

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION 2020-\_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION TO WAIVE THE COMPETITIVE PROCESS OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE FOR BROKER SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE COMPREHENSIVE COMPANIES FOR ADMINISTRATION OF VOLUNTARY SUPPLEMENTAL EMPLOYEE INSURANCE BENEFITS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-501(D) OF THE CITY'S PROCUREMENT CODE.**

**WHEREAS**, on June 2010 the City entered into a Professional Services Agreement with The Comprehensive Companies in response to a bid solicitation issued on April 2009 to establish a contract for the administration of citywide voluntary supplemental insurance employee benefits; and

**WHEREAS**, The Comprehensive Companies was selected as the approved vendor/broker to offer these voluntary benefits directly to City employees through individual payroll deduction,

**WHEREAS**, these supplemental voluntary employee insurance benefits include; short-term disability, long-term disability, critical illness, accident insurance, hospitalization insurance and other supplemental voluntary insurance benefits; and

**WHEREAS**, The Comprehensive Companies shall not be compensated by the City as these voluntary employee benefits programs are offered through a payroll deduction at the employee's expense and the City does not subsidize any portion of the cost; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is solely responsible for collecting the employee paid deductions and transferring these funds to The Comprehensive Companies as payment for the selected benefits; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager desires to continue to allow employees access to the current benefits offered by the Comprehensive Companies without interruption, by entering into a new Professional Services Agreement for brokerage services through December 31, 2021.

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission finds that utilizing the existing contract is in the City's best interest and will allow the City to maintain the pricing structure currently in place;

**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 Resolution upon adoption hereof.

**Section 2.** That the City Commission, pursuant to Section 2-501(d) of the City's Procurement Code, waives the requirements of the Procurement Code and approves a new Professional Services Agreement through December 31, 2021 with The Comprehensive Companies.

**Section. 3** That the City Commission finds that doing so is in the best interests of the City.

**Section 4.** That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF MAY 2020.

(Moved by \_\_\_\_\_, Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_)  
(Passed 0/0 vote)

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RAUL VALDES-FAULI  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

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BILLY Y. URQUIA  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND  
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

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MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS  
CITY ATTORNEY