

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE FINANCE AND CITYWIDE PROJECTS COMMITTEE, AND APPROVING FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$100,000 IN SUPPORT OF VARIOUS CULTURAL ACTIVATIONS DURING MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND, AS FURTHER SPECIFIED AND SET FORTH IN THE COMMISSION MEMORANDUM ACCOMPANYING THIS RESOLUTION; WITH SUCH FUNDING SUBJECT TO AND CONTINGENT UPON AN APPROPRIATION APPROVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION, AS PART OF AN AMENDMENT TO THE FY2017/18 OPERATING BUDGET.

WHEREAS, the Mayor's Blue Ribbon Task Force on Memorial Day Weekend has evaluated and discussed a variety of initiatives to enhance both the safety and cultural vibrancy of activities on Miami Beach during Memorial Day weekend; and

WHEREAS, the Task Force has recommended that the City approve pilot cultural programming during the 2018 Memorial Day weekend, to include a potential gospel concert, spoken word event, welcome/informational center, book readings, an event hosted in collaboration with the NAACP, and other "low impact" cultural activities throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, at the February 23, 2018 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee, the Committee recommended the appropriation of \$100,000 for cultural programming, for certain specified events (and corresponding amounts for each event), as outlined in the Commission Memorandum accompanying this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Finance Department has recommended for the funding to be provided from the Resort Tax Balance, which will require an amendment to the FY17/18 Operating Budget.

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 Finance and Citywide Projects Committee and approve funding in the amount of \$100,000 in support of various cultural activations during Memorial Day Weekend, as further specified and set forth in the Commission Memorandum accompanying this Resolution; with such funding subject to and contingent upon an appropriation approved by the Mayor and City Commission, as part of an amendment to the FY2017/18 Operating Budget.

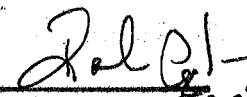
PASSED and ADOPTED this, the _____ day of _____, 2018.

ATTEST:

DAN GELBER, MAYOR

RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

 - 2-27-18

City Attorney *RAP* Date