RESOLUTION No. 25-144

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-322 OF THE CITY OF DORAL CODE OF ORDINANCES, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ACCESS TIPS CONTRACT No. 220105 FOR THE RENEWAL, MAINTENANCE AND SUPPORT OF THE CITY'S FIREWALL; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the firewall serves as the primary defense against cyber threats. It prevents unauthorized access, malware, and other malicious activities from compromising our sensitive data and systems. A well-maintained firewall ensures the protection of our digital assets, reducing the risk of data breaches, downtime, and potential financial losses resulting from cyberattacks; and

WHEREAS, a robust firewall is crucial for complying with data protection regulations, helping to avoid potential legal penalties and financial risks. Moreover, the subscription ensures timely technical support, access to updates, and expert assistance, all of which collectively contribute to minimizing downtime and strengthening cybersecurity against emerging threats; and

WHEREAS, it's important to note that Section 119.0725 (b), Florida Statutes, creates a public records exemption related to cybersecurity. Specifically, the statute makes confidential and exempt from public record requirements any information related to critical infrastructure. Additionally, any portion of a meeting that might reveal such information is also exempt from public meeting requirements. See Section 119.0725(3), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2-322 of the City's Code of Ordinances, the City

is authorized to purchase supplies, materials, equipment and contractual services which are the subject of contracts through cooperative purchasing ventures, when the best interest of the City would be served thereby; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends that the City Council approve the renewal of firewall maintenance and support in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL 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. Pursuant to section 2-322 of the City Code of Ordinance, and upon the written recommendation of the City Manager, the renewal, maintenance and support of the city's firewall is hereby approved.

Section 3. Authorization. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement, subject to approval as to form and legal sufficiency by the City Attorney, as may be necessary to procure the licenses contemplated herein, and to expend budgeted funds in furtherance hereof.

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

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

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember Reinoso who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Pineyro and upon being put to

a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Christi Fraga	Yes
Vice Mayor Maureen Porras	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	Yes
Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 4 day of June, 2025.

CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

CITY CLERK

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

LORENZO COBIELLA GASTESI, LOPEZ, MESTRE & COBIELLA, PLLC CITY ATTORNEY