

RESOLUTION No. 25-

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DORAL, FLORIDA, APPOINTING REY VALDES AS INSPECTOR GENERAL, PURSUANT TO ORDINANCE 2025-08; PROVIDING FOR IMPLEMENTATION: PROVIDING FOR INCORPORATION OF RECITALS; PROVIDING FOR EXPENDITURE OF BUDGETED FUNDS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, during the month of November 2024, the residents of the City of Doral (the “City”), voted to adopt Charter Section 2-07, establishing the Office of the Inspector General; and

WHEREAS, on February 12, 2015, the City Council passed in Second Reading Ordinance 2025-08 providing procedures for the appointment and the responsibilities for the Office of the Inspector General; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Ordinance 2025-08, the City Council passed Resolution 25-61 and 25-62, appointing a selection committee to review applications, conduct due diligence, perform interviews and vote on the appointment of an individual or firm for the role of Inspector General; and

WHEREAS, the pursuant to Ordinance 2025-08, the City advertised the position of Inspector General on the Florida League of Cities, FCCMA, and Florida Public Human Resource Association platforms; and

WHEREAS, the City received two applications from Jose Hernandez and Rey Valdez; and

WHEREAS, on April 17, 2025, the Inspector General Committee convened, reviewed Jose Hernandez and Rey Valdes application, conducted education, and found that Rey Valdes met the minimum requirements for the appointment for Inspector General

and elected to move the application of Rey Valdes to the City Mayor and Council for consideration; and

WHEREAS, Rey Valdes served as a police officer with Miami-Dade County from 1984 through 2016, and at the time of retirement held the position of Major; and

WHEREAS, Rey Valdes has previously served as Public Information Officer for the Doral Police Department during the years 2018 through 2021; and

WHEREAS, Rey Valdes has served as Special Assistant to the City Manager and City Manager for the City of Doral; and

WHEREAS, Rey Valdes meets the criteria set forth in the City's Charter and Code for the role as the City's Inspector General.

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

Section 1. Incorporation of Recitals. The aforementioned recitals are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. Authorization. The Mayor and City Council hereby appoint Rey Valdes as the City's Inspector General.

Section 3. Implementation. The Mayor and City Attorney are authorized, pursuant to Ordinance 2025-08, to finalize an agreement with Rey Valdes.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

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 Maureen Porras	_____
Councilwoman Digna Cabral	_____
Councilman Rafael Pineyro	_____
Councilwoman Nicole Reinoso	_____

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14 day of May, 2025.

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:

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