

RESOLUTION No. 20-205

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING A \$5,000.00 DONATION TO THE MIAMI RESCUE MISSION ON BEHALF OF DR. PETE GUTIERREZ IN RECOGNITION FOR HIS TIRELESS WORK THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY, AND HIS GENEROSITY IN PROVIDING PRO BONO MEDICAL GUIDANCE TO THE CITY OF DORAL IN ADDRESSING AND IMPLEMENTING SOUND POLICIES FOR COVID-19 TESTING, RETURNING TO WORK GUIDELINES, AND RETURNING TO THE NEW NORMAL; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the approved and adopted 2019/2020 Fiscal Year Budget for the City of Doral (the “City”) did not contemplate the COVID-19 pandemic, or requiring advise from medical experts to determine best practices for implementing COVID-19 testing procedures; and

WHEREAS, the community continues to experience the effects of the public health emergency that has been declared as a result of the COVID19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, it has been deemed appropriate to recognize the countless hours that Dr. Peter Gutierrez has dedicated to our City by providing testing to our emergency first responders, attending meetings with City officials, and facilitating Citywide workshops via Microsoft Teams to share his experiences in treating COVID-19 and provide answers aimed at reducing employee fear and anxiety; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Pete Gutierrez is the Medical Director for the Miami Rescue Mission, a non-profit organization that has served the homeless and needy of South Florida since 1922, providing emergency shelter, residential programs, job training, education & computer literacy classes, healthcare, transitional housing, permanent

housing, employment opportunities for homeless men, women, and children as well as programs for “at-risk” youth.; and

WHEREAS, the City is desirous in recognizing Dr. Peter Gutierrez for his generous donation of time and expertise to the employees of Doral.

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

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

Section 2. Approval. The City Manager is hereby approved to donate \$5,000.00 to the Miami Rescue Mission on behalf of Dr. Pete Gutierrez.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Manager is authorized to expend City general fund dollars to execute the donation.

Section 4. Implementation. The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such further action as may be necessary to implement the purpose and the provisions of this Resolution.

Section 5. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Christi Fraga	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of October, 2020.



 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