

ORDINANCE NO. 2026-

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES AMENDING THE CITY CODE, CHAPTER 2, ENTITLED “ADMINISTRATION”, ARTICLE VIII ENTITLED “PROCUREMENT CODE”, SECTION 2-607(24), EXEMPTIONS; SECTION 2-685, COMPETITIVE SEALED BIDDING (FORMAL BID); SECTION 2-688 SMALL PURCHASES; SECTION 2-689 SOLE SOURCES PROCUREMENT; SECTION 2-690 SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT; SECTION 2-691 SPECIAL PROCUREMENT/BID WAIVER; SECTION 2-763 CONTRACT AWARD; SECTION 2-764 APPROVAL OF CHANGE ORDER AND CONTRACT MODIFICATIONS; AND SECTION 2-910 RESOLUTION OF PROTESTED SOLICITATIONS AND AWARDS – FORMAL IN ORDER TO AMEND CERTAIN APPROVAL THRESHOLDS; PROVIDING FOR A REPEALER PROVISION, SEVERABILITY CLAUSE, CODIFICATION, AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the City has determined that updates to the current procurement threshold limits are necessary to review and update; and

WHEREAS, the current limits in place have not been updated since creation of the procurement code and do not accurately reflect the spending needs in the current economy; and

WHEREAS, the current spending limits limit the ability of the city administration to facilitate the necessary purchase in an efficient manner; and

WHEREAS, research was conducted, including but not limited to, the current spending practices of the City, utilizing an inflation index over the past 20 years, and current spending thresholds by other local governmental agencies; and

WHEREAS, the proposed recommendations are aligned with the needs of the city and with fellow agencies, such as Miami-Dade County, the City of Miami and the City of Miami Beach.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES:

SECTION 1. The foregoing “WHEREAS” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and are hereby made a specific part of this Ordinance upon adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. Chapter 2 “Administration” of the Official Code of the City of Coral Gables is hereby amended in Attachment A (changes in ~~strike-through~~ / underline format):

SECTION 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances that are inconsistent or in conflict with the provisions of this Ordinance are repealed.

SECTION 4. If any section, part of section, paragraph, clause, phrase or word of this Ordinance is declared invalid, the remaining provisions of this Ordinance shall not be affected.

SECTION 5. It is the intention of the Commission of the City of Coral Gables, Florida, that the provisions of this Ordinance shall become and be made part of the City of Coral Gables Code of Ordinances; and that the sections of this “ordinance” may be changed to “section”, “article”, or such other appropriate word or phrase in order to accomplish such intentions.

SECTION 6. If the Official Code of the City of Coral Gables Table of Contents or other reference portions is affected by these provisions, then changes are approved as a part of this Ordinance.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall become effective upon adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF _____, A.D. 2026.

APPROVED:

VINCE LAGO
MAYOR

ATTEST:

BILLY Y. URQUIA
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

CRISTINA M. SUÁREZ,
CITY ATTORNEY