

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

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, WAIVING THE SPECIAL EVENT FEES, IN THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF \$34,203.55, FOR THE MIAMI BEACH GAY PRIDE EVENT TO BE HELD APRIL 8-9, 2017.**

**WHEREAS**, the Gay Business Development Ad Hoc Committee (now the LGBT Advisory Committee) was created in 2008, with the first initiative being the creation of the event known as Miami Beach Gay Pride; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami Beach Gay Pride, Inc. is a Florida not-for-profit corporation that produces free, safe, quality mass-appeal events that are open to all, and that include the Gay Pride Parade, Festival, Expo, and other adjunct, officially sanctioned Miami Beach Gay Pride events; and

**WHEREAS**, Miami Beach Gay Pride has produced eight (8) successful years of events that have generated hotel room nights in Miami Beach; and

**WHEREAS**, the Administration recommends and the Mayor and City Commission approve the waiver of special event fees, in the total amount of \$34,203.55, for the 2017 Miami Beach Gay Pride event, which represents \$250 in application fees, \$500 in permit fees, \$5,250.00 in vehicle beach access passes (35), approximately \$11,069.05 in square footage fees, \$8,557.25 in Lummus Park user fees (based on the 2016 event), and approximately \$8,557.25 in Police and Fire administrative fees.

**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 waive the special event fees, in the total amount of \$34,203.55, for the Miami Beach Gay Pride event to be held April 8-9, 2017.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of February, 2017.

**ATTEST:**

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Philip Levine, Mayor

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

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City Attorney

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Date