

RESOLUTION No. 24-

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, AUTHORIZING A MUNICIPAL SPONSORSHIP TO VICTORY FOR YOUTH INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00, PURSUANT TO SECTION 2-79 OF THE CITY'S CODE OF ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR AUTHORIZATION; 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 per fiscal year (contingent upon annual city budget approval), to sponsor special events for eligible applicants whose events and programs support the City's mission and provide a community benefit; and

WHEREAS, Victory For Youth Inc. was founded over 25 years ago to provide emotional and spiritual support and food for children under the custody of the Department of Children and Families' (DCF) Child Protective Services; and

WHEREAS, the widespread success of the Victory for Youth Program resulted in the need for more chaplains, and a partnership with DCF and Baptist Health was borne to formally train people for the role of Voluntary Chaplain; and

WHEREAS, as Victory for Youth's Voluntary Chaplain project flourished, the Share Your Heart program was created so children and families receiving counseling could easily access the essential life needs (food, clothing, housing, etc.) they so desperately needed; and

WHEREAS, Victory for Youth has trained over 600 Voluntary Chaplains, and the Share Your Heart Program has provided essential life needs to over 1,000,000 people in Miami Dade County alone; and

WHEREAS, today Share Your Heart is a lifeline for women, children, and families who are victims of domestic violence, human trafficking, natural disasters, and food insecurity situations, and the only program office is located on the east side of the county at 2400 South Dixie Highway; and

WHEREAS, the population growth in Doral and on the west side of Miami-Dade County is exponential and needs a Share Your Heart program close to where clients will have an easier time accessing services and essential life needs; and

WHEREAS, a group of volunteers from Doral have taken on the challenge to raise funds for the Share Your Heart West Miami-Dade County location by hosting a luncheon on Friday, May 10, 2024 in Doral; and

WHEREAS, Vice Mayor Oscar Puig-Corvé wishes to sponsor this event by donating \$2,000 in compliance with Section 2-79 of the City Code of Ordinances, and finds that this donation serves a municipal purpose.

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 true and correct and incorporated herein.

Section 2. Approval & Authorization. The Mayor and City Council hereby approve the municipal sponsorship proposed by Vice Mayor Oscar Puig-Corvé to the Victory for Youth Inc. program known as Share Your Heart in furtherance of the establishment of a West Miami-Dade County location, and said donation serves a municipal purpose. The City Manager is hereby authorized to expend the budgeted funds.

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

Section 4. Effective Date. The Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Vice Mayor Oscar Puig-Corve.

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

Mayor Christi Fraga	_____
Vice Mayor Oscar Puig-Corve	_____
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	_____
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	_____
Councilwoman Maureen Porras	_____

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 10 day of April, 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:

GREENSPOON MARDER, LLP
INTERIM CITY ATTORNEY