CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-14

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION AUTHORIZING THE CORAL GABLES COMMUNITY FOUNDATION TO USE ON-STREET PARKING, THE MERRICK HOUSE PARKING LOT, AND TWO TROLLEYS AT THE CITY-RATE DURING THE ANNUAL "TOUR OF KITCHENS" FUNDRAISER ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2020 AND WAIVING PARKING FEES FOR USE OF SAID SPACES.

WHEREAS, the Coral Gables Community Foundation is a nonprofit §501(c)(3) organization, whose mission is to foster programs and initiatives that enhance the quality of life for people living and working in the City Beautiful; and

WHEREAS, the annual Tour of Kitchens is one of the Foundation's largest, most popular, and most successful fundraising events with proceeds benefitting the Coral Gables Community Foundation and the Culinary Arts Program at Coral Gables Senior High School; and

WHEREAS, the Foundation will use on-street parking spaces at various locations including, in front of the homes on the tour, in front of the commercial stops on the tour located on the 4000 block of Ponce de Leon Blvd., along Sevilla Ave. and Almeria Ave. between Salzedo St. and LeJeune Rd.; and

WHEREAS, the Foundation has requested use of the Merrick House parking lot from 10 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. to facilitate visits to a home on the 900 block of Coral Way; and

WHEREAS, the Foundation has requested use of parking spaces around Cocoplum Circle and rental of two Coral Gables trolleys at the city-rate to allow guests to park at Cocoplum Circle and be shuttled by trolley to a home on Edgewater Drive;

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 permission is hereby granted to the Coral Gables Community Foundation to use on-street parking spaces at various locations and the Merrick House parking lot to offer complimentary parking for the annual Tour of Kitchens Fundraiser on February 8, 2020.

SECTION 3. That permission is hereby granted to allow the Coral Gables Community Foundation use of two Coral Gables Trolleys at the city-rate for the annual Tour of Kitchens Fundraiser on February 8, 2020.

SECTION 4. That the City Manager is authorized to waive the parking fees and apply the trolley city-rate for the annual Tour of Kitchens Fundraiser on February 8, 2020.

SECTION 5. That said Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS FOURTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D., 2020.

(Moved: Lago / Seconded: Mena)

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

(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote) (Agenda Item: G-2)

APPROVED:

RAUL VALDES-FAULI MAYOR

ATTEST:

BILLY Y. URQUIA CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND

LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

MIRIAM SOLER RAMOS

CITY ATTORNEY