RESOLUTION No. 21-163

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ADD APPROVED RECREATION SERVICE AIDE AND PARK SERVICE AIDE PART TIME POSITIONS INTO THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR BUDGET, AND UTILIZE CURRENT FUNDS AVAILABLE IN THE PARKS AND RECREATION ACCOUNT NO. 001.90005.500130 ALLOTTED FOR THE TEMPORARY PARK AMBASSADOR POSITION TO FUND THE PART TIME RECREATION AND PARK SERVICE AIDE POSITIONS FOR THE REMAINDER OF FY 20-21; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on July 22, 2020 Mayor and Councilmembers approved the establishment of a new temporary position of Part Time Park Ambassador to enforce COVID rules and regulations at City parks; and

WHEREAS, due to the uncertainty of COVID-19 part time positions in the Parks and Recreation Department were not funded as part of the approved FY 20-21 budget; and

WHEREAS, currently all COVID restrictions have been removed and parks have returned to normal pre pandemic operating hours and programming, events and sports have resumed; and

WHEREAS, since we are no longer operating under emergency orders or enforcing park rules and guidelines related to COVID the Park Ambassador job description no longer applies; and

WHEREAS, the current Park Ambassadors are performing duties as outlined in the Recreation and Park Service Aide job descriptions, which are approved positions in the City's Pay Plan approved for FY 20-21. Having employees correctly classified will benefit department operations and in recruiting new part time employees; and

WHEREAS, The City Manager's Office respectfully requests approval from the Mayor and City Councilmembers to authorize the City Manager to add approved Recreation Service Aide and Park Service Aide part time positions into the current fiscal year budget and utilize current funds available in the Parks & Recreation account 001.90005.500130 allotted for the temporary Park Ambassador position to fund the part time Recreation & Park Service Aide positions for the remainder of the current fiscal year.

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

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

Section 2. Approval & Authorization. The Mayor and City Councilmembers authorize the City Manager to add approved Recreation Service Aide and Park Service Aide part time positions into the current fiscal year budget and utilize current funds available in the Parks & Recreation account 001.90005.500130 allotted to the temporary Park Ambassador position to fund the part time Recreation & Park Service Aide positions for the remainder of the current fiscal year.

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

<u>Section 4.</u> <u>Effective Date.</u> This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember Puig-Corve 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 Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilman Oscar Puig-Corve	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11 day of August, 2021.

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JUAN CARLØS 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