

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION APPROVING  
“LA FERIA DE SEVILLA” EVENT AS ONE OF THE FIVE  
EVENTS OF THE INTERNATIONAL CULTURAL EVENTS  
PROGRAM.

**WHEREAS**, the International Cultural Events Initiative is a program focused on bringing five high-quality, international, and culturally enriching events to Coral Gables with the purpose of learning and experiencing the culture and ethnicity of other countries for the benefit of residents, businesses, and visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, La Feria de Sevilla in Miami (Seville Fair) is a representation of Spain’s iconic La Feria de Abril. The South Florida edition of La Feria de Abril was launched five years ago as an initiative of the "eXpats Club" to recreate a beloved event that is part of the cultural heritage of Seville for their families to enjoy and served to promote the cultural exchange between Spain and South Florida. Since its inception, it has been held in Key Biscayne; and

**WHEREAS**, in celebration of the City’s centennial and Coral Gables’ Sister Cities relationship with Seville, Spain, moving the event to Coral Gables would highlight the strong cultural and architectural bonds that exist between Coral Gables and Spain.

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

**SECTION 1.** The foregoing “Whereas” clauses are hereby ratified and confirmed as being true and correct and made part of this Resolution upon the adoption hereof.

**SECTION 2.** The City Commission hereby waives a qualifying condition of the International Cultural Events Initiative of a free event and approves La Feria de Seville as one of the five events of the International Cultural Events Program, contingent upon satisfying the conditions set forth by the Special Events Committee.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall become effective upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A.D., 2024.

(Moved: / Seconded: )

(Yeas: / Nays: )

(Vote: )

(Agenda Item: )

APPROVED:

VINCE LAGO  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

BILLY Y. URQUIA  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM  
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