RESOLUTION No. 25-74

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING A MUNICIPAL SPONSORSHIP TO GLOBAL ACTION COMMUNITY IN THE AMOUNT OF SEVEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS AND 00/100 (\$750.00), PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-79 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, Section 2-79 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Doral ("City") governs municipal sponsorships and provides that each councilmember is allotted \$5,000.00 per fiscal year (contingent upon annual city budget approval), to sponsor eligible applicants whose events, services, and programs support the city's vision, mission, and values as set forth in the city's adopted strategic plan and provide a community benefit; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of this section is to establish procedures for all municipal sponsorships including the disbursement of discretionary funds approved by city councilmembers to sponsor programs, services, events and charitable and civic organizations that serve a municipal purpose; and

WHEREAS, in a continued commitment to supporting non-profit organizations that embody our core values and significantly contribute to the well-being of our community, Councilman Pineyro proposes sponsorship for Global Action Community; and

WHEREAS, this organization not only aligns with our established vision, mission, and values but also demonstrates a commitment to making a substantial impact in Doral: and

WHEREAS, Global Action Community plays a critical role in advocating for vulnerable communities, both in the United States and Latin America. Their mission focuses on promoting, developing, and executing programs to prevent violence in schools, offering a broad spectrum of human development education, advancing human rights, conducting conflict resolution research, empowering vulnerable communities, and facilitating reintegration. The organization was founded by Doral residents and is deeply committed to serving the local community, particularly vulnerable populations such as the elderly; and

WHEREAS, one such initiative is Global Action Community's first-ever Senior Fashion Show, which, with the support of Councilman Pineyro's office, will promote self-confidence, community involvement, and friendship for elderly residents, all at no cost to them; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 2-79 of Municipal Sponsorships, Councilman Rafael Pineyro proposes a donation of \$750.00 (Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars) to Global Action Community; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the proposed municipal sponsorship complies with Section 2-79 of the City's Code of Ordinances, and finds that the donations to the organization serve a municipal purpose.

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

<u>Section 1. Recitals.</u> The above recitals are true and correct and incorporated herein.

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<u>Section 2. Approval & Authorization.</u> The Mayor and City Council hereby approve the municipal sponsorship proposed by Councilman Rafael Pineyro to Global Action Community. The City Manager is hereby authorized to expend the budgeted funds.

<u>Section 3. Implementation.</u> The City Manager is hereby authorized to take such action as may be necessary to implement the provisions of this Resolution.

<u>Section 4. Effective Date.</u> The Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Councilman Rafael Pineyro.

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 12 day of March, 2025.

CHRISTI FRAGĂ, 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:

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