITY CONTRIBUTION, IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$45,945.00, WITH M-DCPS FUNDING THE REMAINING COSTS, TO SUPPORT THE CONTINUATION OF THE CITY VPK CLASSROOM AT BISCAYNE BEACH ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, WHICH CLASSROOM SERVES UP TO 20 CITY RESIDENT CHILDREN PURSUANT TO A LOTTERY REGISTRATION SYSTEM.**

**WHEREAS**, on December 9, 2015, the City Commission passed and adopted Resolution No. 2015-29222, authorizing the City Manager to negotiate an agreement (the "Agreement") with the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida (M-DCPS), for the City to provide funding to M-DCPS for one prekindergarten classroom (VPK) at each of the following schools: Biscayne Elementary School and Fienberg/Fisher K-8 Center (the "CMB VPK classrooms"); and

**WHEREAS**, CMB and M-DCPS executed the Agreement, dated February 10, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, the VPK services offered at Biscayne Elementary School and Fienberg-Fisher K-8 Center, under the terms of the Agreement, served the City of Miami Beach resident children from the following four targeted schools (Biscayne Elementary School, Fienberg-Fisher K-8 Center, North Beach Elementary School and South Pointe Elementary School), following the Registration and Lottery Procedures for school years 2016/17, 2017/18, and 2018/19; and

**WHEREAS**, On April 11, 2018, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2018-30259, approving the reduction in funding for the CMB VPK classrooms during the 2018-2019 school year, by approving the removal the CMB VPK class at Fienberg/Fisher K-8 Center and providing funding for fifty percent (50%) of personnel costs for the CMB VPK class at Biscayne Elementary School, serving up to 20 City resident children from the four targeted Miami Beach schools, based upon a lottery system, in an amount not to exceed \$35,000.00, with M-DCPS funding the remaining costs; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 26, 2018, the parties executed Amendment No. 1 to the February 10, 2016 Interlocal Agreement, memorializing that the CMB VPK class at Biscayne Elementary School would be providing the VPK program for the four targeted Miami Beach schools during the 2018-2019 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 5, 2019, the Miami-Dade County Public School Board adopted a resolution relating to Item D-67, renaming the Miami Beach public schools, and Biscayne Elementary School was renamed Biscayne Beach Elementary School; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 5, 2019, the Mayor and City Commission adopted Resolution No. 2019-30840, approving Amendment. No 2 to the Agreement between the City and the School Board of Miami Dade County, for the continuation of the CMB VPK classroom at Biscayne Beach Elementary School for the 2019-2020 school year; subject to two (2) additional one-year

extensions by mutual agreement of the parties, based upon the same financial terms, which included an annual City contribution in the amount not to exceed \$35,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, instead of executing Amendment No. 2, the City and M-DCPS executed a new Interlocal Agreement, dated January 3, 2020, for the 2019-2020 school year; and

**WHEREAS**, the following two year extensions of the CMB VPK program at Biscayne Beach Elementary School were memorialized pursuant to the following two new Interlocal Agreements: an Interlocal Agreement, dated August 2, 2021, covering the period from July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022; and an Interlocal Agreement, dated August 30, 2022, covering the period from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Administration and M-DCPS have agreed to continue the CMB VPK program at Biscayne Beach Elementary School for the 2023-2024 school year, which VPK program is accessible by City resident children who reside within the attendance boundaries of the four selected schools pursuant to a lottery selection process; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager recommends that the Mayor and City Commission approve and authorize the City Manager to execute the Interlocal Agreement with M-DCPS, a copy of which is attached to the City Commission Memorandum accompanying this Resolution, for the 2023-2024 school year; and further authorize the City Manager to extend the Interlocal Agreement for two (2) additional one-year terms, upon mutual agreement of the parties, with the City providing a City contribution, in an amount not to exceed \$45,945.00 per school year, covering approximately 50% of the salary of the teacher and paraprofessional for the CMB VPK classroom, with M-DCPS funding the remaining costs.


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA**, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby approve and authorize the City Manager to execute an Interlocal Agreement with the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida for the 2023-2024 school year, subject to two (2) additional one-year extensions, by mutual agreement of the parties; said Agreement providing for an annual City contribution, in the amount not to exceed \$45,945.00, with M-DCPS funding the remaining costs, to support the continuation of the City VPK classroom at Biscayne Beach Elementary School, which classroom serves up to 20 City resident children pursuant to a lottery registration system.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of April 2023.

**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 *Grillo*      4-12-23  
Date