CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025 ANNUAL BUDGET TO ADD TWENTY FULL-TIME POSITIONS TO THE BUILDING DIVISION OF THE DEVELOPMENT SERVICES DEPARTMENT AND TO RECOGNIZE A TRANSFER OF \$1,300,000 FROM THE BUILDING DIVISION RESERVE FUND AND TO APPROPRIATE SUCH FUNDS FOR THE RELATED COST OF THE ADDED POSITIONS AND THE REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT.

WHEREAS, the City desires to enhance the building permit process; and

WHEREAS, a preliminary assessment of the building division staffing and equipment needs has been performed; and

WHEREAS, staff recommends the addition of personnel in the building division; and

WHEREAS, there are sufficient funds in the building division reserve fund which use is restricted for the cost of enforcing the Florida Building Code pursuant to Chapter 553 of the Florida Statute; and

WHEREAS, an amendment to the Fiscal Year 2024-2025 annual budget is required to add twenty full-time positions and recognize a transfer of \$1,300,000 from the Building Division reserve fund and to appropriate such funds to the Building division in the General Fund for the related cost of the added positions and the replacement of existing vehicles and equipment;

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

SECTION 1. That 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. Fiscal Year 2024-2025 annual budget is required to add twenty full-time positions to the Building Division of the Development Services Department and recognize a transfer of \$1,300,000 from the Building Division reserve and to appropriate such funds to the Building Division in the General Fund for the related cost of the added positions and the replacement of existing vehicles and equipment.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall become effective on the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTIETH DAY OF JULY, A.D., 2025

APPROVED:

VINCE C. LAGO MAYOR

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

BILLY Y. URQUIA CITY CLERK

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