

RESOLUTION No. 24-128

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE EXPENDITURE OF FUNDS WITH THE LAW FIRM OF GRAY-ROBINSON, P.A. FOR THE PROVISION OF SPECIAL COUNSEL SERVICES AND SPECIALIZED LEGAL ADVISORY SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF DORAL, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED BUDGETED FUNDS; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, On April 10, 2024, upon advice from the Interim City Attorney, the firm of Gray-Robinson, P.A. was selected under the City Manager's expenditure authority of \$30,000 for Special Counsel Services and Specialized Legal Advisory Services.

WHEREAS, Gray-Robinson, P.A. immediately began working with city staff and Mayor and Councilmembers to analyze and recommend changes to the land use code as it relates to extended hours and alcohol beverage regulations.

WHEREAS, it is expected that the expenses related to legal services provided by Gray-Robinson, P.A. will likely exceed the City Manager's authority.

WHEREAS, the City Manager requests that the Mayor and Councilmembers authorize payments associated with special counsel services and specialized legal services from Gray-Robinson, P.A in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Approval & Authorization. The City Council hereby authorizes the expenditure of funds with the law firm of Gray-Robinson, P.A. for the provision of special

counsel services and specialized legal advisory services for the City of Doral in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds from the City Attorney Professional Services Account No. 001.30005.500312

Section 3. Implementation. The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such further action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Puig-Corve who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Pineyro and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Christi Fraga	Yes
Vice Mayor Oscar Puig-Corve	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	Yes
Councilwoman Maureen Porras	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12 day of June, 2024.



CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
FOR THE USE AND RELIANCE OF THE CITY OF DORAL ONLY:



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