## **RESOLUTION No. 17-106**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ISSUE PAYMENT TO DE ARMAS METAL FOR THE EMERGENCY, TEMPORARY REPAIRS AND BRACING OF THE PRECAST ROOF PARAPET AT THE CITY OF DORAL GOVERNMENT CENTER IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$30,140.00; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, in response to the structural failure of the straps that hold the precast roof parapets at the City of Doral (the "City") Government Center, the Public Works Department ("PWD") hired Eastern Engineering, a sub-consultant of King Engineering, one of the City's prequalified firms, for a structural assessment of the failing straps of the precast roof parapet on the southwest corner of the building, and

WHEREAS, Eastern Engineering inspected the building on February 22, 2017 and submitted a report dated March 20, 2017 that documented serious concerns regarding the eminent failure of other straps and provided guidance on the temporary bracing for the precast concrete panels; and

WHEREAS, on February 24, 2017, a strap of the precast concrete panel at the southeast corner failed, causing a loud snap and vibrations that were felt throughout the building; and

WHEREAS, the PWD requested that De Armas Metal, the vendor that previously braced the northwest corner panels in 2016, provide a proposal for the fabrication and installation of temporary brackets for the southeast and southwest corners of the precast roof parapet; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Manager signed and approved the proposal submitted by De Armas Metal dated March 7, 2017, in the amount of \$30,140.00 in order to proceed with the

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emergency temporary brackets and to ensure the safety and security of all employees and visitors; and

WHEREAS, on February 28, 2017, De Armas Metal commenced with the fabrication and installation of the top brackets of the most affected parapet walls in the building, under Eastern Engineering's supervision and guidance; and

**WHEREAS**, purchase will be funded from the Capital Fund – Improvements Account # 301.80005.500634; and

**WHEREAS**, the PWD has requested and recommended that the City Council authorize the City Manager to proceed with the payment for the emergency temporary bracing of the precast roof parapet at Government Center, at a cost of \$30,140.00.

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 part hereof by this reference.

**Section 2. Approval.** The emergency temporary repairs and bracing of the City of Doral's Government Center's precast roof parapet, as per the proposal dated March 7, 2017, a copy of which is attached hereto in Exhibit "A", and payment to DeArmas Metal in an amount not to exceed \$30,140.00 is hereby approved.

**Section 3. Authorization.** The City Manager is authorized to expend budgeted funds on the behalf of the City.

**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.

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<u>Section 5.</u> <u>Effective Date</u>. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Christi Fraga	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilwoman Ana Maria Rodriguez	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of June, 2017.

JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CONNIE DIAZ, CMC

CITY CLERK

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

WEISS, SEROTA, HELFMAN, COLE & BIERMAN, P.L.

**CITY ATTORNEY** 

## **EXHIBIT "A"**

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