CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-48

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION, DIRECTING THE CITY MANAGER TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF THE SOCIAL MEDIA PLATFORM TIKTOK ON ANY CITY ISSUED CELL PHONES.

WHEREAS, the City Commission, along with many other American governmental groups has expressed a concern about the use of the TikTok social media platform on government cell phones; and

WHEREAS, currently, the City Manager has already prohibited TikTok and various other applications which may threaten the City's cybersecurity; and

WHEREAS, after reviewing information about those concerns the City Commission wishes to officially direct the City Manager to prohibit users of City-issued cell phones from using the TikTok social media platform;

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.** That the City Commission directs the City Manager to prohibit the downloading or use of the TikTok social media platform on City cell phones.
- **SECTION 3.** That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS FOURTEENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D.,

2023.

(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Anderson)

(Yeas: Cason, Mena, Menendez, Anderson, Lago)

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote) (Agenda Item: C-5)

APPROVED:

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