

RESOLUTION No. 22-107

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY FIRST GENERATION SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Doral takes pride in enhancing programs to promote higher education to our future generation of students within the City; and

WHEREAS, our community has a vast amount of families who migrate to this country with limited resources and are unable to provide afford college tuition; and

WHEREAS, Florida International University's (FIU) First-General Scholarship Program is supported by innovative matching grant program and is awarded to students whose parents or legal guardians have not earned a bachelor's degree; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to a new initiative by the state of Florida, every \$1 donated to the First-Generation Scholarship Program by a 501 (c) 3 non-profit charitable or an incorporated organization will be matched by the state with \$2.

WHEREAS, FIU connects first-generation students to a quality education and high impact practices that enable them to achieve academic success at all levels.

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

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

Section 2. Approval. The Mayor and City Council hereby and support the initiative of this program and strongly support the First-Generation Scholarship Program, and encourage the City of Doral 501(c)(3) Park & Police 4 Kids, Inc. Foundation to donate between Thirty-Five Thousand to Fifty Thousand dollars (\$35,000.00 to \$50,000.00) to

the First-Generation Scholarship Program, which would be eligible for a 2:1 match through the State of Florida First Generation Matching Grant (FGMG).

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember Cabrera who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Mariaca and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Digna Cabral	Absent / Excused
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilman Oscar Puig-Corve	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 8 day of June, 2022.



JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, 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:



LUIS FIGUEREDO, ESQ.
CITY ATTORNEY