RESOLUTION No. 23-103

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BIDDING PROCESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-321 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR A SPECIAL NEEDS SUMMER CAMP; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH KIDS AT MUSIC, LLC, FOR A SPECIAL NEEDS SUMMER CAMP IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$37,660.00; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, in 2015 and 2016, pursuant to Resolution Nos. 15-74 and 16-70, the

City Council for the City of Doral ("City") authorized the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Behavior Links. Inc. for the provision of a summer camp for children with

special needs for the City's Parks & Recreation Department; and

WHEREAS, after the agreement with Behavior Links expired, the Parks & Recreation Department advertised RFP# 2017-09 "Special Needs Camp" on March 9, 2017, for the provision of providing a six-to-nine-week Special Needs Summer Break Camp for participants aged 6-18 at Doral Legacy Park, which was awarded to Behavior Links, Inc.; and

WHEREAS, following the expiration of the agreement with Behavior Links, the Parks & Recreation Department advertised RFP# 2020-12, however, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, no bids were received, and the City has not offered a Special Needs Summer Camp since that time; and

WHEREAS, the Parks & Recreation Department staff contacted five (5) different companies to provide quotes/proposals for a Special Needs Summer Camp; and

WHEREAS, of the proposals received, it was determined that Kids at Music, LLC provides the most compelling option for those seeking a Special Needs Summer Camp, which best serves the needs of the City; and

WHEREAS, Kids at Music, LLC, is able to accommodate a larger number of participants/enrollees, and also offers services to a wider range of ages as compared to the other providers the City sought proposals from; and

WHEREAS, Kids at Music, LLC, also offered the most competitive pricing at \$37,660.00 for a 5-week term compared to Mind and Melody which was \$38,000 4-week term; and

WHEREAS, the dates and times offered by Kids at Music, LLC, will also be able to accommodate more participants from the City's special needs community; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sec. 2-321 of the City Code, for the reasons set forth above, the City Manager's Office respectfully requests approval from the Mayor and City Councilmembers to waive the competitive procurement process, and authorize the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Kids at Music, LLC, in an amount not to exceed of \$37,660.00.

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 a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Approval & Authorization. The Mayor and City Councilmembers, pursuant to Section 2-321 of the City Code, hereby approve the waiver of the competitive bid process and authorize the City Manager to enter into an agreement with Kids at Music, LLC, in an amount not to exceed of \$37,660.00. Funding is available is 001.90005.500340 (Contractual services-other).

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.

Section 4. Effective Date. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

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

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of June, 2023.

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:

VALERIE VICENTE, ESQ. for NABORS, GIBLIN & NICKERSON, P.A. CITY ATTORNEY