RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, APPROVING A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,000 TO MIAMI BEACH LIFE-SAFETY INSTITUTE OF FIRE ("MBLIFE"), A FLORIDA **NOT-FOR-PROFIT** & EMS CORPORATION, TO BE USED FOR ITS CADET PROGRAM, MIAMI BEACH FIRE RESCUE CADET POST #1510, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK AND CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE THE CITY'S STANDARD GRANT AGREEMENT WITH RESPECT TO THE FOREGOING; AND FURTHER, IN VIEW OF THE IMPORTANCE OF THIS ORGANIZATION AND THE PUBLIC PURPOSES SERVED BY THIS PROGRAMMING, DIRECTING THE CITY ADMINISTRATION TO PRIORITIZE THE ALLOCATION OF A \$10,000 GRANT TO MBLIFE FOR ITS CADET PROGRAM, AS PART OF THE CITY'S ANNUAL **BUDGET PROCESS FOR FY2024.**

WHEREAS, Miami Beach Life-safety Institute of Fire & EMS ("MBLIFE") is a 501c(3) not-for profit Florida corporation; and

WHEREAS, MBLIFE's mission is to provide life-safety education and professional certifications to the public at large, to enrich & inspire the Miami Beach community; and

WHEREAS, through its training programs in CPR/AED/First Aid, Lifeguarding, & Fire Safety, MBLIFE empowers everyday people and professionals to handle emergency situations with calm, ease and understanding; and

WHEREAS, in 2021, MBLIFE established its first Cadet program, the Miami Beach Fire Rescue Cadet Post #1510, a program designed for youth who are interested in careers in public safety, EMS & the fire service; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Commission wish to allocate a one-time grant in the total amount of \$10,000 to the Cadet Program, subject to MBLIFE submitting a report by November 1, 2023, documenting the objectives achieved with the grant funding and compliance with all other terms of City's standard grant agreement; and

WHEREAS, further, in view of the importance of MBLIFE's mission and public purposes served thereby, the Mayor and City Commission direct the City Administration to prioritize the allocation of \$10,000 to MBLIFE for its Cadet Program, as part of the City's annual budget process for FY2024.

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 approve a grant in the amount of \$10,000 to Miami Beach Life-Safety Institute Of Fire & Ems ("MBLIFE"), a Florida not-for-profit corporation, to be used for its Cadet Program, Miami Beach Fire Rescue Cadet Post #1510, and authorize the City Clerk and City Manager to execute the City's standard grant agreement with respect to the foregoing; and further, in view of the importance of this organization and the public purposes served by this programming, direct the City Administration to prioritize the allocation of a \$10,000 grant to MBLIFE for its Cadet Program, as part of the City's annual budget process for FY2024.

PASSED and ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2023.

ATTEST:

Dan Gelber, Mayor

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

(Sponsored by Commissioner David Richardson)

APPROVED AS TO FORM & LANGUAGE & FOR EXECUTION

2-14-23 Date City Attorney