

CITY OF CORAL GABLES,

FLORIDA RESOLUTION NO. 2024-

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION
APPROVING THE “DAY OF THE DEAD” EVENT AS
ONE OF 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, “The Day of the Dead” is one of Mexico’s most important events; is celebrated throughout Mexico on November 1st and 2nd, with the purpose of bringing families together to welcome their loved ones who return from the afterlife; and

WHEREAS, this request has been reviewed by the City’s Special Events Committee and qualifies for this International Cultural Events Initiative program based on the established criteria; and

WHEREAS, the City of Coral Gables will provide in-kind contributions/overhead costs, as specified in the criteria attached, not to exceed the amount of \$20,000.

**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 does hereby approve “The Day of the Dead” event as one of five events of the International Cultural Events Initiative.

SECTION 3. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its adoption herein.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY SEVENTH DAY OF
AUGUST A.D., 2024.**

APPROVED:

VINCE LAGO

MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM
AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

BILLY URQUIA
CITY CLERK

CRISTINA M. SUAREZ
CITY ATTORNEY