## CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2020-61**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION REAPPOINTING ARAMIS "MITCH" ALVAREZ AS THE SPECIAL MASTER PRESIDING OVER QUASI-JUDICIAL PUBLIC HEARINGS FOR THE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS, PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 2-302 AND 2-303 OF THE CORAL GABLES ZONING CODE.

WHEREAS, Sections 2-302 and 2-303 of the Coral Gables Zoning Code outline the qualifications and responsibilities of the Special Master presiding over quasi-judicial public hearings for the Board of Architects; and

WHEREAS, the Special Master must have been a registered architect or landscape architect responsible for the design and construction of projects within the City of Coral Gables during the last five (5) years and shall have a minimum of ten (10) years' experience in their profession and shall either be a resident or have their principal place of business in the City of Coral Gables; and

WHEREAS, Aramis "Mitch" Alvarez was appointed as the Special Master presiding over quasi-judicial public hearings for the Board of Architects in Resolution 2017-257 and has served the City well in that capacity and Mr. Alvarez meets and exceeds the qualifications and responsibilities outlined in the Zoning Code and is a longtime resident with an illustrious career designing many significant buildings within the City of Coral Gables and the greater Miami area; and

WHEREAS, the Special Master appointment shall be for a two (2) year term, the individual shall be appointed by the City Manager in consultation with the Board of Architects and approved by the City Commission;

## 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 hereby ratifies the City Manager's reappointment of Aramis "Mitch" Alvarez as the Special Master presiding over quasi-judicial public hearings for the Board of Architects for a two (2) years term.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A.D., 2020.

(Moved: Keon /Seconded: Lago)

(Yeas: Keon, Lago, Mena, Fors, Jr., Valdes-Fauli)

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

APPROVED:

RAUL VALDES-FAULI

**MAYOR** 

ATTEST:

BILLY Y. URQUIA

CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS

CITY ATTORNEY