

RESOLUTION No. 25-71

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE CREATION AND INSTALLATION OF ART ON THE DORAL CENTRAL PARK WATER TANK BY JONATHAN RAMIREZ, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$60,000.00) WITH A 10% CONTINGENCY FOR A TOTAL NOT TO EXCEED AMOUNT OF SIXTY SIX THOUSAND DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$66,000); AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ARTIST; AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXPEND BUDGETED FUNDS ON BEHALF OF THE CITY; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on June 15, 2015, the City of Doral (the “City”) implemented the Public Arts Program to guide the placement of public art within private and public development projects throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, on August 14, 2024, the Mayor and the City Council adopted Resolution No. 24-196 authorizing Call to Artists and expenditure of up to sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000.00) to be used for creating and installation of art on the Doral Central Park water tank; and

WHEREAS, on September 9, 2024, the City’s Parks & Recreation Department opened a Call to Artists requesting proposals from professional artists and/or artist teams for works of art to be installed on the Doral Central Park water tank; and

WHEREAS, on October 4, 2024, the Call to Artists closed and the Parks and Recreation Department received twenty (20) submittals from artists interested in competing for the final public art commission; and

WHEREAS, on November 18, 2024, an evaluation panel was approved by the City Manager to provide feedback and shortlist submissions for the Council’s review; and

WHEREAS, on December 9, 2024, the Evaluation Panel conducted Phase I Evaluation meeting to review and shortlist the top ten (10) artists submissions; and

WHEREAS, on January 24, 2025, the Evaluation Panel conducted Phase II Evaluation meeting to review and rank the top five (5) artists as follows:

1. Boa Mistura
2. Samara Ash
3. Project Roadmap
4. EDOMIX
5. Jonathan Ramirez; and

WHEREAS, staff also reviewed the top five (5) submissions shortlisted by the committee and recommend Jonathan Ramirez's submission as he is a Doral resident, represented elements of the park and City in his rendering and has a strong interest in having community involvement during the project; and

WHEREAS, funding for the selected mural project is available in the Public Art Program Fund, Account No. 110.90005.500652; and

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 hereby authorize the City Manager to execute an agreement with Jonathan Ramirez for the creation and installation of art on the Doral Central Park water tank in an amount not to exceed \$60,000 with a 10% contingency for a not to exceed amount of \$66,000. Funding is available in the public art fund account 110.90005.500652 (capital outlay-other).

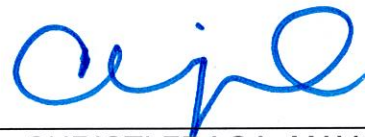
Section 3. Implementation. The City Manager and the City Attorney are hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

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

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Councilmember 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
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	Yes
Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 12 day of March, 2025.



CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:



CONNIE DIAZ, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
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