

**RESOLUTION No. 21-160**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, WAIVING THE COMPETITIVE BID PROCESS PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-321 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN THE WORLD COUNCIL ON CITY DATA ISO 37120, 37122 AND ANY OTHER SUBSEQUENT CERTIFICATION AND REGISTRATION AGREEMENTS IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED BUDGETED FUNDS; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE**

**WHEREAS**, WCCD created the first international certification system and Global Cities Registry™ for ISO 37120, a globally comparative international standard on city metrics. On Wednesday, October 16, 2017, the World Council on City Data officially recognized the City of Doral with ISO 37210 Platinum certification. Cities are certified based on the recommendation of an independent third-party verifier who reviews the city data; ensuring conformity with the definition and methodologies of ISO 37120. In 2017, the City of Doral was the fourth city to receive ISO 37120 certification in the United States, joining a global network of over 50 cities worldwide; and

**WHEREAS**, In July 2021, the City of Doral has been registered in the WCCD Global Cities Registry™ for ISO 37122 – Indicators for Smart Cities - for the year 2021. The City of Doral is one of the first cities globally and the first American City to be WCCD certified under this new ISO Standard, ISO 37122 Sustainable Cities and Communities – Indicators for Smart Cities as part of a cohort of Early Adopters. This certification positions Doral as a WCCD ISO 37122 Early Adopter City, joining an early cohort of approximately 10 cities from around the world committed to harnessing standardized city data to drive a citizen-focused approach to smart service delivery; and

**WHEREAS**, The City has made significant investments as part of its commitment to resiliency, workability and sustainable environment working on improvement of our

service and the well-being of the City. With this certification, we strengthen our digital government transformation by providing people and business first services and solutions that span city administration and citizen services, enabling increased insight, service efficiency and improved citizen outcomes; and

**WHEREAS**, City staff recommends waiving competitive bidding and procurement requirements and authorizing the City Manager to sign the World Council on City Data ISO 37120, 37122 and any other subsequent Certification and Registration Agreements in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Doral's Code Section 2.321 authorizes Council to waive the bidding process under certain factors. To that end, WCCD is the global leader in standardized city data that helps to create smart, sustainable, resilient, and prosperous cities. The City of Doral is a valuable contributor to this global network of data driven cities, allowing for insightful city-to-city comparisons, and learning opportunities. The City of Doral's membership in the WCCD gives the city the opportunity to compare best practices with other cities and actively participate in a worldwide organization that uses standardized metrics to find innovative solutions to shared challenges; and

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

**Section 1. Recitals.** The foregoing recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

**Section 2. Authorization.** The City Manager is hereby authorized to sign the World Council on City Data (WCCD) ISO 37120, 37122 and any other subsequent certification and registration agreement in an amount not to exceed budgeted funds.

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

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

Mayor Juan Carlos Bermudez	Yes
Vice Mayor Pete Cabrera	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilwoman Claudia Mariaca	Yes
Councilman Oscar Puig-Corve	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 11 day of August, 2021.

  
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JUAN CARLOS BERMUDEZ, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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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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LUIS FIGUEREDO, ESQ.  
CITY ATTORNEY