RESOLUTION No. 24-21

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO APPROVE THE RENEWAL OF THE CITY'S VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORK (VPN) SOLUTION LICENSES FROM CDW IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$32,120.50, FOR A ONE (1) YEAR TERM UTILIZING TIPS CONTRACT No. 230105; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, the City of Doral's ("City") VPN solution has been instrumental in ensuring secure remote access for our employees, allowing them to work efficiently and securely from various locations while maintaining the confidentiality and integrity of our data; and

WHEREAS, Section 119.0725 (b), Florida Statutes, creates a public records exemption related to cybersecurity, classifying as confidential and exempt from public record requirements any information related to critical infrastructure, such as the equipment proposed to be purchased by this resolution; and

WHEREAS, given the sensitive and confidential nature of this purchase and to ensure the security of government systems and data, the proposal/contract with the specific product name and details are not included in the published agenda; and

WHEREAS, the renewal is being purchased via TIPS Contract 230105 as a competitively procured cooperative agreement authorized pursuant to Section 2-322 of the City's Purchasing code; and

WHEREAS, the City's IT department reviewed different security solutions and selected this one as the best solution based upon the City's needs; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager's Office respectfully requests that the Mayor and City Councilmembers authorize the purchase of a renewal of the City's Virtual Private Network (VPN) solution licenses from CDW in an amount not to exceed \$32,120.50 utilizing TIPS Contract #230105, which funds are allocated in the IT Maintenance and Repair Account #: 001.22005.500460.

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

<u>Section 1.</u> Recitals. The above recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Approval and Authorization. The purchase of a one-year renewal of the City's Virtual Private Network (VPN) from CDW in an amount not to exceed \$32,120.50, utilizing TIPS Contract #230105, is hereby approved. The City Manager is further authorized to expend budgeted funds as provided for herein.

<u>Section 3.</u> <u>Implementation.</u> 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 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The foregoing Resolution was offered by Vice Mayor Puig-Corve 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 Oscar Puig-Corve	Yes
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	Yes
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	Yes
Councilwoman Maureen Porras	Yes

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of February, 2024.

CHRISTI FRAGA, 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:

VALERIE VICENTE, ESQ. for

NABORS, GIBLIN & NICKERSON, P.A.

CITY ATTORNEY