

CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-83

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION TO AUTHORIZE A BID WAIVER FOR THE RENTAL AND INSTALLATION OF A TEMPORARY TRUSS SYSTEM AND INSTALLATION OF OVERHEAD ART ON GIRALDA PLAZA, AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH AVER PRODUCTIONS FOR A PERIOD OF 6 MONTHS IN THE ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF \$183,829.40 AS A "SPECIAL PROCUREMENT/BID WAIVER," PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-691 OF THE PROCUREMENT CODE.

WHEREAS, Giralda Plaza serves as the City's pedestrian plaza; and

WHEREAS, the City intends to implement an overhead art installation on Giralda Plaza requiring a temporary engineered structural truss system from May 1st through October 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Aver Productions has provided the structural truss systems for all prior overhead installations on Giralda Plaza and possesses unique familiarity with the site's configuration, structural load requirements, anchoring methods, and safety protocols; and

WHEREAS, the City anticipates thousands of residents and visitors will frequent Giralda Plaza during the installation period, making public safety paramount;

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 the adoption hereof.

SECTION 2. That the City Commission does hereby authorize a Bid Waiver pursuant to Section 2-691 of the Procurement Code for the rental and installation of a temporary truss system and installation of overhead art on Giralda Plaza.

SECTION 3. That the City Manager is authorized to enter into a six month contract with Aver Productions in the estimated amount of \$183,829.40.

SECTION 4. That this Resolution shall become effective upon the date of its passage and adoption herein.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS TENTH DAY OF MARCH, A.D., 2026.

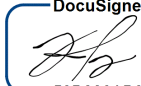
(Moved: Anderson / Seconded: Fernandez)

(Yeas: Fernandez, Lara, Anderson, Castro, Lago)


(Unanimous: 5-0 Vote)

(Agenda Item: H-7)

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