

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE CITY MANAGER (AS SET FORTH IN THE CITY COMMISSION MEMORANDUM ACCOMPANYING THIS RESOLUTION) AND APPROVING THE RENEWAL OF THE POLICE AND PARKING DEPARTMENT TOWING PERMITS TO BEACH TOWING SERVICES, INC. AND TREMONT TOWING, INC., WITH SAID PERMITS HAVING A THREE (3) YEAR TERM, COMMENCING ON MARCH 1, 2018 AND EXPIRING ON FEBRUARY 28, 2021.

WHEREAS, Article V, Division 2, Sections 106-211 through 106-222, of the Miami Beach City Code, provides for the issuance by the City Commission of towing permits for the towing of vehicles identified by the City as requiring removal from the public way (the Police and Parking Department Towing Permits); and

WHEREAS, on January 11, 2006, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2006-26100, issuing Towing Permits to Beach Towing Services, Inc., and Tremont Towing, Inc. (collectively, the "Permittees") commencing on March 1, 2006, and expiring on February 28, 2009; and

WHEREAS, on January 28, 2009, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2009-26999, extending the Towing Permits issued to Permittees commencing on March 1, 2009, and expiring no later than August 31, 2009; and

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2009, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2009-27151, extending the Towing Permits issued to Permittees, commencing on September 1, 2009 and expiring on the earlier of August 31, 2011, or the date that Tremont Towing, Inc. was required to vacate its then current premises for commencement of construction of the Sunset Harbor Garage Project; and

WHEREAS, on July 13, 2011, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2011-27689, extending the Towing Permits issued to Permittees, commencing on September 1, 2011, and expiring on December 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the term of the Towing Permits issued to Permittees expired on December 31, 2011, and were extended on a month-to-month term through November 30, 2012; and

WHEREAS, on November 14, 2012, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2012-28069, issuing new Towing Permits to Permittees, commencing on December 1, 2012 and expiring on November 30, 2015; and

WHEREAS, on February 11, 2015, the Mayor and City Commission approved Resolution No. 2015-28918, extending the Towing Permits issued to Permittees, commencing on March 1, 2015 and expiring on February 28, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Permittees are the only two service providers which satisfy all the requirements in the Miami Beach City Code and Administrative Rules and Regulations for the Police and Parking Department Towing Permits, including the requirement to provide vehicle storage facilities within the City limits; and

WHEREAS, the removal of improperly parked and disabled vehicles from the public way is a necessary tool for the Police Department and Parking Department to properly manage traffic and parking throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 106-214 of the City's Code, the City Manager has reviewed the Permittees' application and considered all relevant factors, and recommends the approval of two (2) permits and the renewal of Permittees for said permits.

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 accept the recommendation of the City Manager (as set forth in the City Commission Memorandum accompanying this Resolution) and approve the renewal of the Police and Parking Department Towing Permits to Beach Towing Services, Inc. and Tremont Towing, Inc., with said permits having a three (3) year term, commencing on March 1, 2018 and expiring on February 28, 2021.

PASSED and ADOPTED this _____ **day of December, 2017.**

ATTEST:

DAN GELBER, MAYOR

RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK

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APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

22 Oct -
City Attorney

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Date