

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

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, DIRECTING THE TOURISM AND CULTURE DEPARTMENT TO TAKE ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO CONTRACT ORTHODOX JEWISH SINGER, SONGWRITER, AND PERFORMER MORDECHAI SHAPIRO FOR A PERFORMANCE IN THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH AS PART OF FUTURE MIAMI BEACH LIVE! OR MIAMI BEACH ONSTAGE! PROGRAMMING.**

**WHEREAS**, Mordechai Shapiro is an Orthodox Jewish singer, songwriter, and performer who is known for his positive and uplifting music rooted in Jewish traditions and themes, and he is celebrated for his ability to bring these traditions to life through his powerful performances and uplifting lyrics; and

**WHEREAS**, Shapiro's music is a source of inspiration and comfort for many, and it has the power to bring people together and foster a sense of community and belonging; and

**WHEREAS**, his songs are a celebration of life and a tribute to the power of hope, love, and resilience, they encourage listeners to find the light in the darkness and to look for the positive in even the most challenging situations; and

**WHEREAS**, Shapiro's music is a unifying force that transcends cultural and religious differences and celebrates the human spirit, helping to build bridges between communities and promote a more harmonious and inclusive world.

**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 direct the Tourism and Culture Department to take all steps necessary to contract Orthodox Jewish singer Mordechai Shapiro for a performance in the City of Miami Beach as part of future Miami Beach Live! or Miami Beach Onstage! programming.

**PASSED and ADOPTED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

**ATTEST:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Dan Gelber, Mayor

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Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

(sponsored by Commissioner Ricky Arriola)

APPROVED AS TO  
FORM & LANGUAGE  
& FOR EXECUTION

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City Attorney

2-15-23  
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Date