

**CITY OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024- \_\_\_\_\_**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF CORAL GABLES, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO A COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT WITH THE SCHOOL BOARD OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA, FOR PROJECT VICTORY, A PROGRAM THAT ASSISTS YOUNG ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES BY PROVIDING WORK SKILLS AND EMPLOYMENT TRAINING WITHIN THE CITY OF CORAL GABLES.

**WHEREAS**, Project Victory is a program developed by Miami-Dade County Public Schools (“MDCPS”) to prepare students with disabilities for financial, personal/social, and/or independent functioning through the acquisition of employability skills essential for success in the workplace; and

**WHEREAS**, Project Victory is designed for up to 12 students per semester who are enrolled in a Miami-Dade County public school and are referred to Project Victory by their teachers, program specialists, and other school support staff; and

**WHEREAS**, the City has hosted Project Victory the last 2 school years and wishes to continue to host Project Victory at City Hall, the 427 Building and the Public Safety Building to allow students to benefit from on-the-job training and real-life experiences; and

**WHEREAS**, MDCPS will continue to provide an on-site-teacher and paraprofessional job coach that provides instruction, support, and direct supervision to students according to a training plan developed for each student in conjunction with a City representative; and

**WHEREAS**, while working at the City, the City will offer the students employability skills based on the student’s capabilities and experience; and

**WHEREAS**, the City and MDCPS desire to enter into the Cooperative Agreement attached as Exhibit 1 so that the City can continue to host Project Victory and allow students with disabilities to benefit from on-the-job training in various City departments.

**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 the City Commission does hereby authorize the City Manager to enter into the Cooperative Agreement with the School Board of Miami-Dade County, Florida (attached as Exhibit 1) for Project Victory, a program that assists young adults with disabilities by providing

work skills and employment training with the City.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ DAY OF \_\_\_\_\_, A.D.,  
2024.

APPROVED:

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MAYOR

ATTEST:

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BILLY URQUIA  
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL  
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