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A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY ADMINISTRATION TO EXPLORE LINCOLN ROAD AND WASHINGTON AVENUE AS POTENTIAL LOCATIONS FOR AN ART INSTALLATION THAT CELEBRATES DIVERSITY IN OUR COMMUNITY, AS REQUESTED BY THE LGBTQ ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND, REFERRING A DISCUSSION OF THE POTENTAIL FUNDING AND PROPOSED BUDGET FOR SUCH ART INSTALLATION TO THE FINANCE AND CITYWIDE PROJECTS COMMITTEE.

WHEREAS, on May 17, 2017, a discussion item was placed on the City Commission meeting agenda regarding a public art installation that celebrates diversity in our community, as requested by the LGBTQ Advisory Committee. The item was referred to the Art in Public Places Committee; and

WHEREAS, on November 21, 2017, the Art in Public Places Committee met and reviewed the request, per referral from the City Commission, to discuss a public art installation that celebrates diversity in our community as requested by the LGBTQ Advisory Committee. The Art in Public Places Committee made a unanimous motion to defer the item until a funding source and funding amount is identified and provided to the Art in Public Places Committee; and

WHEREAS, at the April 11, 2018 City Commission meeting, a dual referral was placed by Commissioner Micky Steinberg to the Neighborhood/Community Affairs Committee and the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee to discuss moving forward with an art installation that celebrates diversity in our community, as requested by the LGBTQ Advisory Committee; and

WHEREAS, during the September 26, 2018 Neighborhood Community Affairs Committee meeting, the members recommended Lincoln Road and Washington Avenue as potential locations for the art installation, also recommending that a discussion of funding sources (including future capital projects that generate AiPP funding) be referred to the November 30, 2018 Finance Citywide Projects Committee meeting.

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 Neighborhood Community Affairs Committee and authorize the City Administration to explore Lincoln Road and Washington Avenue as potential locations for an art installation that celebrates diversity in our community, as requested by the LGBTQ Advisory Committee; and, referring a discussion of potential funding and proposed budget for such art installation to the Finance and Citywide Projects Committee.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 17th day of October 2018.

	DAN GELBER, MAYOR
ATTEST:	APPROVED AS TO FORM & LANGUAGE
	& FOR EXECUTION
RAFAEL E. GRANADO, CITY CLERK	City Attorney Date