RESOLUTION No. 26-205

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPROVING A SENIOR LEGAL SYMPOSIUM; AUTHORIZING THE USE OF THE DORAL CULTURAL ARTS CENTER FOR THE SENIOR LEGAL SYMPOSIUM; RECOGNIZING NOVEMBER 2026 AS ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH; REQUESTING TO ILLUMINATE THE DORAL GOVERNMENT CENTER IN PURPLE IN HONOR OF ALZHEIMER'S AWARENESS MONTH; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Doral (the "City") is committed to the health, safety, and welfare of its residents, and recognizes its responsibility to protect its most vulnerable residents, including its senior citizens; and

WHEREAS, November 1, 2026 through November 30, 2026 is recognized as Alzheimer's Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, Alzheimer's disease and related dementias affect millions of elderly Americans, causing impaired and cognitive decline making our elderly population vulnerable to financial exploitation, abuse, and neglect and their families; and

WHEREAS, additionally, the elderly and their families frequently face complex legal decisions regarding estate planning, wills, trusts, powers of attorney, advance directives, and guardianship, and often lack access to reliable information on these matters; and

WHEREAS, legal preparation for the possible decline in cognitive ability is of upmost importance to ensure our seniors do not become the victims of elder abuse; and

WHEREAS, in honor of Alzheimer's Awareness month, the City desires to host a Senior Legal Symposium (the "Symposium") at the Doral Cultural Arts Center to provide

seniors with an opportunity to engage directly with members of the legal community and receive information regarding estate planning and guardianship; and

WHEREAS, the Symposium will provide for the participation of the State Attorney's Office, which will share information with seniors on topics including elder fraud, financial exploitation, and the protection of vulnerable adults; and

WHEREAS, the color purple is the color recognized for Alzheimer's awareness, and illuminating City Hall in purple will demonstrate the City's support for residents and families affected by Alzheimer's disease; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and the City Council find that this Resolution is in the best interest of the City and its residents.

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 part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Senior Legal Symposium. The Mayor and the City Council hereby approve the Senior Legal Symposium and authorize the use of the Doral Cultural Arts Center for the Symposium, which shall provide seniors with an opportunity to engage with the legal community and receive information regarding estate planning and guardianship.

Section 3. Illumination of City Hall. City Hall shall be illuminated in purple from November 1, 2026 through November 30, 2026 in honor of Alzheimer's Awareness Month.

Section 4. Implementation. Councilwoman Reinoso's office will work with the City Manager and City Attorney's Office to organize and host the Senior Legal

Symposium on an agreed upon and available date during the month of November. The City Manager and City Attorney are authorized to take any additional actions necessary to implement this Resolution, including making any modifications, executing any documents and addendums as necessary to effectuate this Resolution, provided that such actions remain consistent with the Council's intent.

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

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso.

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

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 7 day of October, 2026.

CHRISTI FRAGA, MAYOR

ATTEST:

CONNIE DIAZ, MMC
CITY CLERK

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY
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